CASE NUMBER: 17-6589

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 9/20/2017

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NATURE OF STORY: Lane County Sheriff’s Office Investigates Theft of Marion County Sheriff’s Office Uniforms - Urges Community to Be Aware of Police Impersonators

LOCATION: Eugene

DETAILS:

On 9/20/2017, the Lane County Sheriff’s Office received a report of a theft from a vehicle in the Eugene area. Among the items taken from the vehicle were uniforms from the Marion County Sheriff’s Office, including 2 pairs of green BDU type pants, 2 Marion County Sheriff’s Office metal badges, an empty weapon holster, 2 black polo shirts with Marion County Sheriff’s Office insignia, a black fleece jacket, a nylon handcuff case and ASP holder, and a black duffle bag.

The Lane County Sheriff’s Office is investigating the theft, as it presents a safety issue for the community to have those items that identify law enforcement personnel in the wrong hands. We encourage community members to beware of police impersonators as we investigate this theft.

The Lane County Sheriff’s Office is asking anyone who has information about the theft to call 541-682-4141.
LANE COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE

NEWS RELEASE

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