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Man Peaking into Business's Window Leads to Arrest

Suspect caught before breaking into local business

FAYETTE COUNTY, GA- On November 14, 2023, at approximately 2:15 AM, Fayette County Deputies responded to a suspicious person call at a business near Kenwood Road. The unidentified individual was seen wearing a ski mask and peering into the closed business's windows. Upon arrival at the scene, deputies noticed a male matching the description provided by the caller. The individual was identified as Desjuan Toliver, age 29 of LaGrange, GA.

Based on the evidence at hand, it was clear that Toliver had intentions to enter the closed business using pieces of concrete he carried to the storefront. A search of his persons was conducted, leading to the discovery of car keys hidden inside Toliver's sock. Deputies subsequently located a GMC Yukon, and a trailer parked several businesses away containing more pieces of concrete, ratchet straps and moving blankets.

Desjuan Toliver now resides in the Fayette County Jail and is facing charges related to loitering, prowling, and criminal intent to commit burglary. The Fayette County Sheriff's Office commends the great teamwork between this local business, their employees, and the swift response of our deputies, which prevented a potential crime from taking place. This investigation is still on going.