

Marin County Sheriff's Department
Conducted Electrical Weapon Deployments
2020 3rd Quarter Audit
July 1, 2020 thru September 30, 2020

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW NOT EFFECTIVE

Date: **8/9/2020**

Case#: **SO20-1998**

Video: **Yes**

Injuries: **No**

Offense: **245 (C) PC (Assault Likely to Produce Great Bodily Injury), 148(A)(1) PC (Obstructing or Resisting Public Officer)**

Summary of Incident:

On 8/9/2020, deputies were dispatched to a report of a family disturbance in which the subject was being violent, breaking things and was armed with a knife. Additionally, the reporting party believed the subject was either under the influence of drugs or having a psychotic episode. Deputies located the subject who was holding a knife and told the deputies to "shoot him." The subject ran away from deputies on scene. The subject was later located by a family member and was holding an axe. When deputies arrived the subject and the family member were in a physical altercation fighting for control of the axe. A sergeant pulled his CEW, pointed it at the subject but determined he was unable to fire the CEW without the family member also feeling the effects of the CEW. The sergeant ultimately used OC spray and with the help of other deputies was able to detain the subject.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED and FIRED
CEW EFFECTIVE

Date: **8/10/2020**

Case#: **SO20-2004**

Video: **Yes**

Injuries: **No**

Offense: **664 215(a) PC (Attempted Car Jacking), 148(a)(1) PC (Obstructing or Resisting a Public Officer), 25850(c)(1) PC (Carrying a Loaded Firearm)**

Summary of Incident:

On 8/10/2020, deputies responded to a report of a suspicious person standing at the edge of the reporting party's property with a long stick. The reporting party stated the subject was rambling, making incoherent statements and she believed he was suffering from mental health issues. When deputies arrived, they found the subject was armed with a small handgun. During their investigation, they found the subject had also attempted to carjack a person driving by. When deputies contacted the subject in an attempt to take him into custody, the subject pointed the handgun at himself. Deputies, including members of the Hostage Negotiations Team and Crisis Intervention Trained deputies attempted to negotiate with the subject in order to take him into custody. Because the subject was armed with a handgun, refusing to comply with deputies' commands and had threatened to kill himself, a deputy drew her CEW, activated it and pointed it at the subject. Another deputy pointed his department issued firearm at the subject. The subject continued to refuse to comply with commands from deputies. The deputy fired the CEW striking the subject in the hip and the arm incapacitating him. Deputies were then able to take the subject into custody and disarm him.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:

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

Date: **08/21/2020**

Case#: **SO20-2086**

Video: **Yes**

Injuries: **No**

Offense: 148 (a)(1) PC (Obstructing or Resisting a Public Officer), 594(B)(1) PC (Vandalism), 664 215(a) PC (Attempting Carjacking), 3056 PC (Parole Violation)

Summary of Incident:

On 8/19/2020, deputies responded to a report of a carjacking. The subject was reported to be acting erratically and was possibly under the influence of a controlled substance. Through further investigation, the deputies were able to determine the subject forcibly tried to remove the victim from his vehicle. The victim attempted to get away by placing the vehicle in reverse but the subject jumped onto the hood of his car and punched his front windshield causing it to shatter. The victim was able to escape and run away.

A deputy later located the subject and attempted to place him under arrest. The deputy told the subject to place his hands behind his back but he refused and began to walk away. Based on the subject's failure to comply, his vocal intent to resist being placed into handcuffs and his known previously established tendencies to evade arrest, the deputy drew his CEW, turned it on and pointed it at the subject. With the display of the CEW, the subject complied with the deputy's commands and was taken into custody.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:
DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW EFFECTIVE

Date: **9/10/2020**

Case#: **SO20-2280**

Video: **Yes**

Injuries: **No**

Offense: **5150 W&I, 166.4 PC, 148(a)(1) PC and 245 (C) PC**

Summary of Incident:

On 9/10/2020, deputies of the Marin County Sheriff's Office and officers of the San Rafael Police Department responded to an apartment to conduct an eviction after the resident was served legal documents on 9/1/2020 advising him he needed to vacate the property by 9/7/2020. When the deputy advised the subject of the reason they were at the residence, he refused to vacate the property and barricaded himself inside the apartment delaying deputies from completing the court order. Deputies were required to force entry into the apartment to remove the subject from the property.

Once inside the apartment, the suspect armed himself with a hammer and threatened the deputies and officers by holding the hammer in his hand above his head. A deputy drew his department issued CEW, turned it on and pointed it at the subject. A sergeant on scene drew his firearm and held in lowered position in front of him, not pointing the firearm at the suspect. Deputies attempted to de-escalate the situation for approximately twenty minutes by giving the subject commands, creating more distance and talking with the subject, the subject ultimately put the hammer down, allowed the deputies to place him into handcuffs and the subject was taken into custody.

TYPE OF DEPLOYMENT:
DREW TASER, ACTIVATED, AIMED
CEW NOT EFFECTIVE

Date: **9/18/2020**

Case#: **SO20-2375**

Video: **Yes**

Injuries: **No**

Offense(s): **23152(a)/(b) VC, 69 PC, 148(a)(1) PC, 243(b) PC, 1203.2 PC, 5200 VC, 4462.5 VC, and 14602.1(a) VC**

Summary of Incident:

On 9/18/2020, a deputy conducted an investigation of a vehicle with a male subject seated inside. During this contact, the deputy determined the vehicle was in violation of several

California Vehicle codes. When the deputy directed the subject to stay in his vehicle and provide the vehicle's registration, the subject ignored the lawful orders and quickly tried to walk away from the vehicle. When the deputy reached to take control of the suspect's arm in order to detain him in handcuffs, the suspect grabbed onto the deputy's upper arm and his uniform shirt and began to fight with the deputy. As the altercation continued, the deputy was unable to gain control of the suspect and removed his CEW from his holster, turned it on and pointed it at the suspect. With the display of the CEW, the deputy gave the suspect commands. The suspect ignored the commands and ran away from the deputy. As the deputy engaged in a foot pursuit, he holstered his CEW. During the foot pursuit the suspect, the suspect entered a business and within the business the deputy was able to gain control of the suspect and place him into handcuffs.