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### MULTI-AGENCY INVESTIGATION LEADS TO ARRESTS

On 01/10/2008, Investigators from the Humboldt County District Attorney's Office, assisted by officers/agents from the Eureka Police Department, Humboldt County Sheriff's Department, Bureau of land management, and Humboldt County Drug Task Force served search warrants at three locations in Eureka as part of a complex, multi-agency, burglary and robbery investigation.

Located and arrested during the operation were Nathan William Bartlett, 33, of Eureka and Rebecca Louise Hamline, 27, also of Eureka. Both were arrested for (7) counts of vehicle burglary, (2) counts of auto theft, (1) count of robbery, and (1) count of vehicle vandalism. Both were booked into the Humboldt County Correctional Facility where they remain. Bail is set at \$250,000, and both are scheduled to appear in court for arraignment on 01/14/2008.

Seized as a result of the search warrants were items identified as having been stolen from multiple vehicle burglaries in Northern Humboldt County. Also seized as being suspected stolen property were several cellular telephones, keys, and digital music players. Investigators are continuing their efforts to identify this property and/or the burglaries from which they came.

The investigation has so far determined that Hamline and Bartlett targeted areas where vehicles were parked and remained for a significant period of time, such as parking lots, beaches, churches, Park & Ride facilities, and state parks. Anyone who has been the victim of a recent vehicle burglary is encouraged to prepare a detailed list of the stolen property. After doing so, please contact DA investigator, Wayne Cox at 707-268-2591 or by e-mail at [wcox@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:wcox@co.humboldt.ca.us).

Also arrested as a result of the operation were Dennis Keith Cox, 29, of Eureka, and Desiree Dawn Visser, 30, also of Eureka. Both were arrested for various drug violations and remain in custody at the Humboldt County Correctional Facility.



