Bureau of Detectives – Area Central

Community Alert

Robberies
012th (Near West) District

About the Crime:
This alert gives notice in the 012th District (Near West) of robbery incidents which have occurred during the month of December. In these incidents, victim(s) have been approached by offenders who displayed handgun(s) and demanded or took property from the victim(s). The offenders fled in a vehicle.

These incidents have occurred in the geographical locations listed below.

Incidents and Locations:
• 1200 Block of W. Taylor Street on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at 2:00AM
• 800 Block of S. Lytle Street on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at 6:45PM
• 900 Block of S. Lytle Street on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 at 9:22PM

About the Offenders:
Described as three to five male blacks, 18-25 years of age, 5'06"-6'00", 145-160 lbs

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 video surveillance equipment is present, please save a copy of the incident for investigating detectives
• 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 Bureau of Detectives – Area Central
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