

Possession of a Stolen Vehicle

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Incident: Possession of Stolen Vehicle Arrest

Location: 300 Block of Paseo De Playa

Date/Time Occurred: 09/09/15 1:25am

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol

Suspect(s): Vincent Hernandez 27, Ventura Resident

Graciela Banuelos, 18 Ventura Resident

Report #: 15-12260

Narrative:

On the above date and time, a Ventura patrol officer observed a black Dodge Charger parked in the 300 block of Paseo De Playa. The officer was aware a vehicle matching this description had been stolen from earlier in the day from the west end of Ventura. The officer confirmed this was in fact the stolen vehicle and waited for additional officers to arrive on scene.

Once the additional officers had arrived, they approached the vehicle and found the driver, Vincent Hernandez asleep behind the wheel. Hernandez was detained without incident and admitted to taking the vehicle earlier in the day. Hernandez was placed under arrest for possession of a stolen vehicle. Hernandez was also found to be in possession of controlled substance and had an outstanding warrant for his arrest.

The passenger, Graciela Banuelos was arrested for being in possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia and an outstanding warrant. Both Hernandez and Banuelos were later booked into the Ventura County Jail for the above charges.