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To: All Media Outlets

From: Jennifer Hansen, PIO

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Subject: Bank Robbery Suspect out of San Jose Arrested

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On the evening of Tuesday, September 7, 2010, at approximately 7:30 p.m., the Mono County Sheriff's Department received information from the FBI that a person wanted for bank robbery in the San Jose area may be camping in the Bridgeport area. At approximately 9:20 p.m., a Mono County Sheriff's Deputy was patrolling the area around Buckeye Campground in Bridgeport, where he located the bank robbery suspect's vehicle. John Robert Alexander, age 56, of Auburn, CA, was taken into custody without incident on an arrest warrant for possibly being involved in nine bank robberies. The FBI has coined Mr. Alexander as "the Posse Box bandit." Mr. Alexander is currently in custody at the Mono County Jail.

*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.*