Sheriff's Office

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Burglary from Animal Shelter - Case 201600556



On Tuesday, February 2, 2016, at about 8:30 a.m., Deputies responded to the Humboldt County Animal Shelter to investigate a burglary. Animal Shelter Attendants noticed one of the dogs in the shelter was missing. Deputies discovered the burglary occurred at about 10 p.m. on Monday, February 1, 2016, after the shelter was closed. The suspect maneuvered their way over a perimeter wall to gain entry. There were footprints leading to the stolen dog's kennel, and the lock to the kennel was found undone, not broken. There is video surveillance of the break in, and deputies are reviewing it to positively identify the suspect. The stolen dog is a white and brown female Staffordshire Terrier mix. Her name is Felony.

Anyone with information for the Sheriff's Office regarding this case or related criminal activity is strongly urged to call the Sheriff's Office at 707-445-7251 or the Sheriff's Office Crime Tip line at 707-268-2539.

Mike Downey Sheriff