To: The Campus Community

From: Jeff Newton, Chief of Police

Date: 10/26/2012

Subject: Robbery Incident

University of Toledo Police are investigating a robbery that occurred 2:35 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 25 near Parks Tower. The victim reported he was approached by two men wearing hooded sweatshirts when a physical altercation occurred with one suspect while the other took the victim’s backpack. There were no serious injuries and no weapon was involved.

Suspect 1 is described as a white male, 18-19 years old, 6 feet tall and 175 pounds with dark hair wearing a gray and white hooded sweatshirt. Suspect 2 is described as a black male, 18-19 years old, 6 feet tall and 175 pounds with black hair wearing a dark colored hooded sweatshirt.

University police are reviewing surveillance footage to identify the suspects.
If you have any information about this crime please contact the University of Toledo Police Department at 419.530.2600 or report anonymously at: police.utoledo.edu/Anonymous_Reporting.asp. You also can text a tip to UTPD by texting to: 69050 Keyword: UTPD.

Remember to always be aware of your surroundings, walk with confidence and make eye contact with people who approach you. Do not attempt to disarm an armed person.

Be a responsible member of the community. If you see someone suspicious, or have information on these or any other crime, please report it to the police.

Any crime in progress: 9-1-1

Remember: See it, hear it, report it!

Students, Faculty and Staff,

Timely Warnings are communications required by the Clery Act, alerting the student body, faculty and staff to an act of violence that has taken place on campus.

However, symbolic of The University of Toledo's commitment to safety, education and transparency, The University of Toledo Police Department takes a broader approach to the requirements of the Clery Act and provides information about incidents adjacent to campus as well.

Please know the safety alerts received from UTPD do not necessarily reflect an increase in crime levels. Rather, we feel a broad and liberal distribution allows students to make more informed choices regarding personal safety and provide an opportunity to share safety information.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions, concerns or information about the incident described above.

Sincerely,

Jeff Newton