



**POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

**MEDIA RELEASE**

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Larceny and Fraud	07/03/2021 at 0826 hours	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
21BU009966	Burlington's South End and Essex Junction's Walgreens and Kinney Drug	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Detective Corporal Kratochvil	540-2308	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Det. Kratochvil	LT. James Trieb	
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Unknown person	unk	Unknown
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		

**NARRATIVE:**

In the morning of 07/03/2021 a victim contacted the Burlington Police to report he was visiting his fiancé in Burlington's South End when he discovered his wallet stolen from their car. Later he learned that his cards had been fraudulently used to make mostly gift card purchases at the Walgreens and the Kinney Drug stores in Essex Junction, VT. A card was also used to make fraudulent transfers to a PayPal account. In total, more than a thousand dollars was fraudulently obtained by the suspect.

Video from the Walgreens and Kinney Drug stores show that the suspect is a light skinned, likely male, with a distinctive tattoo on the right hand, wearing camouflage pants, and a white hooded Champion brand sweatshirt.

Most notably, the suspect was accompanied by a very cute puppy that is brown with white spots on its left ear, left front foot, and nose.

Pictures of the suspect, hand tattoo, and cute puppy are attached. The puppy has a long tail, but in the video still it is wagging so fast that it's hard to see.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704.

*Information is preliminary and subject to change.*