



WESTWEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT

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CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS BUREAU

***** For Immediate Release *****

ON 01/05/2012 AT APPROXIMATELY 8:35 P.M. WESTWEGO POLICE WERE DISPATCHED TO 1200 US90B (BUSINESS OF 24/7 DISCOUNT) IN REFERENCE TO A SIGNAL 64G (ARMED ROBBERY).

OFFICER'S MET WITH THE STORE CLERK WHO ADVISED HE WAS ROBBED AT GUNPOINT BY TWO BLACK MALES WEARING ALL DARK CLOTHING. THE VICTIM ADVISED HE OBSERVED THE FIRST BLACK MALE ENTER THE BUSINESS AND WALK TO THE COUNTER, VICTIM THEN ADVISED THE SECOND BLACK MALE ARMED WITH A BLACK IN COLOR SEMI-AUTO HANDGUN WALKED AROUND BEHIND THE CASH REGISTER AND IMMEDIATELY STRUCK HIM OVER THE HEAD WITH THE WEAPON. THE ARMED SUSPECT THEN BEGAN ASKING FOR THE CASH AND THE SAFE. THE VICTIM ADVISED THAT HE OPENED THE CASH DRAWERS AND THE TWO SUSPECTS TOOK THE CASH FROM THE DRAWERS ALONG WITH A "REGIONS BANK BAG".

THE SUSPECT INFORMATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

SUSPECT 1: B/M, 30-35 YEARS OLD, 5'09" – 6'0", 185-200 POUNDS

SUSPECT 2: B/M, 30-35 YEARS OLD, 5'09" – 6'0", 195-225 POUNDS

AN ANONYMOUS WITNESS ADVISED THEY OBSERVED THE TWO BLACK MALES ENTER INTO A LIGHT TAN IN COLOR SUV SIMILAR TO A CHEVY BLAZER, WHICH WAS SEEN PARKED ON SIDE OF THE BUSINESS ON CENTRAL AVENUE, AND THEN OBSERVED AS THEY FLED SOUTHBOUND ON CENTRAL AVENUE TOWARDS LAPALCO BOULEVARD AT A HIGH RATE OF SPEED. NO LICENSE INFORMATION WAS MADE AVAILABLE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION, YOU ARE URGED TO CONTACT CRIMESTOPPERS AT 504-822-1111, OR CALL THE WESTWEGO POLICE DETECTIVE BUREAU AT 504-341-8623.