



# **HAWTHORNE**

# **POLICE DEPARTMENT**

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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On 11/22/09, at around 9 pm, Officers responded to the CVS Pharmacy at 11831 Hawthorne Blvd on a report of suspects breaking into the storage area inside the store. According to store employees, they noticed that the suspects broke the locks and gained access to the rear storage area (while the store was open for business) and was stealing boxes of liquor. An employee spotted the suspects and called the police. The suspects ran out the back door and left in a vehicle.

Officers located the vehicle as it was leaving. The suspects led Officers in a brief vehicle pursuit in the neighborhood where the suspect eventually stopped the car and ran away on foot. He was immediately captured by pursuing Officers.

Officers discovered over \$2500 worth of liquor in the car that they just stole from the CVS store. Investigators are looking for the outstanding suspect who got away. The driver of the car was arrested and booked at the Hawthorne Police Department.

Arrested:

David Brown, 33 yrs old, from Hawthorne.