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SDPD ASKING FOR HELP IN LOCATING ROBBERY SUSPECT

(San Diego) San Diego Police Department Robbery Division detectives are asking for help from the public in locating the suspect of a robbery.

On August 29, 2006, 10 a.m., a male suspect committed a robbery at the Bank of America in Grantville at the corner of Mission Gorge and Friars Road.

He was wearing a mask of former U.S. President Ronald Reagan and a black cape. The robber had difficulty during the crime, dropping his gun when he had a cape malfunction.

He ran out of the bank, jumped into a stolen, dark coloured Chevrolet Suburban and crashed into two other vehicles as he tried to escape. While driving away, a dye pack that was in the stolen money exploded.

The suspect abandoned the Suburban and was last seen running south on Crawford Street. He left the mask, gun and a \$50 bill in the vehicle.

The robber is described as an African American male, 40+, 6', full sideburns and heavy set.

Anyone who knows the suspect, or has any knowledge of this crime, should contact San Diego Police Department or, is asked to call the **Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-TIPS**. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to the arrest of the suspect. Collect calls are accepted and callers may remain anonymous.

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