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Investigators charge man with multiple vehicle burglaries, auto theft



Suspect Cortney Milton

Shreveport Police Property Crimes Investigators have jailed a man on multiple counts of vehicle burglary and an auto theft following a west Shreveport crime spree.

On Tuesday July 24, 2018, just after 1:30 a.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers stopped 17-year-old Cortney Milton and two juveniles walking in the 4400 block of Pines Road. Officers learned that Milton and one of the juveniles had outstanding warrants for their arrests. Officers searched the area near the juveniles and located a stolen handgun.

Investigators responded to the scene and immediately launched their investigation. Detectives were already investigating a string of vehicle burglaries in west Shreveport that began in early June. The burglaries were along Pines Road between South Lakeshore Drive and Buncombe Road. Investigators were able to take evidence collected in those investigations and developed Milton as a suspect. Following interviews Milton was booked into the Shreveport City jail on 24 counts of Simple Burglary, 2 counts of Attempted Simple Burglary, one count of Illegal Possession of a Stolen Vehicle, one count of Theft of a Motor Vehicle, and his outstanding warrant for Theft of a Motor Vehicle.

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