Tulane University Police Department

Off Campus Armed Robbery Uptown

On 2/9/2017, at approximately 1:30 am, a female, Tulane affiliate was walking at Zimple and Lowerline Streets, when she was approached from behind by an unknown subject. The subject placed his hand on the victim’s shoulder and pointed a gun at the victim’s back. As the victim turned around, she observed the subject holding an unknown type semi-automatic weapon. The subject stated “gimme that” and snatched the victim’s iphone from her hand. The victim then observed a second unknown subject standing a few feet behind the gunman as if to be a lookout. Both subjects then fled the scene on foot down Zimple Street towards Pine Street, then unknown.

The victim described the suspects as follows:
1) Male/Black, 18-20 yoa, 5’6, thin build, wearing all black clothing.
2) Male/Black, 18-20 yoa, wearing all black clothing.

Descriptions provided by victim/witness.

Information about the race or ethnicity of alleged offenders is provided only to aid detailed descriptions that include physical stature, clothing or unusual characteristics. Racial descriptions do not, by themselves, offer a meaningful picture of an individual’s appearance.

INVESTIGATION ONGOING
If you have any information about these crimes, call TUPD 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. REPORT suspicious activity immediately.
3. 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
Late Night Transportation:
504-314-SAFE
Escort: 504-865-5381


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