



## **KING COUNTY CORRECTIONS GUILD**

# **Public Safety Update: “F-bomb Bandits” Sent Home With Ankle Bracelets**

## ***Teen Bank Robbers Charged as Adults, Then Released to Electronic Home Monitoring***

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**Dangerous suspects continue to be routinely released from secure detention. Here is the latest example of how the misuse of community corrections programs are endangering the public**

- On March 29, 2010, Dasha Taylor, 17, Shennell Kennebrew, 16, and Jade Beers, 17, were charged with Robbery in the First Degree for their part in a series of area bank robberies. The press and FBI labeled the suspect in these robberies the “F-bomb Bandit.”  
[http://seattletimes.nwsources.com/html/localnews/2011488801\\_fbomb01m.html](http://seattletimes.nwsources.com/html/localnews/2011488801_fbomb01m.html)
- Prosecutors chose to charge the three as adults, and described their crimes as “**serious violent offenses.**” Rather than being confined in the King County Jail, however, all three were assigned to electronic home monitoring. Dozens of individuals escape from King County’s home monitoring program every year.

We remain frustrated that suspects charged with and convicted of violent crimes continue to be released from jail. We call on state and county authorities to put safety first and stop the release of dangerous individuals.

