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Sheriff Vernon Bourgeois says that on February 11, 2011, Friday at approximately 2:30 p.m. Terrebonne Parish deputies responded to 6700 block of West Park Ave. Houma in reference to a suspect using a stolen credit card. Deputies arrived at this location and learned that the suspect had already left the store.

Deputies arrived at this location and learned that the suspect used a stolen credit card at this location a few days prior. An employee at this location questioned the suspect regarding the stolen credit card and he realized that deputies were on their way so he fled out of the store. The suspect broke the front glass door as he ran out of the store. Deputies received a detailed description of the suspect to include the clothing he was wearing.

While deputies patrolled the area they received information that the suspect was hiding in the bed of a maroon or red colored Dodge pickup truck. Shortly thereafter deputies observed a Dodge pickup truck at the intersection of Highland Dr. and Alma St. When deputies conducted a traffic stop on this vehicle the suspect jumped out from the bed of this pickup truck and ran down Highland Dr. for a short distance before he was apprehended. The suspect is identified as Rene Anthony Theriot, w/m, age-23, 5373 Bayou Black Dr. Gibson. Theriot was taken into custody without incident.

Theriot was arrested for criminal damage to property and resisting arrest. He was also arrested on warrants for forgery, unauthorized use of an access card, contributing to the delinquency of a juvenile, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of marijuana. Theriot remains in the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's Office Jail on a \$50,000.00 bond.

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