

Atchison businesses targeted by thieves

**(KAIR)--Two Atchison thefts on Wednesday, resulting in losses over \$2,000, are under investigation.**

**According to a release from Atchison Police Chief Mike Wilson, the thefts, believed to be connected, occurred at the AT&T Store, located at 720 U.S. Highway 59, and Walmart, at 1920 U.S. Highway 73.**

**According to Wilson, the investigation focuses on two persons who first went to Walmart, around 1:00 Wednesday afternoon, and took watches, headphones, and a television, valued at \$1,250. Wilson said the pair then went to AT&T where electronic equipment, valued at \$967, was stolen.**

**Wilson said Atchison Police are working with several other law enforcement agencies in Kansas and Missouri that are also investigating thefts believed to have been committed by the same duo.**

**The two Atchison crimes, when totaled, add up to a loss of \$2,217.**

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