

Gary R. Stanton Sheriff/Coroner

(707)421-7000

January 25, 2010

## INFORMATION RELEASE

Administration Offices

## Sheriff's Marine Patrol Performs Water Rescue

Solano County Sheriff's Office

On Saturday, January 23, 2010, at approximately 1:00 PM, Deputies Joe Pinder and Jonathan Mazer responded to the report of a woman falling off of the Mare Island Causeway into the Mare Island Straits. Upon arrival, they located a woman clinging to a piling in the water between the Mare Island Causeway and the Hwy 37 Bridge. The victim, who was identified as 41-year old Silvia Trujillo from Vallejo had received injuries from the fall, and was in need of medical treatment. The deputies docked their patrol boat to the piling and pulled the victim on board their boat. They then transported the victim to the Coast Guard Station in Vallejo. The victim was treated by a United States Coast Guard Emergency Medical Technician at their station, prior to the arrival of the Vallejo Fire Department. She was then transported to a local area hospital for further medical evaluation.

## **Contact:**

Lieutenant Gary Faulkner Public Information Officer (707) 784-1490 Office gfaulkner@solanocounty.com