Tulane University Police Department is providing this notice of a criminal incident(s) that occurred in our community in order to provide information that may help in avoiding a similar crime or provide information to solve this crime. This notice is also intended to meet the requirements of the “Timely Report” provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act of 1998, amended 2008, effective August 14, 2008.

OFF CAMPUS AGGRAVATED RAPE

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: January 09, 2012, at 3:08 AM

LOCATIONS: 6000 Block South Robertson Street

REPORTED OFFENSES: NOPD reported two non-affiliate females were walking in the area of Palmer Avenue and South Robertson Street when they were approached by an unknown black male implying he had a weapon. The subject grabbed one of the female victims and threatened to harm her if the other female did not comply. The subject relocated to an alley in the 6000 block of South Robertson and sexually assaulted both victims. The subject fled on South Robertson toward Palmer then unknown.

SUSPECT’S DESCRIPTION:  Black male, 18-23 yoa, 5’4” to 5’6” tall, weighing 170 to 180 pounds with an athletic build, dark complexion, goatee and unshaven face, “buzz” haircut, stubby chest hair, wearing a white t-shirt, denim jeans.

COMPUTER COMPOSITE PICTURE, NOT A PHOTOGRAPH

CASE OF DETECTIVE VERNON HAYNES, NOPD, 504-658-5523

CRIMESTOPPERS, 504-822-1111, TOLL FREE 1-877-903-7867

If you have any information about these crimes, call the Police Department at 504-865-5381 or NOPD at 504-821-2222.

TAKE A STAND AGAINST CRIME

1. BE AWARE of your surroundings at all times.
2. DO NOT resist an armed aggressor.
3. TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS. If it does not feel right, call for help.
4. BE AWARE that risk increases in secluded areas.
5. BE A GOOD WITNESS. Describe exactly what you observe with as many details as possible. Give complete descriptions such as sex, race, height, weight, hair color, clothing, etc.

TUPD
Emergency: 504-865-5911
Non-Emergency: 504-865-5381

NOPD
Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency: 504-821-2222

HELPFUL NUMBERS
Safe Rides: 504-314-SAFE
Escort: 504-865-5381