Unknown Suspect Sought for Pedestrian Robbery; Surveillance Camera Captures Video of Suspect
Up to $1,000 Reward Offered

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers and Investigators from the San Diego Police Department’s Central Division are asking for assistance from the public to identify an unknown suspect wanted for a pedestrian robbery in the community of Grant Hill.

Investigators said at about 1:17 p.m., a 30 year old victim was walking north on 28th Street in the marked crosswalk of 28th and K Street. The victim was with her two children and a 1-year old she was babysitting. The victim was pulling a shopping cart and her 8-year old daughter was in front of her pushing a stroller with the 1-year old in it. The suspect was walking southbound on 28th street and approached the victim in the middle of the crosswalk. As the suspect and the victim passed each other in the crosswalk, the suspect immediately pulled on her gold chain which was around her neck. The suspect took a few steps away from the victim and realized he was unsuccessful in stealing the chain. The suspect came back towards the victim and chased her, eventually catching up and taking the gold chain. The victim and children scattered in the middle of the crosswalk in fear. The suspect immediately ran off with the chain. The suspect was last seen on K Street jumping into a waiting vehicle. A copy of the surveillance video can be picked up today at the SDPD Headquarters Broadway side front counter, 1401 Broadway Street.

Suspect Description: Black male, 18-23 years old, 1” afro, wearing a black shirt and red running pants with a white stripe down the sides.

Suspect Vehicle: Teal colored 4-door compact vehicle, possibly a Ford Escort.

Anyone with information on the identity and or location of the persons responsible for this crime should call SDPD Central Division at (619) 744-9500 or 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 in this case. Anonymous email and text messages can be sent in via www.sdcrimestoppers.com.

- Media inquiries can be directed to Officer James 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.
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