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Agricultural Crimes Unit Informational Bulletin

September 24, 2018 - October 6, 2018

Recoveries

18-12985: 22000 Block of Carson Ave, Lindcove

Recovery: \$25,282.22

10/06/2018, Deputies were called to 53000 Block of Whitaker Forest Road in Badger for a reported theft. The address was determined to be a Fresno County address and Fresno County Sheriff's assumed the investigation. The reporting party advised multiple family residences and storage areas on the property were broken into where multiple items along with multiple vehicles were stolen.

10/07/2016, TCSO Deputies went to the 22000 Block of Carson in Exeter where two vehicles matching the descriptions of those stolen on 10/06/2018, at the residence in Badger were seen. Contact was made with the residence owner, Phillip Lowe. Located on the property were five stolen vehicles and (65) pieces of property. All recovered property was identified and returned back to the victims.

Booked into custody at Tulare County Pre-Trial Facility were Phillip Lowe, Exeter for possession of stolen property, and Nathan Reed, Lemon Cove for possession of stolen property, possession of a controlled substance, committing a felony while out on bail.



North County Activity

Cutler-Orosi/Dinuba area:

No cases to report for this area.

Headquarters (Visalia/Tulare/Exeter) area:

Visalia Substation area:

No cases to report for this area.

South County Activity:

Porterville Substation area:

18-12800: Avenue 120 and Road 198, Porterville

Loss: \$4,500.00

10/02/2018, Deputies were called to the area for a reported theft. The reporting party advised when he returned to the lot on this date he found the gate hinges had been cut and pried off with the gate open and damaged. Reported stolen was a 20-foot long trailer, green in color, and has "Pancho Garay" welded under the rear right side of the trailer. The trailer is used to haul equipment around the vineyards. Anyone with information regarding this crime is asked to contact Ag Crimes Detectives at 559-802-9401, or **1-800-808-0488, Tip Now Line: (559) 725-4194, or by e-mail tcsso@tipnow.com**

18-12932: Avenue 32 and Road 156, Delano

Loss: \$1,152.00

10/05/2018, Deputies were dispatched to the area for a reported theft of Styrofoam boxes. The reporting party advises approximately 576 white Styrofoam type "5H" boxes were stolen. Anyone with information regarding this crime is asked to contact Ag Crimes Detectives at 559-802-9401, or **1-800-808-0488, Tip Now Line: (559) 725-4194, or by e-mail tcsso@tipnow.com**

Pixley Substation area:

18-12430

18-12471: Avenue 74 and Road 184, Earlimart

Loss: \$2,683.80

09/24/2018, Deputies were advised between 0500 and 0600 hours suspect(s) stole 1260 Styrofoam grape packing boxes from this location. The boxes were shrink-wrapped in bundles of 36. Two sets of tire tracks were found at the scene. Anyone with information regarding this crime is asked to contact Ag Crimes Detectives at 559-802-9401, or **1-800-808-0488, Tip Now Line: (559) 725-4194, or by e-mail tcsso@tipnow.com**

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