



CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Chief of Police

Media Release



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Chief William Breault of the Dover Police Department announces the arrest of Robert Bowman, 34 years old, of 75 Franklin Street, Somersworth, NH, for two counts of Burglary. Each of the charges is a Class B Felony.

The charges are a result of an investigation conducted by Dover Police Department after two burglaries were reported at St. Joseph's Church located at 150 Central Avenue. The first burglary, which occurred on June 3, 2018, was reported after clergy members discovered money and gift cards were missing. During the commission of the second burglary, on September 2, 2018, Bowman was interrupted by a priest and fled the area before police arrived.

After the investigation, Dover Police Department detectives obtained an arrest warrant for Bowman and he turned himself in at approximately 10:00 AM on September 7, 2018. Bowman was released on personal recognizance bail and is scheduled to be arraigned in the Strafford County Superior Court on September 20, 2018 at 12:30 P.M.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Dover Police Department at 603-742-4646 or the Dover Crimeline at 603-749-6000. The Dover Crimeline can also be contacted via www.dovernhcrimeline.org.

Media inquiries concerning this case can be directed to Sgt. Mark Nadeau of the Dover Police Department at 603-742-4646 or m.nadeau@dover.nh.gov.