

# NEWS RELEASE



## City of Rancho Cucamonga Police Department



Date/Time: April 29, 2009 at approximately 3:30 p.m.

Crime: HS11358 Cultivation of marijuana, HS 11359 Possession of marijuana for sale

Location: 7000 block of Arroyo Vista Avenue, Rancho Cucamonga

Suspect: James Powers, 72 year old male, resident of Rancho Cucamonga

### SUMMARY

On April 29, 2009 at approximately 3:30 p.m. a truck was stopped for vehicle code violations at the intersection of Carnelian and Baseline in the city of Rancho Cucamonga. Deputies could see in the bed of the truck, 10 plants believed to be marijuana. The driver of the truck was identified as James Powers. A search warrant was then conducted at Powers residence in the 7000 block of Arroyo Vista by deputies assigned to the Rancho Cucamonga Police Department's Multi-Enforcement Team. Approximately 50 marijuana plants were found at his residence. The marijuana plants taken into evidence have a street value of approximately \$75,000.

Powers was arrested for the above charges and booked at West Valley Detention Center and being held in lieu of \$25,000.

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