



**POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Stolen Vehicle	January 17, 2022 at 1113 hours	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
22BO000706	Shelburne Rd, Burlington	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Ofc. D. Lacouture (#375)	(802) 540-2165	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Sgt. Michael Henry	Lt. Nguyen	
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Jason Braasch	45	Burlington, VT
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Jason Braasch was arrested for Possession of Stolen Property (Felony), Operating without Owner's Consent (Misdemeanor), Violation of Conditions of Release (4 counts), and Driving while License Suspended-Criminally.		

NARRATIVE:

On January 17, 2022 at approximately 1113 hours, Burlington Police Department responded to the 300 block of Shelburne Rd for a reported stolen vehicle.

Officer arrived on scene and met with the victim. The victim advised they dropped the vehicle off for vehicle maintenance and left the vehicle keys inside an overnight drop box. The victim checked on their vehicle using a GPS system equipped with the vehicle and noticed the vehicle was in Winooski, VT. The victim went to the business and confirmed their vehicle was missing.

The vehicle was tracked to a parking lot in South Burlington where Officers made contact with the occupants of the vehicle. The operator was identified as Jason Braasch, age 45. Braasch was taken into custody and transported to the Burlington Police Department.

Braasch has 9 sets of active court conditions. One court condition stipulated Braasch cannot drive any motor vehicle unless he has a valid driver's license, one that is not suspended or expired or revoked. A second set of active conditions stipulated Braasch had 24 hour curfew approved by the courts.

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Braasch's criminal history showed 4 failures to appear, 1 violation of court orders with 1 conviction, 7 felony charges with 4 convictions, 5 misdemeanor charges with 5 convictions, and 3 violation of probation and parole charges.

Braasch was lodged on \$2,500.00 bail at Northwest Correctional Facility. Braasch will appear in court on January 18, 2022 at 1030 hours to answer to the above stated charges.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704.

Investigation is still pending and this is preliminary information being released and is subject to change pending new information or leads.

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