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Stolen vehicle investigation leads to four arrests

Salem, Ore. — The Felony Crime Unit investigators arrested several individuals today as part of two separate investigations involving stolen motorcycles.

The overall investigation led the detectives to a storage facility in the 1800 block of 22nd ST SE. Detectives located one of the stolen motorcycles and three suspects, two adults and a juvenile. They attempted to escape in a vehicle but were apprehended. The service of a search warrant for the involved vehicle and the storage unit resulted in the seizure of a short-barreled shotgun, a handgun, body armor, and several pieces of stolen mail.

At approximately 10:20 a.m., while detectives were still at the scene, two motorcycle riders arrived in the area in plain sight of the officers. One of the riders fired multiple gunshots into the air, then the two fled at a high rate of speed.

The suspects were spotted about 15 minutes later near State ST and Lancaster DR, and a pursuit was initiated with one of the suspects. The pursuit ended near Lancaster DR and Rickey ST SE when the fleeing suspect hit the curb and crashed the motorcycle. The suspect was quickly apprehended. The second suspect on a motorcycle was not apprehended.

Arrested at the investigation scene were Zakiry Davis, age 18 of Salem, and Natalie Genene Hefley, age 32 of Mill City. The pair were lodged at the [Marion County Jail](#), each on motor vehicle theft charges. A 15-year-old boy involved in the incident was also detained and transported to the [Marion County Juvenile Department](#).

Zayn Free Bristow, age 25 of Mill City, was also lodged at the Marion County Jail on the following charges:

- Unlawful use of a motor vehicle, two counts
- Possession of a stolen vehicle, two counts
- Felon in possession of body armor
- Elude
- Reckless driving
- Mail theft
- Identity theft

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Arrest follows for Bristow on Friday, July 12, at 2:30 p.m. at the [Marion County Criminal Court Annex](#).

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SMP24058964 Items seized in the investigation.