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DEPUTIES ARREST MALE ATTEMPTING TO BREAK INTO VEHICLES IN THE ORMOND AREA

Today, January 8, 2024, just after 3:30 am, deputies responded to the report of a person pulling on the door handles of vehicles in the 30 block of Dunleith Drive in Destrehan. The complainant provided a video of a person wearing a black hoodie and white sweatpants. When the person was unable to get into the locked vehicles, they left the area in a black Mercedes SUV.

Assisting deputies attempted to locate the black Mercedes SUV and learned from a witness that a vehicle matching its description was seen driving on Villere Drive in Destrehan.

Deputies located and stopped the vehicle in the 100 block of Villere Drive. The SUV was driven by a male dressed in clothing matching the description from the video. He was later identified as Nehemiah Miller Norman, a twenty-three-year-old male from the Marrero area.

Nehemiah Miller Norman was arrested and charged with two counts of Attempted Simple Burglary of a Vehicle, Fugitive, and a 29th JDC Attachment.

This is an ongoing investigation.

If anyone has any information regarding this incident, they are asked to contact Detective Jenni Barrette with the St. Charles Parish Sheriff's Office at jbarrette@stcharlessheriff.org, (985) 783-6807, or (985) 783-1135.