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MARIN HUMANE STATEMENT ON DEER SHOOTING IN TIBURON

Early Saturday morning, September 2, Marin Humane received a call from the Tiburon Police Department reporting that two deer were shot on Mar East in Tiburon. They reported that the mother deer was dead and her fawn was wounded.

Our officer responded and found the doe and her fawn who, sadly, also succumbed to her injuries. Tiburon PD indicated the deer were shot with a pellet gun by a resident after he chased them off his property. Marin Humane removed the deer to examine their remains.

Marin Humane and Tiburon PD are jointly investigating this incident of potential felony animal cruelty and will pursue it vigorously.

“We’re extremely saddened and disturbed by this incident which caused great suffering to two animals whose only crime was eating vegetation,” added Nancy McKenney, CEO of Marin Humane.

Marin Humane is dedicated to helping people and wildlife coexist peacefully and can serve as a resource for people concerned about their landscaping being eaten.