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# **PRESS RELEASE**

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**September 24, 2015**

- **Criminal Summons:** On 09/23/15, officers served a Talbot County District Court criminal summons on Mary Beth Gilbert, a 30-year-old from Denton. The summons charges Gilbert with one count of Theft – Scheme under \$10,000.00 and one count of theft less than \$1,000.00. Charging documents state that Gilbert was an employee of the Lowes Home Improvement store in Easton. Since July of 2015, Gilbert had been taking in refunds and pocketing the money. This was done during 48 transactions that were caught on video surveillance. It also shows Gilbert taking four faucets out of the store without paying for the items. The total amount of theft was \$6,148.68. The refunds totaled \$5,580.68 and the faucets totaled \$560.00. When confronted with this information, Gilbert advised that she was guilty of the offenses. Gilbert was released upon her signature to the summons.

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