


February 17, 2022

Columbia College Chicago Community:

Crime Advisory


Please see the Chicago Police Department community alert below.



Bureau of Detectives – Area 3

Community Alert

Robberies
1st District (Central)



Alert #22-3-007A (CA)
February 17, 2022

About the crimes:
This alert gives notice to residents in the South Loop of multiple similar robbery incidents occurring in the months of January and February. In all but one instance, a lone offender approaches the victim on the public way, shoves the victim to the ground and takes possession of their cellphone. In the most recent incident, two offenders blocked the path of the victim on the public way and, while implying they were armed with a weapon, demanded the victim's property. The offenders then flee into a waiting vehicle.

Incident times and locations:

- 1300 block of S. Michigan on January 20, 2022 at 1:50 p.m.
- 1500 block of S. Michigan on January 21, 2022 at 12:40 p.m.
- 1200 block of S. Michigan on January 21, 2022 at 12:55 p.m.
- 600 block of S. Michigan on February 8, 2022 at 12:50 p.m.
- 1800 block of S. Indiana on February 12, 2022 at 11:40 a.m.
- 1300 block of S. Michigan on February 14, 2022 at 9 p.m.

About the offenders:
The offenders are described as African American males, 13-35 years old.

What you can do:

- Be aware of your surroundings at all times.
- Pay special attention to suspicious individuals loitering in the area.
- Report suspicious activity immediately.
- If you are confronted by an assailant, remain calm.
- Call 911 immediately if you are a victim or witness to a crime and provide a detailed description of the offender(s), including any physical/clothing identifiers in addition to any vehicle description and license plate information
- If approached by a witness to an incident, request they remain on scene when possible or obtain contact information.
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant: provide the information to the police.

**If you have any information, contact the
Bureau of Detectives – Area 3
(312) 744-8263**

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If You See Something, Say Something.

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