

MITCHELL COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

333 Pine St
Colorado City, TX 79512
(325) 728-5261

Case #: 22-021

Report Type: **Offense Report**
Status: **Open**
Reason: **Not Applicable**
Report Date: **3/1/2022**
Title: **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF**

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Incident Date/Time: 2/1/2022 2:37:09 PM - 3/1/2022 11:45:09 AM

Location: North FM 644
Loraine, TX 79532

Cargo Theft

INVESTIGATING OFFICER:

Witte, Jeremiah ID-NR: M3

SIGNATURE: 

REGION/DISTRICT/SGT. AREA: Texas

APPROVING SUPERVISOR:

ID-NR:

SIGNATURE: _____

Suspect Name DOB DL/ID#

Suspect Information Unknown

OFFENSE INFORMATION:

OFFENSE # 1

Offender: ---
Offense: **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF >=\$750<\$2,500**
Day/Date/Time: **Tuesday, 2/1/2022 2:37 PM**
Offense Address: **North FM 644**
City, County, State, Zip: **Loraine, Mitchell, TX 79532**
Location Type: **Industrial Site**
Entry Location: ---
Exit Location: ---
Officers: **Jeremiah Witte #M3**
Weapon Types Used : ---
Bias Motivations: **None (no bias)**
Suspected of Using: **Not Applicable**
Criminal Activity: ---
Gang Type: ---
Animal Cruelty: ---

To Day/Date/Time: **Tuesday, 3/1/2022 11:45 AM**
Classification: **Class A Misdemeanor**
Status: **Completed**
DPS Offense Code: **29990043**
Statute Citation: **28.03 (b)(3)(A)**

OFFENSE # 2

Offender: **, TOM**
Offense: **THEFT OF MATERIAL ALUM/BRNZ/COPPER/BRASS <\$30K**
Day/Date/Time: **Tuesday, 2/1/2022 2:37 PM**
Offense Address: **North FM 644**
City, County, State, Zip: **Loraine, Mitchell, TX 79532**
Location Type: **Industrial Site**
Entry Location: ---
Exit Location: ---
Officers: **Jeremiah Witte #M3**
Weapon Types Used : ---
Bias Motivations: **None (no bias)**
Suspected of Using: **Not Applicable**
Criminal Activity: ---
Gang Type: ---
Animal Cruelty: ---

To Day/Date/Time: **Tuesday, 3/1/2022 11:45 AM**
Classification: **State Jail Felony**
Status: **Attempted**
DPS Offense Code: **23990197**
Statute Citation: **31.03 (e)(4)(F)**

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VICTIM INFORMATION:**VICTIM**

Name: **Wind Farm, Loraine**
Address: ---
County: ---
City, State, Zip: ---, ---, ---

DOB:	03/01/2022	DL Number:	---
Age:	Under 24 Hours	ID Card Number:	---
Race/Gender:	Unknown / Unknown	SSN:	---
Ethnicity:	Unknown	Home Phone:	---
Height/Weight:	5' 11" / 160	Cell Phone:	---
Build:	Medium	Occupation:	---
Hair/Eyes:	Brown / Hazel	Employer:	---
Complexion:	Light	Work Phone:	---
Alias:	---		
Scars:	---		
Marks:	---		
Tattoos:	---		
Disabilities:	---		

REPORTER INFORMATION:

Name: **BURT, QUINTEN THOMAS**
Address: **9049 PR 356**
County: **SELECT**
City, State, Zip: **HAWLEY, TX 79525**

DOB:	07/06/1995	DL Number:	34548504 TX
Race/Gender:	White / Male	ID Card Number:	---
Ethnicity:	Not Hispanic	SSN:	---
Height/Weight:	5' 11" / 160 lbs.	Home Phone:	---
Build:	Medium	Cell Phone:	---
Hair/Eyes:	Brown / Hazel	Occupation:	---
Complexion:	Light	Employer:	---
		Work Phone:	---
Alias:	---		
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PROPERTY INFORMATION:

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Make:	na	Estimated Value:	\$500.00
Model:	na	Estimated Damage:	\$0.00
Property Type:	Jewelry/Precious Metals/Gems	Actual Value:	\$0.00
Serial Number:	na	Damage Level:	---
Owner:	Wind Farm, Loraine	Status:	Destroyed/Damaged/Vandalize
Insurance Company:	---	Policy Number:	---
Expiration Date:	---	Policy Holder:	---
Agent:	---	Phone Number:	---
Marks:	---	Recovered Date:	---
Description:	copper wire		

Location : Driver:

Address: North FM 644
County: Mitchell
City, State, Zip: Loraine Texas 79532

EVIDENCE INFORMATION:

VIDEO EVIDENCE

Evidence Collected: Yes No
Evidence Type: Still Photographs

NARRATIVE:

On Tuesday March 1st, 2022 Tonya Scott contacted Mitchell County Sheriff's Office to report that a lock had been broken off of a box. Tonya works for Loraine Wind Farm. I, Deputy Jeremiah Witte, drove to 4274 County Road 446 to meet with Tonya. 4274 County Road 446 is north of Loraine and is the main office address for Loraine Wind Farm. I met with Tonya at approximately 11:45 am. Tonya told me that someone had broken off a lock to a junction box and didn't believe that anything had been taken. Tonya contacted BURT, QUINTEN to have him meet me at the location of the junction box.

I drove to North 644 just north of FM 1899. The site was for Turbine Location 69. At this time, there is not a windmill at this location just the pad for the windmill. Just south of this location is a feeder junction box, F7-JCT #7C. There was a master lock on the junction box that had been broken off of the box. There was also some other damage to the front of the box. The approximate damage for the box and lock is \$1,000. The lock appeared to have been hit with a hammer. The lock wasn't cut.

I asked Quinten to open the box so I could look inside of the box. Quinten advised that he believed that unknown person(s) had tried to take the copper wire out of the box but was unable to remove the wire. There was some extra copper wire inside the box that was cut. Less than 2 feet of Copper Wire was removed from the box.

Quinten advised that he was doing his monthly inspection for Loraine Wind Farm. Quinten did tell me that he works for Permian. The theft and damage was done sometime between February 1st and March 1st. The case is under investigation.