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NEWS RELEASE

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Chatham County Police Department Searching for Nearly \$100,000 Worth of Items Stolen from Storage Unit

Chatham County, GA (June 1, 2026) – The Chatham County Police Department is asking for the public's help in finding nearly \$100-thousand dollars' worth of items stolen from a storage unit in September.

On September 1, 2025, Chatham County Police Department officers responded to the Extra Space Storage facility located at 330 Johnny Mercer Blvd. for a report of a burglary. A unit had been burglarized and nearly \$100-thousand dollars' worth of art, musical instruments, and household items had been stolen. The stolen items included three paintings worth nearly \$10-thousand dollars each. Photos and descriptions of the paintings are attached.

In December 2025, Chatham County Police Department detectives arrested 31-year-old Hunter Dempsey and charged him in connection with this – and other – storage facility thefts. But detectives have been unable to locate all of the stolen items – including the paintings. Detectives are hopeful that someone may have information that will lead them to the stolen belongings.

Anyone with information about the case is asked to contact police.

Anonymous tips can be sent through the Chatham County Police Department app, or the Department's online tip form found here: <https://police.chathamcountyga.gov/Tips> . You can also call Crime Stoppers at 912-234-2020, where tipsters are anonymous and may qualify for a cash reward.

The Chatham County Police Department is the lead investigative agency in this case, and any information that comes from another source may or may not be accurate at this time.

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