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To: All Media Outlets

From: Jennifer Hansen, Public Information Officer

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Subject: Recent MONET Activity around Mono County

During the past few months, MONET agents were conducting an investigation, with the use of a confident informant (CI), into the potential cocaine sales in the Mammoth Lakes area. On Friday, April 22, 2011, MONET agents arrested Grant Douglas Hanover, age 20, of Mammoth Lakes, for the alleged sales of cocaine and for violating the conditions of his probation. Mr. Hanover is currently in custody in the Mono County Jail.

On Tuesday, May 3, 2011, Mono County Sheriff's deputies received information involving illegal drug activity in the June Lake area. Deputies contacted Michael Rosas, age 43, of June Lake, at his residence and were overwhelmed by the smell of marijuana coming from the residence. Deputies detained Mr. Rosas until a search warrant was obtained by MONET agents. A search warrant was produced for Mr. Rosas residence where the discovery of approximately seven pounds of processed marijuana and an elaborate marijuana cultivation operation were found. As part of the search warrant, MONET agents recovered evidence of illegal sales of marijuana. Mr. Rosas was arrested for possession of marijuana for sale, sales of marijuana, and cultivation of marijuana. Mr. Rosas was transported to the Mono County Jail where he was released on bail.



The law requires that arrest information be made available to the public. This publication may contain suspect information about individuals booked by the Mono County Sheriff's Department recently. Names of juveniles (under 18-years-old) are not public. Suspect information and ongoing investigation details are also withheld. Since most cases have yet to be adjudicated, all charges should be considered allegations. For questions/concerns regarding any information contained in this publication, contact Undersheriff Ralph Obenberger at (760) 932-7549.