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Subject: Wanted Persons Arrest

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On 05-02-19, at approximately 1859 hours, Kensington Police Officers were dispatched to a possible suspicious circumstance at a residence on Edgecroft Road. The reporting party advised they may know the whereabouts of a wanted person that several news outlets were reporting on.

Sergeant Barrow and Officer Nath responded to the location and conducted a preliminary investigation. Through the course of the investigation the suspect was identified as Darlene Monticalvo, wanted out of Oakland Ca. Monticalvo was wanted for PC 530.5(a) Unauthorized Use of Personal Identifying Information and PC 273A(B) Willful Cruelty To a Child, out of Oakland, Ca. as well as a separate Identity Theft case out of Emeryville, Ca.

Sergeant Barrow and Officer Nath ascertained Monticalvio's location and coordinated an apprehension action plan. The two officers used sound judgement and professional police tactics to apprehend Monticalvo successfully without incident. Oakland Police Department and Emeryville Police Department were notified of the apprehension and advised she would be booked into the Martinez Detention Facility.

Darlene Monticalvo, DOB 10/27/1958, a 60 year old female out of Kensington, Ca, was later booked into the Martinez Detention Facility for the outstanding Felony warrant out of Oakland, Ca. with a bail amount set at \$530,000.00.

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