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**NOODLES PANINI ROBBERY**

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating an armed robbery that occurred on Tuesday, August 19, 2008, at approximately 10:40 P.M. The robbery took place at Noodles Panini, which is located at 821 East Las Olas Boulevard.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that two black males wearing ski masks entered the rear of the business as the employees were closing up. One of the black males was armed with a handgun. The armed male held the employees at gunpoint. The suspects were able to rob money and a purse. The two men then exited through a back door and fled in an unknown direction. There was video at the location, but the supervisor was unable to retrieve it. We will be releasing the video as soon as it becomes available.

The first black male is described as 5'7"-5'8", between the ages of 18-25, and was last seen wearing a black shirt with dark pants. The second black male is described as being between the ages of 18-25.

Anyone with information regarding this robbery is encouraged to contact the Fort Lauderdale Police Department at 954-828-5700 or Broward County Crime Stoppers at 954-493-TIPS.

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