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 ARMED ROBBERY WITH IMPLIED WEAPON

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: January 19, 2012, about 9:20 PM

LOCATION: 6100 Block Willow Street near State Street

REPORTED OFFENSE: A Tulane student was walking eastbound on Willow Street toward State Street when a subject approached her from behind, produced an unknown object, and demanded her property. She threw her cell phone toward him, and he fled with the phone southbound on State Street toward St. Charles Avenue.

SUSPECT’S DESCRIPTION: Black male, light-skinned, 22-23 yoa, 5’6” tall, 150 lbs., no facial hair, wearing a long sleeved, blue and white pin stripe shirt and dark blue jeans, and armed with an unknown object victim could not determine to be a handgun.

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