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PRESS RELEASE
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*****Public Nuisance Arrests*****
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On September 30, 2010 at approximately 2:45 p.m. the Shasta Anti-Gang Enforcement (SAGE) unit responded to 6474 Creekside Drive to serve two arrest warrants for violation of the public nuisance law. This residence was deemed a public nuisance by the Shasta County District Attorney's Office due to years of criminal activity and neighborhood problems stemming from this residence.

The two residents, Alexander David Holmes, 19 years and his mother, Carol Marie Holmes, 55 years, were both contacted and arrested. Carol Holmes was issued a notice to appear and was released at the scene. Alexander Holmes was found to be under the influence of a controlled substance and was arrested for this as well.

During the ensuing investigation, several other subjects were found to be hiding inside the residence. Two of the subjects, Mandy Kay Scates 19 years and David Allen Hafen, 26 years, both of Redding, were also found to be under the influence of a controlled substance and were arrested. Hafen was on felony probation for a previous offense in Shasta County.

Alexander Holmes, Mandy Cates and David Hafen were ultimately lodged at the Shasta County Jail. A criminal complaint will be requested against both Alexander and Carol Holmes for another violation of the public nuisance law stemming from today's arrests.

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