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PRESS RELEASE

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**CARJACKING SUSPECT
ARRESTED**

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a carjacking that took place on Thursday, June 25th at approximately 8:33 A.M.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that an accident involving a red Toyota Corolla and silver Toyota Camry occurred in the 1500 block of Northwest 62nd Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale. The suspect fled the accident scene on foot.

The suspect then approached a female victim while she was exiting her vehicle in a parking lot of 1001 Northwest 62nd Street in the City of Fort Lauderdale. The suspect forcefully pushed her to the ground as he forced his way into her vehicle and fled the area in the victim's blue Hyundai Sonata. While the suspect was attempting to flee the parking lot he drove over a median, disabling the vehicle.

The suspect then fled on foot to another vehicle in the parking lot of 5001 Northwest 9th Avenue in the City of Fort Lauderdale. The suspect attempted to forcefully take a Champagne Toyota Camry from a male victim. The victim fought with the suspect, causing him to flee the area on foot.

The Fort Lauderdale Rapid Offender Control (ROC) Unit, in conjunction with Broward Sheriff's Office Deputies the suspect was located and taken into custody at 110 Northeast 44th Street in the City of Oakland Park.

The suspect has been identified as Dameon J. Wilkey, B/M, 03/03/84, a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

If anyone has any information regarding this incident they are encouraged to contact Detective Erik Kirtman at 954-828-6070.

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