



# BLOOMFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## PRESS RELEASE

**Incident Date:** November 16, 2024  
**Incident Location:** 325 Cottage Grove Road (Lowes)  
**Incident Type:** Robbery  
**Case Number:** 24-33195  
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On the above date and time, officers were dispatched to Lowes on the report of a male and female in a white pickup truck appearing to get ready to enter the store. The truck and suspects were recognized for previous larcenies occurring in Newington and Bloomfield. As officers approached the truck, it quickly took off. Officers then pursued the vehicle into Hartford. With the assist of Hartford Policer, officers were finally able to have the vehicle stopped on Route 44 and Irving St in Hartford. Where the suspect vehicle collided with a light post in Hartford and sustained front end damage. A BPD Cruiser sustained damage to the front right passenger's side as a result of the suspect's vehicle rolling back and colliding with the cruiser. Both suspects were arrested, and the truck was seized.

Theodore Tobias 53 Yoa  
Various Motor Vehicle Charges  
Investigation into the robbery continues with BPD Detective Unit

Portia Bick: 34 Yoa  
Possession of Controlled Substance

