



MEDIA RELEASE

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VENTURA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Incident: Stolen vehicle recovery with arrest

Location: 2100 Block of Harbor Bl

Date/Time Occurred: 2/5/21 at 0101

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol

Suspect(s): Spencer Brown, 48 years old, Oxnard resident

Report #: 21-7729

Narrative:

At the above date and time a patrol officer observed a vehicle that had been reported stolen in the City of Oxnard. The vehicle was at a gas station and was occupied by one adult male. The officer made a safe approach with cover officers and conducted a traffic stop on the vehicle as the driver was about to leave. The suspect, Brown, was detained and arrested without incident. He was charged with 10851 VC unlawful driving of a vehicle and 496d(a) PC possession of a stolen vehicle.

A review of the Ventura County Superior Court website shows Brown has prior convictions for narcotic sales, transportation for sale of narcotics, and possession of a stolen vehicle.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information regarding the crime should contact the Ventura Police Department at (805) 339-4416.

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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