

EC SO Arrest Three Commercial Burglary Suspects

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From: Sheriff McDuffie



Three commercial burglary suspects are now in custody following an early morning burglary at the El Cheapo gas station at Ga. 17 and Midland Road in Effingham County. At approximately 2:30 a.m. deputies responded to the location on a report of an alarm. Deputies discovered the business had been burglarized and several items were taken.



A patrol deputy observed two suspicious individuals walking in the area a short time later. One suspect, Brandon Ennis, 18, of Guyton, was taken into custody and the other fled on foot in a wooded area. After a search, two additional suspects were apprehended. An alert citizen observed Ronald Jones, 25, of Guyton, in the area and notified an off duty sheriff's deputy who was at the Sand Hill Country Store on Sand Hill Road. Jones was taken into custody at that location.



Sheriff's investigators located the third suspect, Shawn Cannaday, 20, of Guyton, walking on Heidt Landing Road where he was taken into custody.

Deputies recovered some of the items taken in the burglary along with a hammer which was used to gain entry.

Ennis, Cannaday, and Jones have all been charged with commercial burglary, and criminal trespass. They are currently being held in the Effingham County Jail.