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UPDATE: SUBJECT ARRESTED AFTER STEALING VEHICLE AND ESCAPING ARREST

Sacramento, CA- On October 2, 2018 at approximately 11:45 am, Sacramento County Probation Officers arrested a subject on Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS) on a felony no-bail warrant. The subject, Larry James Brookshire, age 40, was contacted and arrested in the 800 block of West Capital Avenue, in West Sacramento. After placing the subject in the back of an unmarked Probation vehicle, Brookshire maneuvered himself into the front seat and proceeded to steal the vehicle.

The vehicle, a blue Ford Explorer, was recovered shortly thereafter at 3291 Truxel Road where, according to witnesses, Brookshire exited the vehicle and ran northbound on Truxel Road. Probation Officers contacted other law enforcement agencies to assist with locating Brookshire, including the California Highway Patrol, Sacramento County Sheriff's, and Sacramento City Police. As a safety precaution, two local elementary schools, Jefferson Elementary and Bannon Creek Elementary, were placed on lockdown. Both schools have since lifted the lockdowns.

At approximately 7:00 pm, the Sacramento Sheriff Department's Major Crime Bureau, located and arrested Brookshire in the area of Bowles Street and Oakmont Street in Sacramento. He was booked in the county jail on an outstanding, felony, no-bail warrant.

During the course of the investigation, probation officers located methamphetamine and indicia related to identity theft. Brookshire, currently on PRCS for a prior conviction of Felon in Possession of a Firearm, will be booked on additional charges, including vehicle theft. Brookshire's next court dates is scheduled for October 11, 2018.





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