



## FORT BRAGG POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### PRESS RELEASE

**Releasing Officer:** Sergeant Jonathan A. McLaughlin  
**Case Number:** FG1900960  
**Date/Time of Incident:** September 21, 2019 / 1247 A.M.  
**Location of Incident:** 100 Block of E. Laurel Street, 100 Block of W. Laurel Street  
**Crime or Incident:** 594 (b) PC Vandalism in excess of \$400.00  
**Suspect:** Christina Gallagher, 29 Years of age

### CIRCUMSTANCES:

On September 21 2019 at approximately 1247 A.M., Officers were dispatched to the 100 Block of E. Laurel Street for a report vandalism in progress. Upon arrival Officers began a search of the area however the suspect had already fled the scene.

During their search, Officers discovered vandalism to the windshield of a parked vehicle, and the front door window of the Headlands Coffeehouse. They also discovered vandalism to a window at the Skunk Train Depot located in the 100 Block of W. Laurel Street. Officers spoke with a witness and were able to review video surveillance from one of the businesses. Based on the description provided by the witness and the video surveillance, Officers identified the suspect as Christina Gallagher.

Officers began checking the area and located Gallagher at the parking lot of the north coastal trail, near the intersection of W. Elm Street and Glass Beach Drive. Gallagher was interrogated and admitted to each of the vandalisms. She was subsequently placed under arrest.

Due to injuries sustained during the commission of the crime, Gallagher was taken to the Mendocino Coast District Hospital where she received medical treatment prior to being transported to the Mendocino County Jail.

If you have information related to the case please contact Officer Shaw at (707) 961-2800 ext. 181 or [jshaw@fortbragg.com](mailto:jshaw@fortbragg.com) . Anonymous tips may be left on the Crime Tip Hotline at (707) 961-3049.

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