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NEWS RELEASE

Initial Incident Date and Time: Tuesday, 10/22/2013 1:45 PM

Location: Chase Bank - 845 Laurel St., San Carlos

Type of Crime/Incident: Bank Robbery

Summary:

This afternoon at approximately 1:50 PM, San Mateo Co. Public Safety Communications received a 911 call from Chase Bank in San Carlos reporting that they had just been robbed. The bank is located in the downtown area just south of Olive Ave.

The lone suspect entered the bank, produced a demand note and stated he had a gun. The teller gave the suspect an undisclosed amount of money and he fled out the front door onto Laurel St. No witnesses reported seeing a vehicle associated with the suspect.

Sheriff's Deputies searched the area for the suspect however did not locate anyone. He is described as a Caucasian male in his 30's, approximately 6' tall and thin. He was last seen wearing a light colored baseball hat, sunglasses and a dark jacket.

The suspect is described similarly to the person who robbed this same bank on 1/5/2012. Investigators will be examining surveillance video from both robberies in an effort to identify the suspect. The surveillance video is not available for release at this time.

Any person who may have witnessed this robbery or has information regarding the identity of the suspect is asked to call Detective Lisandro Lopez at 650-363-4055 or via email at lxlopez@smcgov.org or call Detective Hector Acosta at 650-363-4064 or via e-mail at hacosta@smcgov.org

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