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ROAD RAGE INCIDENT

*****Surveillance Footage Available for Media Pick-up in FLPD Lobby*****

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating an aggravated assault that occurred on June 20th, 2012, at approximately 10:42 A.M. The incident occurred in the 1400 block of Northeast 56th Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Officers responded to the area and after meeting with the victim, were able to locate surveillance footage from one of the nearby residences that captured the aggravated assault on video.

After careful review of the video, detectives believe that the victim and suspect were driving eastbound on Northeast 56th Street in separate cars. The victim was driving in a Ford F-250 closely behind the suspect, who was driving a tan BMW. Based on the surveillance footage, the suspect pulled into a driveway and quickly exited the BMW as the Ford F-250 drove past. The suspect then produced a firearm and fired multiple shots at the Ford F-250 as it drove away. The suspect then reentered his vehicle and drove off at a high rate of speed.

No one was injured from the assault, but one of the bullets struck the Ford F-250.

The suspect has been described as a black male, possibly 5' 5" in height and weighing 180 pounds. The suspect was last seen wearing a blue shirt with jeans and had his hair pulled up in a blue stocking.

Based upon the victim's statements, as well as the surveillance video, detectives believe that the incident is road rage related.

Investigators are urging anyone with information regarding the identity of the suspect to contact Detective Allen Diamond at 954-828-5539 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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