



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.

ARMED ROBBERY

DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE: February 4, 2009 at 9:00 PM

LOCATION: 2700 Block of Ellendale Place (Off Campus)

REPORTED OFFENSE: The complainants were approached by the two suspects and one suspect brandished a handgun and demanded their property. Out of fear for their safety, the complainants complied. The suspects then fled from the complainants' location, walking south bound and out of sight.

SUSPECT DESCRIPTION (provided by complainant)

Suspect #1 Male Hispanic, 20 to 25 years old, wearing a black and white striped t-shirt, and blue jeans armed with a silver handgun.

Suspect #2 Male Hispanic, 20 to 25 years old, wearing a black hat, blue shirt, and blue jeans.

SUSPECT VEHICLE: None Seen

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>

UNIVERSITY PARK CAMPUS
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
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