Multi agency response leads to arrest in theft from vehicle cases

Hampstead, Carroll County, Maryland; January 19, 2023 ---- Between January 17th and 18th, 2023, numerous reports were taken throughout Carroll County for items stolen out of vehicles. A suspect vehicle was identified, and Chief Snyder, Hampstead Police, directed his officers to be on the lookout.

At approximately 11:55am on January 18th, Hampstead Police Officers located the suspect vehicle, a grey Chrysler Pacifica, at the park and ride at Rt 30 and Rt 482. When they attempted to approach the vehicle, it fled the area in the direction of Baltimore County. Baltimore County Police were notified and they were able to continue following the vehicle, which eventually crashed in Arbutus. The suspects tried to flee on foot but were apprehended by Baltimore County police. Multiple items from the thefts from auto incidents in Carroll County were located on the suspects, and the vehicle was impounded until a search warrant could be obtained for the vehicle.

The suspects were identified as Chase Tyler Lee, a 24 year old male, and Lee Ron Norville, a 26 year old male, both from Florida. The suspects were transported to the Carroll County Detention Center. They have both been charged with:

Rogue and Vagabond (6 counts)

Theft less than $100 (3 counts)

Theft $100 to under $1500 (3 counts)

MDOP (4 counts)

Theft scheme $100 to under $1500 (1 count)

MDOP scheme (1 count)

(All individuals are presumed innocent of the pending charges until proven guilty in a court of law)

Both Lee and Norville are currently held without bond. Additional charges may be added as the investigation continues.

This incident is an excellent example of the importance of coordination between law enforcement agencies.

Anyone who has information about these suspects, or who may be an unreported victim from these incidents, is asked to contact the Carroll County Sheriff's Office at 410-386-5900.