



SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT

155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

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MEDIA RELEASE

DATE/TIME: Friday, March 25, 2011—7:40 PM

LOCATION: 100 Block First Street

TOPIC: Strong Armed Robbery

CASE NUMBER: 11S-02400

INVOLVED SUBJECTS:

1. Suspect #1: African-American male adult, 5'10", thin build, short hair wearing black baseball cap, black puffy jacket, baggy dark blue jeans with earrings in both ears
2. Suspect #2: African-American male adult, 5'09", heavy set wearing a black jacket and white shoes
3. Suspect #3: Hispanic male adult, 5'09", thick build wearing a black t-shirt with a grey long sleeve shirt underneath.
4. Suspect #4: White female adult, 5'08", blonde hair wearing a white jacket

VICTIM

1. 15 year-old juvenile – (Escolan Resident)
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INFORMATION:

On March 25, 2011 at approximately 7:40 pm Santa Cruz Police Department officers were dispatched to a report of a strong armed robbery that had occurred in the 100 block of First Street. Four suspects approached the victim and asked for the victim's possessions. The suspect then reached in the victim's pockets and took the victim's possessions. In addition, the suspects took the victim's baseball cap that he was wearing. The suspects fled the scene on foot. The victim ran to the wharf where police were called.

Upon being dispatched, officers quickly arrived in the area and set-up a perimeter. Police, including "Layko" the new police canine, canvassed the area for the suspects. The suspects were not located. The victim did not sustain any injuries during the attack. Detectives are working with the victim and witnesses to get leads on possible suspects.

Anyone with additional information about this incident is encouraged to call Santa Cruz Police Department Investigations at: (831) 420-5820

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