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

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Five Arrested, including Three Teenagers, for Attempting to Steal Kias

Around 11:10 p.m. last night, VPD officers were called to the 2900 block of North Giddings Street for an attempted vehicle burglary. Officers were told three teenagers were seen attempting to break a window to a Hyundai.

At 11:28 p.m., Officers were called to the 1200 Block of West Clinton Court for another attempted vehicle burglary of a Kia that had just occurred. Officers found 24-year-old Malcolm Pace, 18-year-old Mia Vallejo and three 16-year-olds walking in the area.

Video surveillance showed Vallejo and two of the teenagers responsible for the attempted vehicle theft of the Kia. Pace and the other teenager were in possession of burglary tools.

Pace and Vallejo were booked at the Tulare County Adult Pre-Trial Facility. The three teenagers were booked at the Tulare County Juvenile Detention Facility.

