



The University of Southern California Department of Public Safety is providing this notice of a criminal incident 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 Notice" provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistic Act of 1998.

Incident #1

ATTEMPT ROBBERY

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: January 16, 2009 at 1:50 PM

LOCATION: 36th Street and Vermont Ave. (Off Campus)

REPORTED OFFENSE: The complainant was walking eastbound on the north side of the sidewalk when he was approached by two male suspects. Suspect #1 and Suspect #2 walking towards the complainant demanded his property. Suspects used bodily force in an attempt to remove the complainant's property. Suspects failed to obtain the complainant's property. Suspects ran west bound from the location.

SUSPECT DESCRIPTION *(provided by complainant)*

Suspect #1 Male Black, 23-25 years old, 5'-10", 160 lbs, wearing a red shirt and blue jeans. Suspect has a tattoo on his right forearm.

Suspect #2 Male Black, 20-23 years old, 5'-11", 170 lbs, wearing a black shirt.

SUSPECT VEHICLE: None seen

Incident #2

STRONG ARM ROBBERY

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: January 16, 2009 at 2:30 PM

LOCATION: Orchard and 28th Street (Off Campus)

REPORTED OFFENSE: The complainant was riding his bicycle northbound on the east side of the roadway when he was cut off by the suspect vehicle, causing the complaint to stop his bicycle. Suspect #1 exited the suspect vehicle, approached the complainant and forcibly removed his backpack. Suspects then fled eastbound in the suspect vehicle.

SUSPECT DESCRIPTION *(provided by complainant):*

Suspect #1 Male Black, 20-23 years old, 6'-3", 220 lbs, wearing a black t-shirt.

Suspect #2 Male Black, No further information.

SUSPECT VEHICLE: Red Vehicle, possible 2 door with chrome wheels and damage to the front of the vehicle.



IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THESE CRIMES, CALL THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AT 740-4321 OR LAPD SOUTHWEST AREA AT (213) 485-6571.

SAFETY TIPS

1. **REPORT CRIME IMMEDIATELY** – The first five minutes after a crime has occurred are critical.
2. **PROGRAM DPS NUMBERS INTO YOUR PHONE** - Within the USC community the Department of Public Safety can respond to emergencies much faster than other local law enforcement. Emergency: 213-740-4321 Non-Emergency: 213-740-6000
3. **DON'T WALK ALONE** – Always walk with another person or utilize one of the transportation options available. Contact Campus Cruiser 213-740-4911, log on to the Trojan Transportation website to check Tram schedules <http://transnet.usc.edu/> or contact the Department of Public Safety for an escort.
4. **REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** - Criminals do not want to be seen or heard. For that reason they rarely commit crime in front of law enforcement officers. We rely on the community to contact us when suspicious persons or activities occur. We would much rather respond and not be needed than to not be called when something could have been prevented.
5. **FOR MORE TIPS** – Please visit our website at <http://capsnet.usc.edu/dps/CrimePrevention/index.cfm>

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PUBLIC SAFETY – EMERGENCY..... 740-4321
Public Safety – Non-Emergency 740-6000
USC Campus Cruiser (Escort Service) ... 740-4911
Webpage.....<http://capsnet.usc.edu/dps>

PHONE NUMBERS

LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT
EMERGENCY9-1-1

HEALTH SCIENCES CAMPUS

PUBLIC SAFETY – EMERGENCY..... 442-1000
Public Safety – Non-Emergency..... 442-1200
USC Campus Cruiser (Escort Service) 442-2100
Webpage..... <http://capsnet.usc.edu/dps>