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## **Burglary Arrest**

Location of Incident: 10500 Block of S. Fortuna Road -Yuma, AZ

On Wednesday, September 3, 2025, at approximately 02:05 AM, Yuma County Sheriff Deputies were dispatched to a vehicle burglary in progress in the 10500 Block of S. Fortuna Road.

The initial investigation revealed, a group of Yuma visitors were in town for dove hunting season when a victim heard a car alarm going off in the parking lot of their hotel. The victim looked outside the window and saw the suspect's legs hanging out the rear window of his truck. The victim then woke up his fellow dove hunters, alarming them of the burglary in progress. They went outside to confront the suspect, while also calling law enforcement.

They were able to subdue the suspect by holding him to the ground until law enforcement arrived.

Upon Deputy arrival, the suspect was detained and found in possession of stolen property from one vehicle that was broken into and a second vehicle that was left unlocked. Additional stolen property was located stashed behind nearby bushes, to include ammunition, firearms, and miscellaneous items.

The suspect, identified as **Kobe Young**, 24, of Yuma, AZ, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for two counts of Burglary and Criminal Damage.

At the time of the arrest, the suspect was found in possession of other possible property stolen from nearby vehicles left unsecured. Victims are still being identified.

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office would like to remind the community to take proper security measures; do not leave vehicles unlocked, do not leave valuable property in your vehicle, and please report any suspicious activity.

Anyone with information, please contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at 928-783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at <a href="https://www.yumacountysheriff.org">www.yumacountysheriff.org</a> to submit an anonymous tip.

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