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**NEWS
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12/02/2021

Vehicle Stolen With Dog Inside

Date/Time: 12/01/2021 at 11:24 AM
Location: 7664 Alameda, El Paso, Texas
Vehicle: 2020 Jeep Wrangler
Offender: Unknown

El Paso, Texas – On Wednesday, December 1st, the El Paso Police Department’s Auto Theft Task Force (ATTF) recovered a vehicle that was stolen with a dog inside. The person driving the vehicle reported she arrived at work and momentarily left the vehicle unattended with the engine running as she was going to open the gates to the business. An unknown offender then entered the vehicle and drove away with the vehicle and the dog. The Auto Theft Task Force was able to locate the vehicle at an apartment complex on Montana Avenue. The vehicle and the dog have been returned to their owners. The investigation continues.

A reminder from the El Paso Police Department not to leave your vehicle running while unattended, not only is it an invitation to a crime, but it is also against the law. (Texas Transportation Code, Sec. 545.404 Unattended Motor Vehicle)

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