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Sheriff's Media Release

Date/Time of Incident/Event: 9/29/13 at 2:40 p.m.

Location of Incident: Santa Cruz SPCA

Type of Incident: Dog theft

Suspect(s): Christina Hawley

Description of Incident:

On 9/29/13 at approximately 2:40 pm, staff from the SPCA reported that a white female had come into the SPCA and stolen a puppy and fled the area. Deputies were able to collect information from witnesses that were on scene at the time of the incident and who had later seen the suspect at Pet Pals in Soquel.

Deputies were able to conduct a follow up investigation and track down the suspect of the dog theft, who was later identified as Christina Hawley. Hawley cooperated with Deputies and handed over the puppy. Hawley was cited for the theft of the puppy and the puppy was returned to the SPCA.

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