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AUTO BURGLARY

*****Surveillance Video Footage Available*****

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating an auto burglary that occurred on October 2, 2012 at approximately 1:30 A.M. The burglary occurred at 2832 Northeast 35th Court in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

The victim of this burglary contacted police when he observed one of the door handles to his truck to be broken. The victim has been victimized in the past and as a result installed a security surveillance system.

The surveillance video shows three suspects occupying what appears to be a small, light colored, Lexus SUV. The suspects park in the roadway, directly across from the victim's house. One suspect remains inside the vehicle to serve as a look out. The other two suspects exit the vehicle, one walking towards this residence and the other, across the street to the neighbor's driveway. The surveillance video shows the suspect approaching the victim's truck pulling on both the front and rear driver side door handles. The suspect then attempts to open the toolbox on the bed of the truck. When the suspect begins to walk away, he notices the surveillance cameras and returns to the truck to wipe the handles with his shirt.

One of the suspects is being described as a white male, approximately 18-20 years old, 5' 8", 170 pounds, last seen wearing a striped sleeveless shirt, shorts, and black sandals.

Anyone with further information regarding the identity of these suspects or this incident is urged to contact Detective Matt Finstad at 954-828-6559 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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