

## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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## **Media Release**

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Re: Two Temple Terrace Men Charged in Thefts of Fragrances from Ulta Beauty

Date: April 9, 2021

On 03-02-2021 at approximately 12:46 p.m., two males wearing facemasks entered the Ulta Beauty store located at 7211 Coastal Boulevard in Brooksville and began stealing numerous cologne and perfume bottles from the store's shelves.

The men got into a dark-colored vehicle and fled the area.

Deputies collected images from the store's security footage and issued an alert bulletin for the suspects.

With assistance from the Clearwater Police Department, the two suspects were identified as Caribe King Jr. DOB/03-11-1997 and Surgeo Hollis DOB/05-12-2000.

Additionally, the vehicle used by the suspects in the thefts was registered to Hollis' brother.

On 03-10-2021, detectives made contact with Hollis' probation officer who positively identified one of the suspects in the alert bulletin as Hollis.

On 04-07-2021, detectives obtained warrants for both King and Hollis. On 04-08-2021, officers with the Temple Terrace Police Department were able to locate and arrest both King and Hollis on the Hernando County warrant.

King and Hollis were transported to the Orient Road Hillsborough County detention center on a charge of **Grand Theft**.

Additional investigations are occurring in separate Ulta Beauty thefts incidents on 01-29-2021 and 04-07-2021. No additional details are available on those investigations at this time.

## 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 was reelected in 2020. Sheriff Nienhuis remains accountable to the people of Hernando County.