



Two men dangling from ropes

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Suicide Rock
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We received a call from the Hemet office of the Riverside County Sheriff's Department that two climbers had been spotted hanging from their climbing rope and had not moved for some time. RMRU was then put on stand by while an Idyllwild deputy drove up to Humber Park to investigate. The two apparently made their way down safely, because we were taken off of standby at approximately 10:00 P.M.

RMRU is a volunteer search and rescue team that covers Riverside County and assists other teams with search and rescue efforts in other counties. Each member purchases their own equipment and takes time off work, without compensation, to participate in search and rescue missions. Team equipment is purchased from contributions from the community. We are a non-profit organization and are funded by [donations](#) from people like you.