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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Date: 11/15/19

### **Serial Night-time Prowler**

#### **UPDATE:**

**David Bowers was released from the Butte County Jail on November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 following his arrest on October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 for prowling at Pick and Pull and an outstanding warrant.**

**Hours after Bowers' release, on November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 0125 hours, the Chico Police Department responded to the report of a prowler at Habitat for Humanity (220 Meyers Street, Chico). Officers observed a subject at the rear of the business sorting through donated items. The subject fled the immediate area but was captured after a lengthy manhunt which included the assistance of K9 Aron.**

**The subject was identified as David Bowers by the same Officers who had arrested him at Pick and Pull two weeks prior. Bowers was arrested for Burglary and transported to the Butte County Jail.**

#### **Chico, CA –**

During the early morning hours of Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 patrol officers responded to the report of a burglary alarm at Pick and Pull (397 E. Park Ave., Chico).

The alarm company had contacted 911 to report a subject within the fenced area of the property going through vehicles.

Responding officers located the subject, later identified as 32-year-old local transient David Bowers, inside the fenced area of the business. Bowers was uncooperative and fled on foot to an adjacent property.

Units monitoring the perimeter of the business were able to keep Bowers contained while K9 Aron and his handler were brought in to search for Bowers. K9 Aron located Bowers hiding under debris in an adjacent property. Bowers was arrested without further incident.

This is the third time the Chico Police Department has arrested Bowers for stealing from Pick and Pull in 2019.

Bowers was transported to the Butte County Jail for a charge of 647(h) PC - Prowling.

Case Number: 19-8362  
Location: 220 Meyers Street, Chico  
Date/Time: 11/15/19 01:25 AM  
Suspect(s): David Bowers (32 years of age) of Chico, CA  
Victim: Habitat for Humanity  
Supervisor: Sergeant Joel Schmid  
Watch Commander: Commander Aldridge



David Bowers

Prior Booking Photograph

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