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STRONG ARM ROBBERY

Surveillance Footage Available for Media Pick-up in FLPD Lobby

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department responded to a Strong Arm Robbery that occurred on Monday, January 14, 2013 at approximately 5:30 A.M. The incident occurred at the Discount Grocery Store, located at 2420 Northwest 19th Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

The victim told officers that he was sitting inside his parked vehicle, in the parking lot of the listed location, when an unknown B/M suspect walked up to his vehicle asking for change. After the victim handed the suspect change, the victim noticed the suspect lingering in the area near the victim's vehicle. The suspect then walked back up to the victim's vehicle, reached inside the driver side window and grabbed two gold chains from the victim's neck. The suspect fled the area on foot in an Easterly direction.

The suspect is described as a black male, 20-25 years old, approximately 6' 00" in height and 225 pounds in weight. The suspect was last seen wearing a long black t-shirt with grey and white shorts.

Detectives are urging anyone with information regarding this incident or the identity of the suspect to contact Detective Tracy Figone at 954-828-5518.



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