

## **PRESS/MEDIA/RELEASE**

### **Pembroke Hit with Overnight Burglaries and Thefts, Again**

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The Pembroke Police Department is once again asking residence to lock their doors and windows at night after a rash of night time residential burglaries. Around 5:30 am on Tuesday morning Police were called to a Dearborn Street home when a resident was awakened by noises in his house. On investigating he found that his home had been entered, a wallet and pocket book were missing.

While investigating this incident a second home was found to have been target when a door was found open. Nothing was taken from that residence. Last week police also took a report of a pocket book being stolen from a car at a residence on Dearborn Road.

This morning police were called to a Deerpath Lane home around 5:00 AM when a resident heard some one trying to break into the home. The suspect was described as a white, male, 5'9" tall, with a slim build. He was wearing a yellow Hawaiian shirt and a hard hat liner on his head. Police also took a report of theft from a motor vehicle across the street from this attempted theft. Police believe the perpetrators left the are in a vehicle.

In June of this year the Pembroke Police reported a series of similar crimes in the Dearborn Road and Tina Drive area. In those incidents homes also were entered at night while residents were home sleeping. "Most residential burglaries occur during the day time, when people are away from their homes. It's highly unusual for someone to sneak into a home at night", said Pembroke Police Chief Scott Lane. "There is great potential for someone to get hurt if a confrontation between a home owner and an intruder occurs". Lane strongly encourages anyone who thinks someone is in their home to call the police immediately.

Anyone with information about these crimes can contact the Pembroke Police Department at 485-9173 or the Concord Regional Crimeline at 226-3100. The Crimeline pays cash for tips that lead to an arrest or the recovery of stolen property.

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