Community Alert

Robberies
016 District (Jefferson Park)

About the Crime:

This alert gives notice to residents of the 16th District (Jefferson Park) of recent Robberies that have occurred during the month of May. During these incidents, the offender(s) approached the female victims from behind and forcefully took their purses before fleeing. Times and geographical locations are listed below.

Times and Locations:

• 5200 block of N. LaCrosse Ave. on May 9, 2017 at 11:20 p.m.
• 4800 block of W. Byron St. on May 11, 2017 at 5:33 a.m.

About the Offenders:

• The offender(s) are described as being black males, 20- to 30-years-old, between 5'07"-6'00", 130-180 lbs, and wearing dark hooded sweatshirts with dark pants.

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, tattoos, missing teeth, etc) and vehicle descriptions such as make, model, color and license plate number.
• If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information.
• Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible.

If you have any information Contact the
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