**Robbery**

**PCA2014-003**

**REPORTED OFFENSE:** The complainant (non-USC) reported that the suspect drove up next to her at the intersection of Biggy Street and Zonal Avenue and lowered his passenger window. After asking directions in Spanish, the suspect then handed the complainant a flip-phone with a message on it demanding money. The suspect then displayed a blue steel semi-automatic handgun. The complainant told the suspect that she had no money, pointed out a police car in the distance, and then tossed the phone into the suspect vehicle. The suspect then sped away.

**DATE & TIME OF OCCURRENCE:** 03/12/14 at about 8:10 AM

**LOCATION:** Biggy Street and Zonal Ave (near Health Sciences Campus)

**SUSPECT DESCRIPTION (provided by complainant):**

**Suspect:** Male White or Hispanic, medium completion, 30-35 years old, dark t-shirt covered by a light tan jacket.

**SUSPECT VEHICLE:** Late model gold GMC or Chevrolet SUV / no additional information.

**IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THESE CRIMES, CALL THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AT (213) 740-6000 OR HOLLENBECK AREA AT (323) 342-4100**

Refer to USC incident #1400945

**TAKE A STAND AGAINST ROBBERY**

- Be sure to lock all entry points of your residences at all times.
- Always walk on busy streets - Avoid walking alone. Use Campus Cruiser (213)740-4911.
- Avoid using cell phones or MP3 players while walking - Suspects target phones and other items in plain view.
- Do not carry expensive purses or bags. Conceal them inside of a larger bag.
- In the event of a robbery, stay calm and comply with the suspect's demands.
- After the robbery, call DPS right away. The first 2 minutes after a crime occurs are critical to law enforcement.
- If you observe a crime in progress, STAY CALM AND CALL DPS (213)740-4321.
- If you **SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING**. Any suspicious persons or activities should be reported to DPS or LAPD immediately
- BE A GOOD WITNESS. Describe exactly what you observed with as many details as possible. Give complete descriptions such as sex, race, age, height, weight, hair color, clothing, tattoos, and scars. Try to get the license plate if a vehicle is involved.
- Report Crime ANONYMOUSLY via Trojans Care For Trojans [https://sait.usc.edu/ca/tc4t/reporting.asp](https://sait.usc.edu/ca/tc4t/reporting.asp)