

Tulane University Police Department

**Downtown District – Aggravated Assault**

*Content Warning: The following narrative references an incident of aggravated assault.*

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: Approximately 11:00pm August 19, 2022

LOCATION: Public Property, 300 Block of LaSalle

REPORTED OFFENSE: Aggravated Assault

SUSPECT'S DESCRIPTION: Unknown, driving a gray sedan.

At approximately 11:00pm TUPD officers became aware of a shooting which occurred in the 300 block of LaSalle Street on the Downtown Campus. Officers responded and discovered 2 non-affiliated victims had been shot. No description of the perpetrator(s) was available other than driving a gray sedan. The described vehicle fled down LaSalle to Gravier. No further information was available at the time of report.

The subject is unknown to the victims and has not been identified at this time.

Based on the information provided by the victim or witness, the following crimes have been identified as reportable under the definitions provided by the *Clery Act: Aggravated Assault*

*The Clery Act* requires Tulane University to provide safety tips when issuing Crime Alerts. The following are suggestions relative to the criminal incident described in this alert:

- Trust your instincts. If you feel that you may be in danger, seek out others, local law enforcement, or an open Tulane facility that has Campus Safety Officers posted.
- Be aware of your surroundings, especially when walking alone.
- If you feel threatened contact TUPD at 504.988.5555 or call 911

## INVESTIGATION ONGOING:

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

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*\*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.*

## 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

