Press Release

Subject: Search Warrant Served on Illegal Marijuana Grow Results in Arrests

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A search warrant was served at a property on the 3000 block of County Road 88a in Dunnigan this morning resulting in three arrests and the confiscation of a large quantity of marijuana that was being cultivated unlawfully. The cultivation of cannabis in the County of Yolo requires a permit per County Code section 5-20.01.

Yolo County Sheriff’s Office Deputies removed over 1,100 growing marijuana plants during this operation. The value of the marijuana is estimated at over one million dollars.

YONET and the Yolo County Cannabis Task Force assisted in the operation.

In addition to the marijuana, deputies located a stolen pistol, two other firearms, a stolen vehicle, a stolen ATV, and a stolen utility trailer. Over thirteen grams of methamphetamine and a usable quantity of heroin was also found.

Amanda Rivera, 29, of Knights Landing, and Humberto Garcia, 33, of Dunnigan, were arrested and booked for felony drug related charges. Jose Garcia, 32, of Dunnigan, was arrested and booked for felony drug related charges as well as possession of stolen property and committing a felony while armed with a firearm.