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*****NEWS RELEASE*****

October 9, 2014

VPD Report Number: 14-12374, 14-12376, and 14-12377

Date/Time Occurred: 10/09/14 at 0400 Hours

Type of Incident: Vehicle Burglary, Possession of Stolen Property, and Conspiracy

Location: 5000 Block of W. Wren

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/a

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. John Huber

21

Yes

2. Mark Vargas

46

Yes

3. Anthony Wallen

30

Yes

Details: On 10/09/14 at approximately 0400 hours a citizen reported seeing a suspicious person looking into vehicles in the 5000 block of W. Wren in the City of Visalia. Patrol Officers arrived on scene and located suspect Vargas and Huber. Both suspects were found in possession of stolen property from three different vehicle burglaries in the neighborhood. Property Crimes Detectives responded and were able to identify a third suspect who had fled the scene prior to the officers arriving. Detectives developed information that led them to the City of Tulare where suspect Wallen was taken into custody without incident. All three suspects were booked on charges of Burglary, Possession of Stolen Property, and Conspiracy.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol/ Property Crimes

Supervisor: Sgt. Watkins

