

Woman rescued in ATV accident at Donner Summit

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“Take up slack,” directs the voice over the radio. “OK. Clear to lift.”

These are the words of Officer Paramedic Matt Calcutt of CHP Helicopter H-20 stationed at Auburn airport.

It’s Sunday about 2pm, and Calcutt is attempting to pluck a woman off Donner Summit.

The 47-year-old woman in the basket at the end of his rope is from Fair Oaks, and she’s hurt. Her ATV slipped off-trail and she tumbled 50 to 100 feet downhill.

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