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Media Release

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Re: Five Juveniles Charged with Commercial Burglary of Gulf Coast Middle School

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On 02-29-20, Hernando County Sheriff's deputies responded to a residence in Spring Hill regarding the resident possibly having information concerning a Commercial Burglary that recently occurred.

Upon arrival, deputies met with an adult male who advised one of his foster children came home with two archery bows that had stickers on them indicating they belonged to Gulf Coast Middle School. When the child was asked how and where he got the bows from, the child stated that he and his two foster brothers, along with two of their friends had been playing down at the school. While at the school, the juveniles entered an unlocked storage shed on the property, where they found the bows and several arrows.

The juveniles removed the bows and arrows from the shed, shooting some of the arrows while still on or near the school property. The juveniles then left the school property, taking the bows and arrows with them. The juveniles hid the items in the bushes next to the house where the foster children lived.

When questioned by their foster father regarding their activities, one of the juveniles went outside and retrieved the bows, telling the adult they had been taken from the school. All three of the children provided sworn statements to the deputy regarding their part in the crime.

Deputies then went to another residence, a short distance away, to make contact with the fourth suspect. The juvenile provided a very similar version of the story in a sworn statement to deputies.

Deputies responded to a third residence to interview the last suspect. Again, the juvenile provided a very similar version of the story in a sworn statement to deputies.

Deputies then met with the Principal of the school who confirmed that the only portion of the school that had been burglarized was the shed.

All five juveniles were placed under arrest for Burglary. The juveniles are as follows:

- **Tony Dewayne Collins** – 13 years of age
- **Sean English** – 13 years of age
- **Calvin Llewellyn Graham Jr.** – 17 years of age
- **Ethan Angel Raimondi** – 15 years of age
- **Dale Matthew Ryan** – 15 years of age.

All juveniles were transported to the Hernando County Detention Center.

Per the Department of Juvenile Justice, Calvin Graham will be tried as an adult and will be held at the Hernando County Detention Center on a \$2,000 bond.

The remaining four juveniles were released to their parents/guardians.

The Office of Sheriff:

The Office of the Sheriff is established by the Florida Constitution. As a constitutional officer, the Sheriff has the exclusive authority to administer his or her agency and is responsible for preserving the peace throughout the entire county, carrying out the laws of the state, the orders of Florida courts, and the ordinances of the Board of County Commissioners. The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement and correctional officer of the county.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis was initially appointed as the Sheriff of Hernando County by the Governor in January of 2011. He was then elected by the people of Hernando County in 2012, ran unopposed in 2016, and remains accountable to them.