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## **HCSO Investigates Larcenies from Vehicles**

Hanover, VA – On Thursday, November 29, 2018, deputies responded to the 6300 block of Mechanicsville Turnpike for a report of a larceny from a vehicle. It was determined that a vehicle had its window smashed and property stolen.

Then again, on December 5, 2018, the same type of incident occurred in the 9400 block of Atlee Commerce Boulevard. A victim reported having a vehicle window smashed and property stolen.

Investigators continue to process evidence and are seeking the suspects in these cases.

Attached to this release are photos of a possible suspect vehicle.

These criminals tend to victimize citizens while their vehicles are left unattended at gyms, churches, daycare centers and shopping centers. The Hanover County Sheriff's Office strongly urges you to **lock** your vehicle(s), **remove your keys** and **hide** or **remove** all valuables any time your vehicle is unattended. The Sheriff's Office also requests our citizens to remain vigilante and if suspicious activity is observed, please contact the Hanover County Emergency Communications Center immediately. **This is a crime of opportunity**.

Anyone with more information about these incidents is asked to contact the Hanover County Sheriff's Office at (804) 365-6140 or the Metro Richmond Crime Stoppers at (804) 780-1000. Citizens can also download the "P3 Tips" app for their mobile device to submit their tip. Both Crime Stoppers methods are anonymous.

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Suspect Vehicle