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Press Release Case # 26-0123

Date: 01/16/26

Location: 400 North State Street Ukiah, CA

Suspect: Alice Strang
34-year-old Ukiah, CA resident

Charges: 246.3(a) PC – Willful discharge of firearm in negligent manner (F)
247(b) PC – Shoot at unoccupied vehicle or dwelling (F)
25850(a) PC – Carry loaded firearm in public (F)
594(b)(1) PC – Vandalism (F)
1203.2(a) PC – Violation of Probation (M)

On 01/16/26 at approximately 1200 hours, the UPD received numerous calls for service regarding shots being fired in the area of 400 North State Street. Officers arrived in the area and quickly located the scene near the 300 block of North Main Street. UPD officers located expended shell casings on scene and evidence that an unoccupied vehicle had been struck by gunfire. No citizens were reported to have been injured by the shooting.

UPD detectives, MCSO patrol deputies and Mendocino County District Attorney Investigators arrived on scene to assist. UPD patrol officers were able to locate video surveillance footage from the area. This video footage clearly depicted the suspect and the shooting itself. An updated suspect description was broadcasted to all units and a search of the area was conducted.

A UPD detective was canvassing the area of 500 South Orchard Avenue when he located a female subject walking who partially matched the description. Based on the female's size, stature and articles of clothing worn, the detective contacted the subject and positively identified her as Alice Strang from Ukiah.

A probable cause search of Strang's backpack revealed a loaded Glock 22 pistol and an extra magazine loaded with ammunition. Officers discovered that the type of ammunition loaded into the pistol was a match to the spent shell casings located at the scene. Officers also located other clothing items in the backpack that were originally worn by Strang at the time of the shooting.

Strang was placed under arrest without further incident. Strang was subsequently booked into the MCSO jail for the above-mentioned offenses.



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The UPD would like to express our gratitude to all the allied agencies that assisted with this incident. We would also like to thank the Ukiah citizens for promptly reporting this incident and providing vital video footage that led to the quick apprehension of Strang. As always, our mission at UPD is to make Ukiah as safe a place as possible. If you would like to know more about crime in your neighborhood, you can sign up for telephone, cell phone, and email notifications by clicking the Nixle button on our website; www.ukiahpolice.com

