



Bureau of Detectives – Area South **Community Alert**



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Robbery **004th District (South Chicago)**

About This Crime:

This alert gives notice to residents of the South Chicago (004th) District of two recent robberies that occurred along 87th Street between Phillips and Colfax Avenues. In each incident, the victims were either riding a CTA bus or had just exited a CTA Bus when they were approached by the offender(s) who battered and robbed them.

Location of Occurrences:

July 30, 2016 in the 8700 block of South Colfax Avenue
July 28, 2016 in the 2400 block of East 87th Street

About The Offenders:

The offender(s) were described as:

One to two male, African Americans each believed to be 17 to 20 years of age.

Safety Tips:

Attempt to travel in the company of others

Be aware of your surroundings and avoid displaying valuables including cellular devices while using public transportation.

If confronted by the armed offender, attempt to remain calm.

Call 911 immediately and provide a detailed description of any suspicious people including any vehicle description and license plate information.

If you have any information about these incidents please call:
Area South Property Crimes at 312-747-8273
Reference RD#s HZ-368956 and HZ-371570