



NEWS RELEASE

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Date and Time of Release: 10/28/17 1530 hours

Incident: Stolen Vehicles/Residential Burglary Arrest

Location: 1900 Block Hillcrest Dr/2800 Block Harbor Bl

Date/Time Occurred: 10/28/17 0645 hours

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol/Detectives

Suspect(s): Vincente Quinonez 27 yrs Oxnard Resident

Report #: 17-14238/17-14240

Narrative:

On 1-28-17 The Ventura Police Command Center received a call of an unoccupied vehicle left running in the roadway in the 1900 block of Hillcrest Dr. Officers arrived on scene and determined that the vehicle had been reported stolen out of a residential burglary on Encinal Pl three days earlier.

Officers were conducting the investigation when a resident on Hillcrest Dr. reported that their vehicle had been stolen within the hour.

At about 0805 hours the Ventura Police Command Center received an additional call of an interrupted residential burglary in 2800 block of Harbor Bl. The caller indicated that the suspect had left in a vehicle southbound on Harbor Bl with a large amount of property. The vehicle description matched that of the stolen vehicle from Hillcrest Dr.

The occupied stolen vehicle was located with the assistance of LoJack (stolen vehicle tracking system) at Harbor and Spinnaker Dr. Officers conducted a high risk stop on the vehicle and took the suspect into custody without incident.

Quinonez was arrested and booked into Ventura County Jail for residential burglary, possession of a stolen vehicle, possession of a controlled substance, and two outstanding felony warrants. The stolen property and vehicles were returned to the rightful owners.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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