Shoplift results in four charges including escape lawful custody

On Thursday September 4th Shelburne Police responded to a call for shoplifting at the Foodland Grocery Store on First Ave in Shelburne. Information was that the loss prevention officer had arrested a male for theft, however the suspect then fled from the officer prior to police arrival.

The investigation led to the identity of the suspect. As a result the following day 31 year old Ryan Mifsud of Shelburne was arrested and charged with Theft under \$5000, Possession of Property Obtained by Crime, Escape Lawful Custody and Breach of Probation. Mifsud was released on a promise to appear and undertaking with a first appearance court date in late September. If anyone has any information in relation to this case or any other criminal activity, they are encouraged to contact the Shelburne

Police Service at 519-925-3312 or anonymously through Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or online at www.crimestopperssdm.com