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Media Release

Overnight, Sumter County Detectives arrested 5 juveniles whose ages range from 15-17 years old, who are believed to be involved in a string of burglaries and grand thefts spanning several weeks and occurring in multiple Central Florida counties.

A witness to a vehicle burglary contacted the Sumter County Sheriff's Office and provided a vehicle description. Deputies located a vehicle matching the description and conducted a traffic stop, where they spotted a firearm in plain sight. A search of the vehicle found the juveniles in possession of numerous firearms, narcotics, and personal property including credit cards. One of the recovered firearms has already been linked to a victim within Sumter County.

During this ongoing investigation, Sumter County Detectives are actively attempting to locate additional victims and are assisting other agencies with their investigations. Further information will be available at a later time.

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