

Bureau of Detectives-Area South

Community Alert

Armed Robbery & Strong-Arm Robbery 6th District (Gresham)



July 25, 2016

About This Crime

This alert gives notice to citizens of the 006th District (Gresham) of Robbery incidents that have occurred in recent weeks. During these incidents, unknown offender(s) displayed firearms and demanded property from the victims or used force to take the property without a weapon. The incidents occurred during the following dates and times.

- 7900 block of South Vernon Avenue on 23 June 2016 at 7:43 a.m.
- 7900 block of South Cottage Grove Avenue on 02 July 2016 at 10:00 p.m.
- 7900 block of South Cottage Grove Avenue on 08 July 2016 at 10:30 p.m.
- 400 block of East 79th Street on 19 July 2016 at 12:00am.
- 7800 block of South Champlain Avenue on 19 July 2016 at 12:00 p.m.

About The Offender(s)

- 1-2 male black offenders, 19-31 years of age, 5'05"-6'00" tall, 140-230 lbs., light/dark complexion
- Offenders hairstyles include dreadlocks, braids and short hair
- Possibly using a blue 4-door vehicle or blue mini-van

What You Can Do

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- If you are confronted by an assailant, remain calm
- Remember any unique physical characteristics
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide information to the police
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request their information Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible

If you have any information about this incident, call the Area South Detectives at (312)747-8273 Reference RD#: HZ-319714, HZ-334159, HZ-342231, HZ-354787 & HZ-355452