

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **CORRECTION/UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 20, 2016) Suffolk Police advise of a correction related to the subject's clothing and description. He was wearing a white shirt and was approximately 230 to 240 pounds. Surveillance video still photos now attached.

## **POLICE INVESTIGATING STRONG ARMED ROBBERY**

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 20, 2016) Suffolk Police are investigating a strong armed robbery that occurred this evening at the 7-11 located in the 1100 block of Portsmouth Boulevard.

Emergency Communications was made aware of the incident at 7:47 p.m.

Upon preliminary investigation it was found that the incident occurred when the black male subject jumped over the counter and used force to get an undetermined amount of currency from the clerk's register. A weapon was not displayed and there were no injuries.

The subject was further described as in his mid-30's, approximately 5'6" to 5'7", weighing approximately 170 to 180 pounds with a heavy-set build and wearing a black ball cap with white lettering, a black shirt and dark colored jeans.

After the incident the subject ran from the store and left the parking lot at a high rate of speed in a black Cadillac with Virginia plates with the last digits of -1111.

Surveillance video photos will be provided as soon as they are available.

Anyone with information 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. Citizens can also utilize TipSoft to anonymously submit crime-related tips through the Web, a text message, or from any Android or iPhone mobile device with the TipSubmit mobile app. Tips can be submitted by visiting [www.suffolkva.us/crimelinetips](http://www.suffolkva.us/crimelinetips), or by texting the word "**CRIMES**" (274637) with the keyword **SPDVATIP**. TipSoft also supports users' ability to submit videos or photos using the TipSoft mobile app. If information leads to an arrest, the caller or "tipster" could qualify for a reward of up to \$1,000.

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