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Two Arrested in ATM Robberies, Third Suspect Still Outstanding

Tacoma, Wash. – From late December through early January, the Tacoma Police Department investigated a series of armed robberies to community members at walk-up ATM locations near 72nd & Pacific and 56th & S Tacoma Way. A total of 10 armed robberies were reported by community members.

During the investigation, detectives identified three suspects, along with a vehicle that was used in all 10 of the robberies. Probable cause was developed for the arrest of the three suspects.

On January 10, 2023, officers arrested 20-year-old Devon Mathis at a home in Tacoma. Mathis was booked for ten counts of Robbery in the First Degree and is currently held at the Pierce County Jail on \$750,000 bail.

On January 17, 2023, officers arrested 18-year-old Tofili Malo at an apartment in Tacoma. Malo was booked for five counts of Robbery in the First Degree and is currently held at the Pierce County Jail on \$300,000 bail.

Investigators recovered firearms during both arrests, one with an illegal full-auto modification.

A third suspect was identified as 21-year-old Emmanuel Brown. Brown is still outstanding, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest for Robbery in the First Degree. A Crime Stoppers bulletin was released this afternoon asking for the public's help in locating Brown who is considered armed and dangerous.

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