

MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:
Armed Robbery	11/15/2020 0319 Hours
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:
20BU021430	219 Main Street
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:
Detective Osilka	658-2704
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:
Chief Murad	Chief Murad
SUSPECT:	AGE: SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Unknown	Unk Unknown
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NARRATIVE:

At approximately 0319, Burlington Dispatch received a report of a panic alarm from the Champlain Farms located at Main Street and S Winooski Avenue. Officers responded and spoke with store employees who stated they had been robbed at gunpoint. The supervising sergeant observed initial video footage, permitting an initial description of the suspects: two young black males, both in black puffy jackets, both wearing backpacks, and both wearing masks. Store employees reported that one of the suspects carried a firearm, which he pointed at store employees while the other suspect robbed the cash register. Both suspects then fled in the direction of the VFW. Officers canvassed the area but were not able to locate the suspects, although one officer recovered potentially associated evidence. Detectives were called to continue the investigation. They located additional video footage and recovered additional potentially associated evidence.

The Burlington Police Department is currently asking for the public's assistance. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Osilka at the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704. We anticipate that still images and possibly video will be forthcoming and we will share it with our media partners when it is available (which we expect may be Monday, 11/16).