

1. [Home](#)

San Francisco Police Request Public Assistance in Identifying Victim in Viral Video 20-021(a)

Image



February 26, 2020 | 12:55 AM

Share:

- [facebook](#)
- [twitter](#)
- [linkedin](#)
- [email](#)

[View PDF](#)

Image



Image



On February 24, 2020, the San Francisco Police Department was made aware of a video circulating on social media that depicted the robbery of an Asian man who was collecting recyclables in the Bayview District.

The Bayview Station Investigations Team (SIT) immediately initiated an investigation which has since been assigned to the SFPD Special Investigations Division (SID).

San Francisco Police investigators are asking for the public's assistance in identifying the victim described as an Asian male adult. Photos of the victim accompany this news release.

Anyone who recognizes the victim or has information regarding this incident is asked to call the SFPD 24-hour tip line at [1-415-575-4444](tel:1-415-575-4444). Language access services are available through this phone number. You may also Text a Tip to [TIP411](text:TIP411) and begin the text message with SFPD. Callers may remain anonymous.

Tags

Featured

News Release

This news content is displayed in its original format and preserved for historical reference. If you need assistance accessing this content in an accessible format, please [contact us](#).

Featured News

[UPDATE: Missing Person At-Risk Found #26-038\(a\)](#)

April 02, 2026 | 2:00 PM

Featured

Announcements

News Release

[SFPD Seeking the Public's Assistance in Locating Missing Person At-Risk #26-038](#)

April 02, 2026 | 1:15 PM

Featured

Announcements

News Release

[San Francisco Police Department Graduates Largest Recruit Class Since 2017 #26-037](#)

April 02, 2026 | 12:00 PM

Events

Featured

Announcements

News Release

[SFPD to Conduct DUI Checkpoint Operation on Friday, April 3rd, 2026 #26-036](#)

April 01, 2026 | 2:45 PM

Events

Featured

Announcements

News Release