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On November 9, 2011, the Nampa Police Department arrested Spencer Alexander Jarrett, a 20 year old Nampa resident, for 2 counts of Grand Theft (one involving a stolen firearm) and one count of Burglary. The burglary occurred at a home in the 500 block of Copper River Drive on October 30, 2011 at 0300 hours, and the grand theft charges were related to thefts that occurred between October 19 and November 8th also in the 500 block of Copper River Dr.

Stolen property included jewelry a shotgun and other personal property. During the burglary on October 30th, Jarrett entered an unlocked residence while the homeowners were sleeping, and took property from within the house.

Jarrett was apprehended thanks to the awareness of neighbors and the helpfulness of Vista Pawn. A neighbor led detectives to a possible suspect living nearby. Detectives were then able to locate items pawned by the potential suspect matching the stolen property. Detectives alerted the Pawn Shop and then received a call from Vista Pawn when this individual returned to pawn another item (the stolen gun). Detectives were able to make an arrest in these cases due to the helpfulness of these parties.

We value the partnerships that we have with local businesses that help us locate criminals and hold them accountable for their actions. Observant residents and community partners truly make a difference in reducing crime. Please help reduce your potential for being a burglary or theft victim by locking the doors and windows to your residence when you are asleep or when you are not at home.

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