



HANOVER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
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Arrests Made in Series of Residential Burglaries

The Hanover County Sheriff's Office has been investigating a rise in residential burglaries since July 2011. As a result of those investigative efforts, three individuals have been charged with multiple counts of burglary and grand larceny.

Andrew S. Chandler, 18, of the 7100 block of Cold Harbor Road in Mechanicsville; Travis L. Cawthorne, 18, of the 2300 block of N. 25th Street in Richmond; and Christopher M. Cawthorne 42, of the 600 block of Jack Pen Lane in King William have each been charged and arrested on multiple counts of burglary. Travis Cawthorne and Christopher Cawthorne are currently incarcerated at Pamunkey Regional Jail. Andrew Chandler has been released from jail on a secured bond.

All three of these individuals have been charged with residential burglaries occurring at the following locations:

- 12000 blk Winns Church Road on 9/2/2011
- 11000 blk Cauthorne Road on 9/15/2011
- 6500 blk Rural Point Road on 9/16/2011
- 10000 blk Atlee Station Road on 9/19/2011
- 13000 blk Greenwood Road on 9/22/2011
- 14000 blk Horseshoe Bridge Road on 9/23/2011

Andrew Chandler and Travis Cawthorne have also been charged with burglary at the following location:

- 7200 blk Atlee Road on 9/11/2011

Investigators are working with the Commonwealth's Attorney to determine the appropriate strategies for prosecution of not only these offenses, but 11 additional burglaries Investigators have linked to these individuals.

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"These arrests represent a focused effort by our entire agency to disrupt and apprehend those individuals responsible for committing residential burglaries in Hanover County. I am very proud of the professionalism and commitment of our personnel and the cooperation and contribution of the victims and many citizens that provided information that was valuable in each of these cases. Teamwork remains to be our most valuable resource in solving crime. We will continue to work with the staff at the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office to ensure a successful prosecution of all involved," said Colonel David R. Hines.

Although arrests have been made in a number of cases, Investigators are continuing their work to recover property on behalf of the many victims and collect other relevant evidence in each of these cases.

We ask that anyone with information on these crimes since July 2011, or the activities of those arrested please contact the Hanover County Sheriff's Office Investigative Division at (804) 365-6268. Information can also be submitted anonymously by calling Crime Stoppers at (804) 780-1000.



Chandler, Andrew S.



Cawthorne, Travis L.



Cawthorne, Christopher M.

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