

Timeline

2007

October 2nd Arrest (police report - felony 273.5 & felony 245(a)(1))

2008

Trial:

February 19 San Mateo Judge grants San Mateo prosecutor motion to explore internal investigation being conducted in San Francisco by Madden's employers on cross-examination of her character witness, James Mudge (SF Crime Lab Director).

February 19 James Mudge (SF Crime Lab Director) testifies as a character witness for Madden.

Feb. 20 Conviction 273.5 & 594 misdemeanors by jury

May 9 Madden is sentenced

ISS/3 years formal probation/DV counseling/alcohol counseling/30 days CJ/fines and assessments/abstain from using alcohol/do not possess any alcohol/do not own or possess any weapons/participate in any rehab program as deemed appropriate by probation officer/protective order

2009

Oct – date that Madden admits to using cocaine (per article)

Nov 20 ASCALD report period (release?)

Before December 16 Madden's sister finds vial of cocaine (news article only)

December 17 Madden's sister tells Lois Woodworth (SF lab supervisor) of discovery. (news article only)

December Vial destroyed by Madden's rehab counselor (newspaper)

"Later in December " Woodworth begins internal audit (25 random samples: 7 had cocaine shortage 2 grams in one case)

Late December or January -- Woodworth reports audit to "Risk Management of the Department" (not sent to chief) newspaper only

2010

Feb 22 special investigation Unit opens Madden investigation/ Chief learns of probe

Feb. 23 DAs officially told (case not good enough to charge)

Feb. 26 2-hour statement by Madden: lab "sloppy work" she just used spillage in five samples admits to using cocaine in October. February 26, 2010 - Madden levels her own charges against the crime: "sloppy" work and lab technicians have mishandled and lost evidence. Trial (Mention of some SF lab internal investigation of Madden!!!)

March 3- Search warrant served , gun found and small amount of cocaine

March 9 Chief Gascon press release

March Lab shut

March 17 DA Guintini's admission of prior conviction in letter to PD

March 18 DA Guintini's denial of PD request for more discovery due to pending investigation citing 1054.7PC

San Mateo docket missing per PD investigator

March 12 Judge Haines denies DA continuances to retest

March 16? Jim Senel get in-camera hearing in Massulo's court (4,000 docs) continuing Dept 25