



Bureau of Detectives – Area Central

Community Alert



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February 8, 2015

CTA Robberies 008th District (Chicago Lawn)

About the Crime:

This alert gives notice to citizens in the 008th District (Chicago Lawn) of robbery incidents near CTA Bus stops which have occurred during the months of **January** and **February**. In these incidents, multiple offenders approach the victims and demand / forcibly remove their property. Incident times and locations are listed below:

- 6900 Block of S. Western Ave, January 2, 2015, at approx. 9:20 pm
- 6900 Block of S. Western Ave, January 13, 2015, at approx. 5:15 pm
- 6800 Block of S. Western Ave, February 4, 2015, at approx. 4:00 pm

About the Offenders:

Offenders are generally described as being Black male offenders, between the ages of 16-24, having various builds. In the incident from January 13, 2015, one of the offenders was described as being a black male, approx. 6'01" in height, 180 lbs in weight, with a birthmark on his face.

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 (scars, limp, acne, teeth, etc...).
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant; provide the information to the police.
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request their contact information.
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when safely possible.

**If you have any information Contact the Bureau of Detectives – Area Central
(312) 747-8382**

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