SECURITY ALERT

Type of Incident: Attempted Robbery

Location of Incident: Student Center food service loading dock

Date of Incident: Monday, February 13th, 2017

Time of Incident: 08:35 am

Incident Description: A delivery driver reported that as he was returning to his truck in the Student Center food service delivery loading dock, he heard the door to his delivery truck being opened. The driver reported that he saw two men in the cargo area, and one standing outside the truck. The driver yelled at the three men, who immediately fled to a nearby van. The van travelled east on Washington Blvd., then south on Belvoir Blvd. There was no physical confrontation, no injuries, and no weapon was shown or threatened. The driver was unsure if any items were stolen from the truck. The University Heights Police responded, and are investigating.

Description of Suspect(s): The driver described the suspects as three males, one about 6 feet tall, wearing dark clothing. The other two suspects were both about 5'8" tall. One was wearing a grey hoodie, and the other a dark brown or black hoodie.

Vehicle description: The vehicle involved was described as an older model Ford Windstar, olive color with tan lower panels. No license plate number was noted.

If anyone has any information, which might be helpful to police investigating this crime, please contact JCUPD (216-397-1234), or the University Heights Police (216-832-1800).

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Information provided by: John Carroll University Police, and University Heights Police.

SAFETY AWARENESS INFORMATION

- To report a crime, suspicious activity or any emergency, please <u>immediately</u> contact JCUPD, 24 hours a day, at *397-1234*. If you are unsure about calling, play it safe and call so that potential problems can be addressed and or prevented.

- Escorts are provided anywhere on campus and areas immediately adjacent to campus. Request an escort 24 hours by calling *397-1234*.

- Jog or bike during daylight only in areas you are familiar with and stay within the vicinity of the campus.

- Protect your belongings by locking your office/room door every time you leave, don't leave purses, book bags, laptops and other valuables unattended. Keep valuables out of site in your car.

- Don't allow "tailgaters" to enter secured doors behind you, especially in the residence halls.

- Let a responsible person know where you are going, when you will return and how to contact you if you go somewhere alone outside of your normal routine.

- Use the "buddy" system with people you trust to watch out for each other's safety if you go to a party, bar or nightclub. Don't walk alone after dark off campus.

- Trust your "gut" feelings and avoid persons and situations that make you feel uncomfortable

- Additional safety and crime prevention information can be found through the following links: <u>http://sites.jcu.edu/css/</u> and <u>http://www.iaclea.org/visitors/about/CrimePrevention/personal_safety.p</u> <u>df</u>