



St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office
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NEWS RELEASE

Identity Sought: Theft

LEONARDTOWN, MD (February 18, 2026) - The St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office is seeking to identify and locate a suspect in connection with a theft.

On Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2026, at approximately 2:40 p.m., the subject shown in these surveillance camera images entered the Birdies convenience store in Mechanicsville, used the ATM to withdraw money, and then found and took an additional amount of cash that the previous ATM user had forgotten to take.

The suspect, described as a white male dressed in brown pants, a blue jacket, and a light-colored hat, left the store in a dark blue Chevrolet truck.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Deputy Myles Chase-Johnson at 301-475-4200, ext. 8175, or by email at Myles.ChaseJohnson@stmaryscountymd.gov. Please reference case #2026-6711.

Tipsters can also submit tips anonymously and may be eligible for a cash reward if the information leads to an arrest.

- Text **847411**, starting your message with “**SMCSO**”, add a space, and then your tip.
- Online: Submit a tip through the Sheriff's Office website at www.FirstSheriff.com/tips.
- App: Send a tip directly through the **SMCSO** app. Download the free app from the **Google Play Store** or **Apple App Store**.
- Phone: Call the **Crime Solvers line at 301-475-3333**.

With Crime Solvers, you never have to give your name. You may be eligible for a cash reward if your information leads to an arrest.

