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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, VA (January 25, 2012) In conjunction with this case, Suffolk Police have received photos of suspects from a similar incident on January 3, 2012, at a Virginia Beach Walmart store. Investigators feel these photos possibly show the same suspects from the stolen credit card cases in Suffolk.

SUFFOLK POLICE SEEK CREDIT CARD THEFT SUSPECTS

SUFFOLK, VA (January 18, 2012) The Suffolk Police Department is asking for assistance identifying two suspects allegedly involved in the theft and usage of two stolen credit cards.

On the morning of January 3, 2012, separate incidents were reported in the 2700 block of Godwin Boulevard where unlocked vehicles were broken into and had personal property including credit cards stolen.

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The ongoing investigation has revealed that both of the stolen credit cards were used for purchases totaling more than \$3,500 at various locations in Franklin, Virginia on the afternoon of January 3, 2012. These locations included Walmart, Belk, Advance Auto Parts, and Walgreens.

Police have obtained video surveillance and sales receipts from three of these businesses showing the same two suspects at each location. One suspect is a light skinned, black male with what appears to be a full beard. He was wearing khaki pants, striped shirt, tan jacket, and a snow hat with ear flaps. The second suspect is a dark skinned, black male wearing light colored pants, dark jacket with light colored hood, and a dark colored stocking cap.

Detective John Jones and Detective James Goblen are the lead investigators.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Crime Line at 1-888-Lock-U-Up. When calling Crime Line, callers do not have to give their names or appear in court. If information leads to an arrest, the caller could qualify for a reward of up to \$1,000.

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