



## BURLINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### MEDIA RELEASE

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Armed Robbery	6-26-2015	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
2015BU16752	103 Shelburne Road Burlington, Vermont	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Det. Jeffrey Beerworth	802-540-2280	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Det. Jeffrey Beerworth	Lt. Cyr	
VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:
Rotary Mart		
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Joshua Wells	26	
Kevin Laforce	24	
Andrew Place (person of interest)	29	
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		

### NARRATIVE:

On June 23, 2015 at 1740 hours, the Rotary Mart located at 103 Shelburne Road was robbed by an armed suspect. The suspect who wore sunglasses and an article of clothing that partially covered his face. Upon entering the store the suspect pointed a gun at the cashier and demanded money from the register.

On June 24, 2015, the Burlington Police Department's Street Crimes Unit conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle which resulted in the arrest of three subjects on unaffiliated charges.

**Terra Fleming (10-6-86)** was arrested on a charge of burglary, **Kevin Laforce (7-27-90)** was arrested for Criminal DLS, and **Joshua Wells (4-27-89)** was arrested in connection with an outstanding arrest warrant. Subsequent investigation has found that Laforce and Wells were active participants in the armed robbery at the Rotary Mart on Shelburne Road. Laforce was arraigned on a charge of assault and robbery on 6-25-15, no bail was set, but the court did impose conditions of release. Wells is currently incarcerated and is scheduled to appear in court in connection with this case on Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Authorities are looking to speak with **Andrew Place (1-1-86)** who has been identified as a

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person of interest in this case. Anyone with information relating to the case is encouraged to call the Burlington Police department at (802) 658-2700 or Detective Jeffrey Beerworth at (802) 540-2280.

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