Tulane University Police Department

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: February 05, 2012, about 11:50 PM

LOCATION: Lowerline and Zimple

REPORTED OFFENSE: A Tulane student and a non-affiliate were walking from the 1200 block of Lowerline, riverbound, when a subject approached them from the front and stuck his hand in his jacket as if he had a weapon. The subject demanded their wallets and cell phones and took cash from each. He told them to turn around and keep walking in the opposite direction. The subject left in an unknown direction.

SUSPECT’S DESCRIPTION: Black male, light complexion, 20’s, 5’10” to 6’0” tall, thin build, bald, wearing an orange shirt and a black leather jacket.

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. USE SAFE MEANS of transportation when travelling in the area.
3. DO NOT resist an armed aggressor.
4. TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS. If it does not feel right, call for help.
5. BE AWARE that risk increases in secluded areas.
6. 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: 504-314SAFE
Escort: 504-865-5381