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SIX DUVAL COUNTY TEENS APPREHENDED FOR AUTO BURGLARIES IN VERMONT HEIGHTS

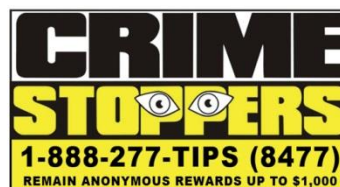
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Five Jacksonville teenagers were arrested and a 15 year-old charged early this morning after four of them fled from a crashed vehicle. The five arrested suspects were identified as **Devin Demont Booker**, 18, 8980 Grampian Dr. N., **Joselin Alley Largura**, 18, 320 Beach Ave., **Isaiah Lamar Tomory**, 18, 1936 Layton Rd., **Brandon K. Council**, 16, 1140 Kendall Town Blvd. #314, **Deshawn Terrell Minor**, 16, 533 University Blvd. N. Currently, all six are facing a single Armed Burglary to a conveyance charge, but are suspects in multiple other car burglaries that occurred throughout the county early this (Friday) morning, some of which are still being reported. In addition, Council is facing two counts of hit and run crash with property damage and operating a motor vehicle without a license.

The investigation began shortly before 5:00 a.m. this morning when deputies responded to a report of suspicious circumstances at a Vermont Heights neighborhood. A vehicle with numerous subjects was allegedly checking for unlocked vehicles in the Country Walk neighborhood. Responding deputies located a vehicle matching the description and the driver attempted to flee the area. The driver also crashed into a sign and a tree in the 300 block of W. New England Dr. before four of the subjects fled on foot. The two females were apprehended at the scene and the other four were captured over the next few hours. During the investigation, information was acquired that also led investigators to a stolen car, which was recovered at an area church parking lot.

Detectives observed numerous alleged stolen property items inside the suspects' vehicle and additional charges are pending further investigation to include forensic examinations.

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