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Volunteer Group is Left Without a Trailer and \$10,000 worth of Tools

\$1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers is joining forces with the San Diego County Sheriff's Department Ramona detectives to help identify and apprehend the suspect(s) responsible for a theft of a tow trailer and about \$10,000 worth of tools belonging to a volunteer group that was helping those affected by the 2007 wildfires.

Sometime between December 12 and 13, 2009, unknown person(s) stole a trailer containing about \$10,000 worth of construction tools from the Ramona Community School parking lot, located at 1710 Montecito Road in Ramona.

The trailer is described as a gray, single axle tow trailer belonging to Mennonite Disaster Services. It is registered in Pennsylvania with license plate number XCV9388.

The Mennonite Disaster Service is a volunteer network that focuses on cleaning up, repairing and rebuilding homes in disaster areas. They were currently working on rebuilding homes in Ramona that were burned down in the 2007 wildfires.

Investigators are asking anyone with information on the identity of the person(s) responsible for this crime to call the **Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477**. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to an arrest. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

Media inquiries should be directed to Ramona Lt. Duncan Fraser at (760) 789-9157. Questions about Crime Stoppers should be directed to Deputy Adriana Uribe at 619-531-1547 or Officer Jim Johnson at 619-531-1500.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc. in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-TIPS.

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