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For Immediate Release:

SUBJECT: Port St. Lucie Police asking for public's help in identifying credit card fraud/auto burglary suspect.

On April 26, 2016 at 5: 51 pm, Port St. Lucie Police went to Planet Fitness, located at 3225 SW Port St. Lucie Boulevard, for report of a car burglary. The victim told police that he placed his gym bag in an unsecured locker while he worked out at the gym. After working out the victim retrieved his gym bag and noticed that his sunglasses and car keys were missing from the bag. The victim then went to his car and noticed the car was unlocked and his wallet was missing from the glove box of the car.

During the investigation police learned that the victim's credit card, which was in his wallet, was used shortly after the burglary at S & M Smoke Shop, located at 914 SW Gatlin Boulevard. Security surveillance video showed the suspect using the stolen credit card to purchase items at the smoke shop.

The suspect is described as a white or Latin male, 25 – 35 years old, muscular build, with black hair, wearing sunglasses, sleeveless t-shirt, plaid shorts, and a book bag.

Police are asking if you have any information on this case or if you recognize the suspect to call the Port St. Lucie Police Department at (772) 871-5001 or Treasure Coast Crime Stoppers at 1-800-273 TIPS.



NEED TO IDENTIFY

B.O.L.O. – CREDIT CARD FRAUD/ AUTO BURGLARY SUSPECT
Planet Fitness (3225 SW Port St. Lucie Blvd.)



SUSPECT
White or Hispanic Male, 25-35 yrs. old
Muscular Build, Black hair
Riding a mountain bike
(Wearing a sunglasses, sleeveless t-shirt, plaid shorts, and a backpack)

CASE #2016-09513

On 4/26/16 at approx. 1716 hours, the above pictured **suspect (W/M or H/M)** used a stolen credit card at the **S & M Smoke Shop located at 914 SW Gatlin Blvd** in Port St. Lucie, FL. make a fraudulent purchase. The credit card was stolen between 1630-1715 hours on the same day from a vehicle parked in the parking lot at Planet Fitness (3225 SW Port St. Lucie Blvd).

The victim's vehicle was burglarized after the **suspect(s) made entry into an unsecured gym locker at Planet Fitness** where the victim's keys and sunglasses was stolen from a gym bag within the locker. The suspect(s) subsequently used the stolen keys to enter the victim's vehicle and steal the victim's wallet from the glove box.

If anyone has information pertaining to the identity of the above suspect, please contact:

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