



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Hampton, VA 23669



For Immediate Release

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Crime Line Tip Leads to Arrest in Robbery from Business Investigation: 3000 block of West Mercury Boulevard

The Hampton Police Division has arrested the suspect in connection with a robbery from business that occurred on May 23, 2014.

At 9:28 a.m., Hampton Communications received an alarm activation from the TitleMax located in the 3000 block of West Mercury Boulevard in reference to a robbery from business. The investigation revealed, the suspect entered the business displayed a firearm and demanded U.S. Currency. After retrieving an undisclosed amount of U.S. Currency the suspect fled from the business and was last seen on foot toward Butternut Road. There were patrons inside the business at the time when the incident occurred. There were no injuries.

Christopher Allen Williams, a 28-year-old Suffolk man who resides in the 200 block of Kinnards Court has been arrested in connection with this incident. He has been charged with one count of Robbery, one count of Abduction, one count of Burglary While Armed and two counts of Use of a Firearm in the Commission of a Felony. He is currently in the custody of the Chesapeake Police Department for additional charges on related incidents.



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***For additional inquiries on the charges relating to the Chesapeake incidents will need to be directed to the Chesapeake Police Public Information Officer**

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release

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