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**"Juveniles Arrested for Multiple Counts of Attempted Burglary"**

On August 13, 2013, at approximately 4:00 am, members of the Coalinga Police Department responded to an in progress vehicle burglary in the 400 block of Washington Street.

A resident in the area caught two juveniles rummaging inside his vehicle. When the resident yelled at the suspects they fled on foot, dropping a cellular telephone in the process. Officers were able to quickly identify one of the suspects using the recovered cellular telephone.

The suspects were located within minutes at Keck Park in Coalinga at which time they were taken into custody. Both were transported to the Coalinga Police Department for processing and interviews.

During an interview one of the suspects provided information about other vehicles he had gone into looking for property. He agreed to accompany police on the route he took and pointed out various vehicles he cased and made entry into. Other victim's were identified and contacted. The second suspect was also interviewed and collaborated the statement given.

The suspects in this case are 15 and 16 years old and both reside in Coalinga. They were booked into custody at the Fresno County Juvenile Justice Campus on various charges including conspiracy, attempted theft and probation violations.

The suspect's identity and photograph are being withheld in this case due to his age.

**"All subjects are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law"**