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HIT AND RUN SUSPECT SOUGHT

(San Diego) SDPD Western Division detectives are seeking assistance from the public in identifying the suspect who is responsible for hitting a parking enforcement officer (PEO) with his vehicle.

On November 18, 2008 at about 3:30 p.m., the PEO was in the process of ordering a tow for an SUV from the 3700 block of 10th Avenue. The PEO was standing near the driver's side front fender when a person described as a white male, 30-35, 5'10" – 6'2" tall, 160-180 lbs, thin build and reddish-brown hair approached the car in question – a 2003 black Ford Expedition, four door with Texas license plate 8DPP30 (see photo of similar vehicle on page two). The vehicle also has damage to the driver's side door. The suspect told the PEO that he owned the Expedition. The suspect then got into the Expedition and fled the scene, striking the PEO in the process of fleeing. The PEO sustained minor injuries.

At this point, detectives have not been able to identify the driver. If you have any information as to the identity or location of this suspect, you may call Western Division at (619) 692-4800. You may also call Crime Stoppers toll-free, anonymous tip line at (888) 580-TIPS or you can text or email tips anonymously by visiting the SD Crime Stoppers website at www.sdcrimestoppers.com. By contacting Crime Stoppers you can remain anonymous and be eligible for a reward of up to \$1000 if your information leads to an arrest.

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Suspect vehicle similar to the Expedition pictured here.

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