Bureau of Detectives – Area South
Community Alert

Wanted For Social Media Related Armed Robberies
006th District (Gresham)

About this crime:

- This alert gives notice to citizens of the 006th District (Gresham) of robberies involving victims who are lured to locations through the use of social media. In each of these incidents, the victims made contact with a female utilizing the website skout.com where they would make plans to meet. Upon arriving at the designated location, the victims discovered the female offender was not alone, but rather in the company of several other males. These male offenders in turn proceeded to beat and rob the victims of their valuables. Listed below is additional information regarding dates, times, and locations of these incidents:

7900 block of South Calumet Avenue on 30 July 2015 at approximately 5:30 p.m.
7900 block of South Prairie Avenue on 01 August 2015 between 4:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
7900 block of South Prairie Avenue on 12 August 2015 at approximately 9:00 p.m.

About the offenders:

- These incidents involve one female black offender working in concert with five to six male blacks 18 to 30 years of age with varying physical descriptions.

Safety tips:

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- When utilizing social media and other related websites be cognizant that individuals may not be who they represent themselves to be
- If you utilize social media to meet individuals, attempt to meet in public locations or have a friend accompany you
- If you are confronted by an assailant, remain calm
- Remember any unique physical characteristics (scars, limps, acne, teeth, tattoos, etc…)
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide information to the police
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on-scene when possible

**If you have any information about this incident,
call the Area South Detective Division at (312)747-8273**
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