

## **CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

POLICE DEPARTMENT



## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## DOVER POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES ARREST IN BURGLARY INVESTIGATION

**DOVER, NH**, December 11, 2023 - Chief William Breault of the Dover Police Department announces that an arrest has been made from multiple burglaries that occurred during the overnight hours of December  $3^{rd}$  into December  $4^{th}$ , 2023.

On the morning of December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023, three businesses located in the north end of the city discovered that their properties had been burglarized. The investigation revealed that money and supplies had been stolen by a male suspect who unlawfully entered the buildings.

Detectives with the department's Special Investigations Unit, with the assistance of investigators from Maine, were able to identify the suspect as Thomas Hendrix, a 40-year-old male from Sanford, Maine. Hendrix was aided by 59-year-old Diana Bishop, also of Sanford, who provided Hendrix transportation to Dover and the victimized businesses.

On the afternoon of Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, Dover Police detectives obtained arrest warrants for both Hendrix and Bishop, charging each with multiple counts of burglary. Hendrix was arrested by the York County Sheriff's Department at the York County Jail, where he was being held on an unrelated offense. He remains in the custody of York County and was charged as a Fugitive from Justice.

Bishop remains at large and was last known to be in the Sanford or Biddeford area. Dover Police investigators are continuing to work with Maine authorities to locate and arrest Bishop. She is a white female, 5' 04" tall, weighing approximately 135 pounds, with brown hair and blue eyes. She is known to drive a white 2001 Toyota Camry with Maine registration 1208XW. While there is no information to suggest that she is armed or violent, the public is asked to not confront Bishop and rather to call their local police department.

This investigation was substantially aided by the Sanford, ME Police Department, the Kennebunk, ME Police Department, the York County Sheriff's Office, and the Biddeford, ME Police Department. The Dover Police Department is thankful for those agencies' cooperation and assistance with this investigation.



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Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Dover Police Department at 603-742-4646. Anonymous tips may be called into the Dover Crimeline at 603-749-6000 or via <a href="https://www.dovernhcrimeline.org">www.dovernhcrimeline.org</a>.

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