SOLANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



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INFORMATION RELEASE 09/23/13 DEPUTIES MAKE ARREST AFTER PURSUIT, MARIJUANA AND GUN FOUND

On Saturday 09/21/13 just after 2:00 p.m. a Solano County Sheriff's Deputy observed a vehicle on W. Texas Street that was being driven in a reckless manner. The deputy attempted to conduct a traffic stop and the driver, suspect Duane Hilton Wildman, turned off of W. Texas St. and sped through a small trailer park in an attempt to get away.

After a short pursuit Wildman jumped out of the vehicle and attempted to flee on foot. Wildman left his vehicle in gear as he fled and the vehicle struck a parked car as it continued to roll. Wildman was taken into custody a short distance from where his vehicle came to rest. While being taken into custody Wildman showed signs of intoxication and an open bottle of alcohol was located within his vehicle.

Deputies conducted a search of Wildman and found \$5137.00 on his person. Deputies then searched Wildman's vehicle and found a total of approximately 16 grams of marijuana and a loaded .32 caliber semi-automatic handgun. Wildman was ran and found to have a prior conviction which excluded him from owning or possessing firearms. The firearm located in Wildman's vehicle was later found to be stolen recently in a residential burglary in Vallejo.

Wildman was placed under arrest and booked into the Solano County Jail on the following list of felony charges: possession of marijuana for sale, possession of a firearm by a prohibited person, Possession of stolen property (the firearm), evading police, and probation violation. Wildman was also booked for the following two misdemeanor charges: hit and run with property damage and driving under the influence of alcohol.

Wildman a 29 year old Fairfield resident is currently being held at the Solano County Jail with a no bail status and his first court appearance is scheduled for 09/24/13 at 1:30 p.m. in the Fairfield Courthouse.

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