PINE HILL POLICE DEPARTMENT
MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT:	**Criminal Mischief – Multiple Victims**	**DATE/TIME:**	**05/19/2014 5:00AM**
LOCATION:	**Multiple**	**CASE #:**	**2014004928**

Suspects charged with multiple acts of criminal mischief to residential and Borough property

On Monday, May 19th 2014 at 5:00am Officers were dispatched by the area of Grand Avenue for the report of criminal mischief to a vehicle. Responding Officers located multiple vehicles, houses and other property that had been spray painted with black paint. Also vandalized was equipment at the Charles Bowen Recreational Facility, multiple street signs and the Pine Hill Police Department variable message board trailer that was deployed on Madison Avenue. After a canvass of the area, twenty-seven (27) residents were identified as victims, in addition to the Borough of Pine Hill. Many of the victims had not known the damage had been done to their property prior to contact by the Officers.

Investigating Officers obtained surveillance photographs from a concerned resident which depicted two individuals walking in the area during the overnight hours on May 19th. Continued investigation led to the arrest of Joseph Beecroft and Amber Garvey (both of Pine Hill) on May 19th and 20th respectively. Both suspects were charged accordingly in relation to all of the acts of criminal mischief and released pending court.

Anyone with additional information is being asked to contact Det. Pierson at mpierson@pinehillpd.com, or email confidential@pinehillpd.com . Det. Pierson may also be contact be telephone at 856-783-1549 x 412.

Arrested: Joseph Beecroft Age 26
1000 Block of Turnersville Road
Pine Hill, NJ
Pine Hill Charges: Criminal Mischief
Bail Status: ROR pending court

Arrested: Amber Garvey Age 20
100 block of Country Club Road
Pine Hill, NJ
Pine Hill Charges: Criminal Mischief
Bail Status: ROR pending court

DATE/TIME OF RELEASE	RELEASE PREPARED BY	RELEASE APPROVED BY
May 30, 2014 9:00AM	Chief Christopher J. Winters #26	Chief Christopher J. Winters #26

INVESTIGATING OFFICERS	Ptl. Davies / DSgt. Smuda / Det. Pierson

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