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Unknown Suspects Wanted for Armed Robbery Up to \$1,000 Reward Offered

February 2, 2021

San Diego County Crime Stoppers and investigators from the San Diego Police Department's Robbery Unit are asking for the public's assistance to help identify and locate the suspects responsible for an armed robbery, which occurred in the Tierrasanta area.

On December 15, 2020, at about 9:40 p.m., four unknown suspects entered the Circle K store located at 10821 Tierrasanta Boulevard, in San Diego. Suspect # 1 was armed with a hammer and demanded cash from the clerk. The clerk complied. The other three suspects walked behind the counter and stole an undisclosed amount of tobacco products. All four suspects were seen running northbound from the store. Investigators believe these same suspects may have committed similar crimes throughout San Diego County.

Suspects' Description:

Suspect # 1 is described as a Hispanic or Asian male in his 20's, about 6'0" tall, weighs 350 lbs., wearing a gray SD cap, black bandana, gray shirt, blue jeans, and black sneakers.

Suspect # 2 is described as a Hispanic male in his 20's, about 5'7' tall, weighs 180 lbs., wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt, blue bandana, black jeans, red belt and white sneakers.

Suspect # 3 is described as a Hispanic male, late teens, about 5'6" tall, weighs 190 lbs., wearing a black jacket, blue bandana, black ball cap and blue jeans.

Suspect # 4 is described as a Hispanic male, late teens, about 5'6" tall, weighs 150 lbs., wearing a blue hooded sweatshirt, dark bandana, and black jeans.

Surveillance cameras captured images and video of the suspects. The images can be found on pages 2 and 3 of this release. A link to view a video of the robbery can be found below.

https://youtu.be/ZJXn_sXsvs4

Anyone with information on the identity and or location of the suspects is asked to call the San Diego Police Department's Robbery Unit at (619) 531-2299 or the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-8477. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to an arrest in this case. Visit the Crime Stoppers website at <u>www.sdcrimestoppers.org</u> for more information on how to send anonymous web and mobile app tips.

- Media inquiries about this case should be directed to Lieutenant Julie Epperson at (619) 533-5752 or email at Jepperson@pd.sandiego.gov.
- Media inquiries about Crime Stoppers can be directed to Officer Mark Herring at (619) 531-1500 or email at <u>msherring@pd.sandiego.gov</u> or Deputy Marcial Lopez at (619) 531-1547 or email at <u>marcial.lopez@sdsheriff.org</u>.

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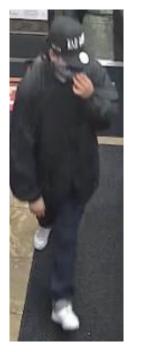


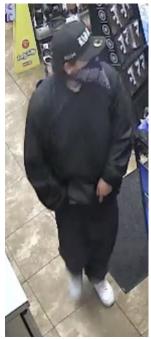
Suspect # 1

Suspect # 2



Suspect # 3





Suspect # 4



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