

## FEDERAL WAY POLICE DEPARTMENT Media Release

Type of Incident: 13 Arrested for Soliciting a Prostitute

Date of Incident: October 26, 2006 Date of Release: October 31, 2006

On October 26, 2006, the Federal Way Police Department arrested 13 individuals for soliciting a prostitute in the City of Federal Way.

Members of the Special Investigations Unit, Pro-Act Team, and Federal Way Police Patrol Officers teamed up for an undercover prostitution operation. Female officers posed as prostitutes during the operation that occurred along Pacific Highway South in Federal Way.

The operation lasted for approximately 4 hours. During this time officers arrested 13 individuals for solicitation of a prostitute. Special Agents from the Immigration Customs Enforcement Service (I.C.E.) also participated in this operation, and were able to determine 5 of the 13 persons arrested were illegally residing in the United States. Those 5 individuals were taken into custody by I.C.E.

The following individuals were arrested on October 26, 2006, and face charges of Patronizing a Prostitute:

Joseph L. LieboldSteve J. Tinsley

- Jose M. Marin

Pavel A. GorelovPantaleon Cruz Olais

- Mirzet Zdionica

- Alexander Jaurequi Torres

- Scott A. Schafer

- Jon K. Day

- Martin A. Kapaul

Loza Baltazar ArmandoFernando Rojas Baltazar

- Alvarado Hernandez Navajoa

The operation would not have been a success without the collaborative teamwork effort from all officers and detectives involved from the Federal Way Police Department and Immigration Customs Enforcement Service.

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