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PRESS RELEASE

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The Broome County Sheriff's Office made the following arrests on February 8, 2021:

On February 8, 2021 at about 4:15am, Broome County Sheriff's Office Deputies observed a vehicle traveling on Old Front St. in the Town of Dickinson which matched the description of a vehicle that had been reported stolen out the City of Binghamton. The operator of the vehicle later identified as Chad M. Baker, 48, of Leroy Street, Binghamton, pulled the vehicle, a 2008 Dodge, into the parking lot at 704 Old Front St. As Deputies prepared to approach the vehicle Baker drove away and a vehicle pursuit ensued. Several other marked patrol vehicles assisted and attempted to stop the Dodge. Baker traveled on Front Street into the City of Binghamton turning onto Prospect street, Mygatt street then LaGrange Street, a dead end. Baker pulled into a driveway where he was apprehended and taken into custody without incident.

Baker was transported to the Sheriff's Office headquarters for further investigation. While at the Sheriff's Office a wallet was located in a pocket. The wallet contained identification and credit cards belonging to a different person. The investigation determined the wallet was stolen during a recent burglary.

Baker was charged with the offenses listed below and was released on appearance tickets returnable to the Town of Dickinson Court at a later time.

Baker was charged with the following:

2 counts - Criminal possession of stolen property 4th degree, an E felony
Unlawfully fleeing a police officer in a motor vehicle, a class A misdemeanor

Arrested: Chad M. Baker, of Binghamton, NY