

San Diego County **Crime Stoppers**

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Robbery Suspects Sought

Up to \$1,000 Reward Offered

December 16, 2009

UPDATE: Today at about 1 p.m., in the 3000 block of Island Avenue Central Division officers arrested three males believed responsible for this series. Two are juveniles and one is 18 years of age. Detectives are in the process of interviewing these suspects and they will eventually be booked into the SD Central Jail and Juvenile Hall.

San Diego County Crime Stoppers is joining forces with the San Diego Police Department's Central & Southeastern Division detectives to help apprehend the suspects responsible for several pedestrian robberies that have occurred in November and December.

The suspects are targeting Hispanic females who are walking alone in the Mountain View, Valencia Park, Grant Hill and Logan Heights neighborhoods. The suspects snatch gold chains from around the victims' necks and flee on foot. The victims are all in their 30s and 40s.

211 pedestrian cases -

- 11/9 600 S. 39th Street 4:35 p.m.
- 11/10 S. Euclid and Olvera 3:30 p.m. •
 - 11/30 1200 S. 31st Street 11:20 a.m.
- 11/30 2900 K Street
 - 11:45 a.m. 3200 Market Street 10:45 a.m. 12/2
- 12/93100 Island Avenue 4:15 p.m.

Suspect descriptions:

Two black males, 15-19 years, thin to medium build, 5'4'' - 5'10'' wearing • hooded sweatshirts.

Detectives are asking anyone with information on the identity of these suspects to call the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to an arrest. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

Media inquiries should be directed to Mónica Muñoz at (619) 531-2675. Questions about Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-8477.