

\$930k Recovery of Computer Components



Location: Midwestern
United States



Yesterday evening, Overhaul's LE Connect team played a pivotal role in the recovery of a full truckload of high-value consumer electronics valued at nearly \$935,000. Overhaul was alerted to suspicious activity on the shipment and immediately initiated an incident response, using real-time tracking data from the device traveling with the load.



Parties connected to the shipment claimed the trailer was parked at a truck stop in Savannah, Georgia, a diversion tactic commonly seen in strategic cargo theft. Overhaul's tracking data, however, placed the trailer at an unauthorized location in Ohio, and that location was immediately shared with law enforcement partners via LE Connect, providing real-time visibility into the shipment's position. Officers from the Newtown Police Department responded and located the trailer, dropped with no tractor attached. The shipment has since been secured pending a full inventory, a police report has been filed, and the investigation remains ongoing.



This outcome demonstrates the effectiveness of Overhaul's layered security measures, real-time monitoring technology, and strong relationships with law enforcement partners. Overhaul extends sincere gratitude to the Newtown Police Department and the Columbus Division of Police for their rapid response, which was instrumental in the recovery of this cargo. Incidents like this underscore the importance of collaboration, technology, and vigilance.



Overhaul recommends that shippers of targeted and high demand or high value products be extremely thorough in vetting brokers and carriers in their network, as well as documenting all drivers, tractors, and trailers that arrive to pick up cargo with thorough pictures that include all identifying markings on the tractor/trailer (including VIN), as well as the driver and his CDL as you verify that the information being documented matches the information provided prior to the driver's arrival. Particularly with strategic or fraudulent theft methods, contextual intelligence, remote compliance monitoring, real time visibility, and an immediate escalation process with a path to effective law enforcement engagement are critical to recognizing and recovering stolen cargo.



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