



Public Information Release

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On March 4th, Anthony Jones discovered that his moped scooter had been stolen from his residence in Acworth and called police to report it. Mr. Jones who works at a local grocery store was devastated as his sole source of transportation for getting to work was gone. Soon after the crime was committed Acworth Police were notified that the scooter had been recovered in nearby Bartow County and that the vehicle was located at a local tow yard.

Jones was ecstatic to learn that his scooter had been recovered. Investigators from the Acworth Police Department Criminal Investigations Division, who had been working this case, drove him to the impound yard to pick up his property. Only after the \$250 impound fee was paid, did Jones and the detective learn that the vehicle was inoperable and damaged beyond repair.

Acworth Detectives, turned their focus on locating a new moped for Mr. Jones who was now out \$250 plus the loss of his transportation. Partnering with Mooney Motorsports to find a reasonable price on a new scooter and using funds from the Acworth Police Department's Chaplain Fund, a brand new scooter was purchased for Jones. Detectives also purchased a locking mechanism from Cycle Gear to help prevent this theft from reoccurring.

So all ends well... Anthony can get to work on time on his brand new moped scooter thanks to the caring hearts from the Acworth Police Investigations Division and community partnerships with our local merchants!

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