

Marin County Sheriff's Department
Conducted Electrical Weapon Deployments
2021 4th Quarterly Audit
October 1st, 2021, through December 31, 2021

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW EFFECTIVE

Date: 10/14/2021

Case#: SO21-2804

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 10851 CVC, 12500 CVC, 11377 HS, and multiple Marin County warrants.

Summary of Incident: On 10/14/2021, deputies were notified by dispatch of an activation of the Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) in Sausalito indicating a stolen vehicle was detected by the ALPR system. Deputies quickly located the vehicle. Due to the felony violation committed by the driver of the stolen vehicle and because deputies were unable to determine if the occupant(s) was armed with any weapons, they conducted a high-risk traffic stop on the vehicle. Two deputies drew their department issued firearms and one deputy drew her CEW, turned it on and pointed it at the suspect inside the vehicle. The deputies gave the suspect commands to exit the vehicle, to which he complied. The subject was later arrested for the charges of 10851 CVC, 12500 CVC, 11377 HS, and multiple Marin County warrants.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW NOT EFFECTIVE

Date: 10/18/2021

Case#: SO21-2849

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 148(A)(1) PC

Summary of Incident: On 10/18/2021, deputies responded to a residence for a report of a male subject who was armed with a knife and threatening suicide. When they arrived, the deputies

found several people visibly upset and saw a vehicle with a shattered windshield in the driveway. Deputies learned the suspect had shattered the windshield of the vehicle and was currently inside being held in a “bear hug” position by another male. Due to the report of the subject being armed with a knife, one deputy approached the residence with their CEW drawn and activated while the other deputy drew his department issued firearm. The deputies gave the subjects commands to separate and exit the house. The subjects complied and exited. The deputies holstered their weapons. Because the subject was recently in a physical fight, broke a window, was reported to have been armed with a knife that had not yet been located, threatened suicide, and threatened family members, the deputies decided to place the subject in handcuffs. As they took control of the subject’s arms to place him in handcuffs, the subject resisted deputies, tried to escape their grasp. Deputies were able to place him into handcuffs. The subject was ultimately arrested for 148 (a)(1) PC.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

**DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW EFFECTIVE**

DATE: 10/30/2021

Case#: SO21-2954

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 243(E)(1) PC and 148(A)(1) PC

Summary of Incident: On 10/30/2021, deputies responded to a report of a domestic violence incident during which the victim reported her boyfriend kicked her and spit on her on two separate occasions. Deputies responded to the suspect’s residence and placed him under arrest for the domestic violence assault charges. As the deputies were placing him in handcuffs, the suspect began physically fighting and attempted to pull away from the deputies. One deputy removed his CEW, turned it on, pointed it at the suspect and told the suspect to stop or he would be “Tased.” At the display of the weapon and with the verbal commands, the suspect immediately complied and was taken into custody. The suspect was booked on the charges of 243(E)(1) PC and 148(A)(1) PC.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED

DATE: 12/9/2021

Case#: SO21-3372

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 148(a)(1) PC

Summary of Incident: On 12/09/2021, deputies responded to a residential neighborhood for a report of a suspicious person who was knocking on doors and acting strangely. The deputy contacted the subject who complained of pain due to a broken foot. The deputy requested an ambulance on behalf of the subject. While waiting for medical personnel to arrive, the deputy asked the subject his name. The subject refused to provide his name and started to leave before the ambulance arrived. Concerned for his mental and physical wellbeing, the deputy asked him to stay, and the subject replied, "Hey don't shoot me in the face" despite the deputy's firearm being secured in the holster. The subject began to put his hands up and drop to his knees. The deputy walked further away from the subject, but the subject began to scream and yell at the deputy. The subject's upper body became rigid with both hands out to the side and began to walk towards the deputy. Due to the fact that the deputy was alone with the subject, the subject was irate and yelling, and was advancing towards the deputy in an aggravated state despite de-escalation techniques, the deputy drew his CEW, turned it on and pointed it at the subject. The deputy gave the subject commands to lay on the ground to which the subject complied. A Sergeant arrived and assisted placing the subject into handcuffs. The subject was evaluated by medical personnel and then arrested for the charge of 148(a)(1) PC.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED

CEW NOT EFFECTIVE

Date: 12/22/2021

Case#: 21-3497

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 273.5 PC, 236 PC), 273a(b) PC, and 148(A)(1) PC

Summary of Incident: On 12/22/2021, deputies responded to a residence for a report of a domestic violence after a female was heard screaming and a man reported his "face was busted." Deputies arrived and the residents would not open the door despite de-escalation and negotiation tactics. Through a window, deputies saw blood on the female's arm. Due to hearing a child yelling inside the open and the reported domestic violence, deputies obtained a

key to the residence and made entry. They separated and interviewed both parties. Deputies determined probable cause existed to arrest the suspect for 273.5 PC (Inflicting Corporal Injury on Spouse), 236 PC (False Imprisonment), and 273a(b) PC (Willful Cruelty to Child). As deputies attempted to place the suspect under arrest, she began resisting and screaming. Two deputies drew their CEW's, turned them on, pointed them at her and gave her commands. Other deputies were able to detain her in handcuffs. The CEWs were not fired during this incident. The suspect was arrested and booked for the above mentioned charges in addition to 148(A)(1) PC (Obstructing/Resisting a Public Officer).

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

**DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW EFFECTIVE**

DATE: 12/24/2021

Case#: 21-3510

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): 243(e)(1) PC and 273.6 PC

Summary of Incident:

On 12/24/2021, deputies responded to a report of a domestic violence assault. Upon arrival, deputies learned the suspect came to the victim's house in violation of a served domestic violence restraining order. The suspect and the victim got into an argument during which the suspect pushed the victim. Deputies later contacted the suspect who agreed to meet with deputies. When the deputies took control of the suspect's arms to place him into handcuffs, the suspect tensed his arms, held his arms close to his chest and refused to cooperate with deputies commands. Deputies knew the subject had a recent history of resisting arrest. One deputy drew his department issued CEW, turned in on and pointed it at the subject. At the display of the weapon, the subject complied and was taken into custody. The suspect was arrested for the charges of 243(e)(1) PC and 273.6 PC.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

**DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW EFFECTIVE**

Date: 12/31/2021

Case#: SO21-3560

Video: Yes

Injuries: No

Offense(s): No arrest made.

Summary of Incident: On 12/31/2021, a deputy was responding to an unrelated call for service when he witnessed two subjects in a physical altercation. The deputy activated his emergency lights, announced himself and gave the subjects multiple commands to stop fighting. The two subjects continued their physical altercation despite commands. Due to both subjects showing no signs of stopping, the size difference between two subjects, the fact he was the only deputy on scene and the subjects' willingness to continue to be violent, the deputy determined intervention was necessary in order to prevent serious injury. The deputy drew his department issued CEW, activated it and pointed it at the subjects. He ordered them to separate and lay on the ground or they would be "Tased." After approximately three commands, the subjects complied. Further investigation revealed the subjects were related and neither sustained serious injuries. Neither subject wanted to press criminal charges against the other. The CEW was not fired during this incident.