



SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT

155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

MEDIA RELEASE



Incident

DATE/TIME: Wednesday 2/24/16

LOCATION: 2400 block of Mission Street

TOPIC: 7-11 Armed Robbery

CASE NUMBER: 16S-01629

INFORMATION:

On February 24, 2016, at approximately 12:21 AM, Santa Cruz Police responded to a report of a robbery at 7 Eleven in the 2400 block of Mission Street. Two suspects entered the convenience store dressed in all dark clothing and black face coverings. One of the suspects displayed a chrome revolver and was confronted by the employee's dog. The employee called off the dog's approach when the suspect pointed the gun at the dog.

The suspects then confronted the store employee and demanded cash at gunpoint. The cash was turned over and they fled out of the store. The suspects ran southbound on Swift Street.

No one was injured in the robbery. The robbery was captured on video from the store. Attached are images of the suspects during the robbery.

Both suspects are described as Hispanic males 18-25 years old. Witnesses in the area reported a white Mercedes or Lexus sedan driving at a high rate of speed through the neighborhood with the lights out after the robbery.

SCPD Officers canvassed the area for any other video of the suspects and for the described car. Detectives are working closely with other law enforcement agencies to collaborate on similar cases.

Anyone with information relative to the suspect's identity is encouraged to contact the Santa Cruz Police Department Investigation Unit at (831) 420-5820. Tipsters can also leave an anonymous tip via the methods below.

For additional information, contact: Joyce Blaschke

Phone: (831) 420-5844

Anonymous tips can also be sent to the police department through our Tip Line (831) 420-5995, or from our Website; www.santacruzpolice.com . Tipsters can also submit an anonymous tip via our smartphone app or from an SMS text. Visit our Website for instructions.

Photo 1 Armed Robbery 16S-10629



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Photo 2 Armed Robbery 16S-10629



Photo 3 Armed Robbery 16S-10629

