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**K9 TEAM MEMBERS ASSIST
SEARCHES IN THREE STATES**

On Friday July 10, the K9 Search and Rescue Team responded to a request from New Mexico State Police to assist in the search for a missing 36-year old man in the Lordsburg area of New Mexico. The man was in good health when he returned to his vehicle of his own accord.

In addition, K9 team member Kimberly Kelly consulted on a search for a 63-year old man with dementia who went missing on June 30 in California. Although the gentleman is enrolled in both Medic-Alert/Safe Return and Project Lifesaver, deputies and other personnel were unable to locate any electronic signal. Ms. Kelly was tasked with interviewing and working with the family, and then developing strategy, background, and search technique for the field search teams. The man was subsequently found alive and without significant injury.

Finally, the K9 team responded to a request from Sheriff Hosselkus of the Mineral County Sheriff's Office, to help search for a 61-year old man who went missing on July 11. The missing man was found alive and well after being able to access a scout cabin where he called for help.

For more information about the K9 Search and Rescue Team, visit their website at www.k9team.org, or call 882-4746.