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Sheriff's Office Sexual Assault Investigation Unit Arrests Math Teacher for Lewd & Lascivious Acts with a 12-Year Old Girl

Today, at approximately 1:00 PM, Sheriff's Office Deputies arrested 45 year old Chad Zitzner of San Jose for lewd and lascivious acts with a child. Zitzner was booked into the Santa Clara County Main Jail.

In July 2017, Zitzner came into contact with the 12-year old victim while teaching for Math Enrichment, a private summer math camp. This particular math camp session was held in Saratoga, California. Math Enrichment employs teachers from various school districts to teach during the summer break. Zitzner is employed by the San Jose Unified School District.

This investigation, led by the Sheriff's Office Sexual Assault Investigation Unit, was initiated following a report by the mother of the female victim. At some point after the conclusion of the camp, the victim disclosed to her mother that Zitzner had touched her inappropriately on multiple occasions while at camp. After an extensive investigation, Sheriff's Office detectives presented their case to the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office. Upon review, a \$300,000 warrant was issued for Zitzner's arrest.

If you have any information about Zitzner or this investigation, please contact the Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office at (408) 808-4500. Alternatively, you can contact the Sheriff's Office Investigative Services Anonymous Tip Line at (408) 808-4431.

Photo of the suspect is attached.

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