



# NEWS RELEASE

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**SUBJECT: NPD Investigate Armed Robbery**

Newark Police are investigating an armed robbery which occurred at approximately 4:15pm on December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at a Lieberman's book buy back tent on Elkton Road in the parking lot of Buffalo Wild Wings.

During the incident the 29 year old male clerk was working at the tent which purchases used text books from college students. The two suspects approached the victim and one displayed a handgun demanding money. After receiving an undisclosed amount of US currency the pair fled on foot northbound on Elkton Road. The suspects were last seen fleeing under the pedestrian underpass leading to the Rodney Dining Complex and then northbound parallel to the CSX railroad tracks. Officers from NPD and UDPD responded immediately to the scene, however, the suspects were not located.

Suspect 1 is described as a black male, 25-30 years old, thin build, 5'10 to 6'0" tall, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, and black pants. He was armed with an unknown small black handgun.

Suspect 2 is described as a white male, 25 years old, brown or black hair, stocky build, 5'8" to 5'10" tall, wearing a grey hooded sweatshirt with horizontal stripes, dark pants, and grey sneakers.

The victim, who is not a UD student, was uninjured during the incident.

Anyone with additional information on this incident should contact Det. James Skinner at 302-366-7110 ext. 135 or [james.skinner@cj.state.de.us](mailto:james.skinner@cj.state.de.us). You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at [www.tipsubmit.com](http://www.tipsubmit.com) where a reward may be available.

*The Newark Police Department affirms that all defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.*

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