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VPD Report Number: 14-03573

Type of Incident: Auto Theft, commercial burglary, possession of narcotics for sale, conspiracy

Date/Time Occurred: 3-24-14 / 0400 **Location:** Mooney Blvd. / Tulare Ave. (7-11)

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:	Age:	Arrested:
1. Fredrick Rhoades	36	Yes
2. Renee York	31	Yes

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Details: On 3-24-14 at approx. 0400 hrs, (V)'s vehicle was left running and was stolen from the above location. At approx. 1620 hrs., Investigators from the Tulare County Reduce Auto Theft Taskforce (T-RATT) located the stolen vehicle in the Tulare Outlet Mall parking lot. During the investigation, (S)Rhoades and (S)York responded back and attempted to leave in the vehicle. Both (S)'s were taken into custody without incident. Further investigation revealed that the suspects had committed 4 commercial burglaries at the outlet mall and were in possession of narcotics for sale. (S)'s were booked at Tulare County jails on charges of auto theft, commercial burglary, possession of narcotics for sale and consiracy.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: T-RATT

Supervisor: T-RATT

