



SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT
NEWS RELEASE

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DATE/TIME 09/07/2018

DISTRIBUTION

Orig.-report; All-Police, City Council, City Mgr.

LOCATION 400 Block Cabot Road, SSF

TYPE OF INCIDENT Large Scale Indoor Illegal Marijuana Cultivation

SUMMARY OF CRIME INCIDENT

On 09/07/2018, South San Francisco Police Detectives were following up on suspicious activity in the area of the 400 block of Cabot Road and located a large scale Marijuana Cultivation Operation inside a warehouse. Two suspects were contacted at the location and were later found to be two of the primary cultivators. Upon discovery of the operation, agents assigned to the San Mateo County Narcotics Task Force responded to the scene to take over the investigation. Agents from the Narcotics Task Force and officers from the South San Francisco Police Department dismantled the operation and discovered there were in excess of 10,000 Marijuana plants in various stages of growth. Agents believed the operation was a multi-million dollar a year operation which had been operating for approximately 2 years.

Multiple agencies responded to the scene to determine any additional violations which may have been committed to include representatives from the San Mateo County Environmental Health Department, South San Francisco Building Department and PG&E. This effort was a great example of teamwork between multiple agencies to dismantle a large, illegal operation which impacted not only the community, but also the surrounding environment.

The South San Francisco Police Department would like to remind business owners, employees and residents to be aware of suspicious activity in their areas and report all suspicious activity to the Police Department. Calls can be made to (650)877-8900 or the anonymous TIP line at (650)952-2244.

ARREST INFO (OMIT NAMES OF JUVENILES) (cont. on reverse) [ ]

NAME Chris Cameron

NAME Robert Cummings

CITY OF RESIDENCE San Francisco

CITY OF RESIDENCE Oakland

OCCUPATION Contractor

OCCUPATION Server

DATE OF BIRTH 02/04/1967 AGE 51

DATE OF BIRTH 10/05/1958 AGE 59

HT 5'10" WT 240 HAIR Blonde EYES Brown HT 6' WT 175 HAIR Brown EYES Hazel

BOOKING STATUS (bail amount, where held, etc.)

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ACCIDENT AND/OR VICTIM INFO (UNLESS CONFIDENTIALITY REQUESTED)

NAME ADDRESS AGE

INJURIES WHERE TAKEN OCCUPATION

SGT'S APPROVAL 98WS10 WC APPROVAL 98SC01 AUTHOR 14SM04 RELEASED TO: