Armed Robbery Harrisonburg Police Dept. Case # 12-038971

TIMELY NOTIFICATION BULLETIN
Possible Threat to the Community
“Your Right to Know”
May 31st, 2012

OFFENSE: Armed Robbery
LOCATION: Days Inn 1131 Forest Hill Road
SUSPECT(S): 2 Hispanic Males

1. Heavy set wearing a grey sweat jacket and flat rimmed black hat.
2. Slender build with tattoos on neck & arms, wearing a black shirt.

In compliance with the "Timely Notice" provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act of 1998 the James Madison University Police Department is giving notice of an alleged armed robbery reported by the Harrisonburg Police Department on Thursday, May 31, 2012.

HPD Continues to Investigate Robbery
On Thursday May 31, 2012 at 0039 hours, HPD officers responded to Days Inn, located at 1131 Forest Hill Road, for a robbery that occurred. Two Hispanic males reportedly entered the business, displayed a handgun and took money. The subjects then left the area in a small black compact car. One male subject was described as being heavy set wearing a grey sweat jacket and flat rimmed black hat. The other male subject was described as slender build with tattoos on his neck and arms wearing a black shirt.

Anyone with information leading to the arrest of either suspect is asked to call Crime Solvers. Tipsters may text “HPD” plus their tip to CRIMES (274637) or call 574-5050. Crime Solvers is an anonymous tip line and callers could receive up to a $1,000 reward. James Madison University Police can be contacted by telephone at 540.568.6911; in person at the Public Safety Office in Anthony Seeger Hall, located at the intersection of West Grace and South Main Streets; or by e-mail to publicsafety@jmu.edu.

JMU and the City of Harrisonburg want to encourage everyone in the Community to exercise good crime prevention strategies all the time and to make these good daily habits. Close and lock all exterior doors and windows at night and anytime the area is left unattended whether it be for 5 minutes or 5 days to go to class, go to the store, visit a friend or leave town for the holiday. Be particularly cautious about leaving ground level doors and windows unsecured and even individual room and office doors in complexes where multiple occupants have access to common areas inside the perimeter of the residential, administrative and academic facilities. This warning also extends to vehicles. Car windows should be up, car doors should be locked and valuable contents should be secured out of sight.
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