



VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
May 19, 2022

VPD Report Number: 22-037627

Date/Time Occurred: May 6, 2022, at 5:30pm

Type of Incident: Unlawfully Causing a Fire

Location: Santa Fe Trail at Brooke Avenue

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Dylan Welsh

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Yes

Details: On Friday, May 6, 2022 at 5:30pm, the Visalia Fire Department, Tulare County Fire, and Visalia Police Department were dispatched to a grass fire on the Santa Fe Trail near Brooke Avenue. Upon arrival, they found a large grass fire in the St. John's waterway. During the investigation the Visalia Police Department Property Crimes Unit identified suspect Dylan Welsh, 29 years old, as being responsible for unlawfully causing the fire. On May 19, 2022, Dylan Welsh was located and booked for unlawfully causing the fire.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol / HOPE / Property Crimes **Supervisor:** Sergeant Moffett

