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STRONG ARM ROBBERY

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The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a strong arm robbery that occurred on July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012, at approximately 7:20 P.M. The incident took place outside of the West Side Market, located at 1029 West Las Olas Boulevard.

On July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012, Fort Lauderdale Police Officers were flagged down by the victim who stated that two suspects had just beat him up and stole his gold chain. The suspects had fled the scene on foot prior to police being notified. The victim sustained minor injuries from the incident.

Detectives were able to locate still shot photographs of the suspects, prior to committing the robbery, from surrounding surveillance cameras. The suspects have been described as two black males, possibly in their 20s. One of the suspects was wearing a white tank top shirt and jeans, while the other suspect was wearing a black tank top and grey shorts. Both suspects are believed to be approximately 5' 10" in height and 170 pounds in weight.

Detectives are urging anyone with information regarding the identity of the two suspects to please contact Detective Tracy Figone at 954-828-5518.



Strong Arm Robbery Suspects ###