



NEWS RELEASE

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HPD Seek Suspect in Commercial Robbery

Update | Arrest Made:

During the investigation of this robbery, Marlo Jermaine Patterson was developed as a suspect. The identification of Mr. Patterson was a collaborative effort of the community, media, and police to make our community safer. Warrants for robbery, use of a firearm in the commission of a felony and abduction were obtained. On Sunday, July 19, 2020, Marlo Patterson, age 47, of Richmond City, turned himself into the Henrico County Jail where the warrants were served.

Original Release:

On July 14, 2020, around 3:12 pm, Henrico Police responded to a business located in the 3300 block of Williamsburg Road for a commercial robbery. Upon arrival, officers spoke to the victim, who indicated an unknown black male walked up and asked if he could purchase a black and mild. The suspect handed the clerk change to pay for the black and mild. As the victim was counting the change, the suspect stepped behind the counter and told the victim to get on the floor. The victim saw a white rag wrapped around something in his left hand that looked like a weapon. The victim stated the suspect opened the cash drawer and took the money out and placed it all into his pockets. The victim was then told to walk over to the store closet and told to remain there until he left.

Detectives are seeking a B/M, 6'0" to 6'3", Dark shorts, multicolored shoes (Nike), a basketball jersey, and a hat.

Do you recognize this individual? Henrico Police need your help in identifying the man responsible for this crime. If you were in the 3300 block between 2:45 – 3:15 pm, you may have seen something useful to detectives. Contact Detective Askew at 804-501-5000 or Crime Stoppers at 780-1000. Download the P3Tip app so you can send tips as soon as they occur.

See attachments.

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