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POLICE INVESTIGATING TWO ROBBERIES

SUFFOLK, VA (June 24, 2010) Suffolk Police Department is currently investigating two separate robberies. The first robbery took place at 11:22 p.m. in the 1300 block of Mill Run Court off Wilroy Road. The victim stated he was driving home and thought he was being followed by police. When he arrived home, he was held up at gunpoint by two black males. One subject was wearing a black hoodie, and the second subject was wearing a black shirt. The subjects frisked the victim in his front yard, but the victim wasn't carrying any money. The subjects fled in a dark colored 90's model Honda. The vehicle was headed eastbound on Portsmouth Boulevard.

At 11:28 p.m., another driver on his way home was also followed by a vehicle in the 300 block of Carriage Court in the Woodlake subdivision, not far from the earlier incident. The subjects parked down the street, and when the victim exited his car the subjects ran up to him and took his wallet and cell phone at gunpoint. The subjects were described as two black males, one wearing a black bandana and white T-shirt, and the second wearing all black. The subject

displaying the handgun was further described as 6', well-built, 180-200 lbs, with short shaved hair. The vehicle was described as a small car, make unknown, but appeared to be either a Ford Escort or Honda Civic.

Detectives Gonzalez and Wellford are investigating these incidents.

Anyone with information on these cases is asked to contact Crime Line at 1-888-Lock-U-Up. When calling Crime Line, callers do not have to give their names or appear in court. If information leads to an arrest, the caller could qualify for a reward of up to \$1,000.

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