Tulane University Police Department

**Downtown District: Off-Campus, Aggravated Assault**

**Date and Time of Occurrence:**
Tuesday April 7, 2020 at about 06:30 PM

**LOCATION:** Intersection of N. Claiborne Ave. and Tulane Ave.

**Reported Incident:**

At or about 6:40 PM, two Tulane affiliates were walking on Tulane Avenue near N. Claiborne Avenue. They were confronted by an unknown male who asked if they were Chinese, then asked if they were Chinese or Japanese, saying, “If you are Chinese or Japanese, I’m going to kill you.” The subject then lifted his shirt and showed the affiliates a handgun in his waistband. The affiliates continued walking with the subject following and again asking the same question. One affiliate then told the subject they were “here to help” and work at the hospital. At this the subject said, “Oh, you’re here to help.” The subject then held out his fist and bumped it against the affiliate’s, turned and walked away.

**SUSPECT'S DESCRIPTION:**

Black male, 20-30 years of age, 6’ tall with a slim build.
Wearing a red or orange colored T-Shirt and blue jeans.

*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.

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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.

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