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PRESS RELEASE

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Stray Burro

Location of Incident: Avenue B ½ and County 17 ½ Street – Somerton, AZ

UPDATE:

On Tuesday, July 28, 2020, the donkey (previously identified as a stray burro) was auctioned off by the Department of Agriculture as no one came forward to claim ownership of the missing animal.

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On Monday, July 13, 2020, at approximately 9:00 AM, the Yuma County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a stray burro in the area of Avenue B ½ and County 17 ½ Street in Somerton. Deputies attempted to make contact with the owner, but were unable to locate one in the area. Sheriff's Posse members responded to take custody of the burro.



The burro appears to be in good health, but has no brands, tags, or markings to identify an owner. The Sheriff's Office is attempting to locate the owner. The burro is currently under the care of the Sheriff's Posse.

Anyone with information about the burro is asked to contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at 928-783-4427.

Information Released By: Lt. Samuel Pavlak, Public Information Officer