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Community Crime Alert

Case #: USF19OFF000765

Alert: 2019-016

Date of Alert: October 4, 2019

Offense: Auto Theft

Synopsis: On October 4, 2019 at approximately 9 a.m., the University of South Florida Police Department received notification of a stolen vehicle from the parking lot of the Embassy Suites Hotel on campus.

While at the hotel, the victim realized he left other property in his vehicle. He returned to retrieve the property at which time he realized the vehicle was missing.

Upon further investigation, it was discovered that the vehicle was located in the vicinity of Busch Blvd and 22nd Street, which is the jurisdiction of Tampa Police Department.

Tampa Police later arrested three (3) suspects. The vehicle and property were recovered.

Students are encouraged to remember the following safety tips:

- Close all windows, lock all doors and activate anti-theft devices.
- Don't leave items of value in plain sight.
- Park in well-lit and heavily populated areas when possible.
- If you see suspicious activity, call 9-1-1 or 813-974-2628 for non-emergencies.

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