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Capitol Police seek person in Lee Monument vandalism

RICHMOND – The Virginia Division of Capitol Police is asking for the public’s help in identifying a person of interest in connection with an act of vandalism at the Robert E. Lee Monument.

Capitol Police officers are distributing the two photographs below of a person who was seen at the pedestal and on several sides of the monument at about 3 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 16. The person used what is believed to be a black laundry pen to deface the east, south and west sides of the monument, which is located at Monument and North Allen avenues in Richmond’s Fan District.

Anyone with information about the person can call the Capitol Police Communications Center at (804) 786-2120 and ask to speak with the investigator on duty.



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