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### **SUFFOLK POLICE MAKE ARREST FOLLOWING ROBBERY**

Suffolk, VA (November 14, 2017) - Suffolk Police have arrested one individual and are asking for the public's assistance in locating a second subject related to a Robbery that occurred on the evening of October 8, 2017. Upon preliminary investigation it was found that the adult male victim had been at a party at a residence located in the 800 block of Longstreet Lane in rural Suffolk when two unknown subjects at the party had forcefully taken two firearms belonging to the victim, threatened the victim, and also fired one of the weapons at his vehicle as he was leaving the premises. The victim was not injured in the incident.

Following their investigation, Nigel Rashid Haywood Ward, age 19, of Portsmouth, was arrested on November 13, 2017 on charges of Robbery, Shoot or Throw Missiles at Occupied Vehicle, Use or Display Firearm in Commission of Felony, and Attempt to Commit Non-Capital Offense. Ward is currently being held at Western Tidewater Regional Jail. Mug shot attached.

Police are asking for the public's assistance in locating Jaquan Rashawn Myrick, age 20, of Courtland, also wanted on the above charges. Myrick is further described as a black male, 5'11", approximately 160 pounds with black hair and brown eyes. Mug shot attached.

Anyone with information on Myrick or his whereabouts is asked to contact Crime Line at 1-888-Lock-U-Up<sup>SM</sup>. When calling Crime Line, callers do not have to give their names or appear in court. If information leads to an arrest, the caller or “tipster” could qualify for a reward of up to \$1,000.

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