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San Francisco Police Make Arrest in Robbery Series 22-038

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On March 15, 2022, at approximately 1:46 p.m., SFPD Officers from Northern Police Station responded to the area of Divisadero and North Point Streets for a report of a robbery with a gun. Upon arrival, officers met with the victim who stated that an unknown male approached her, brandished a firearm, and demanded her wallet. Fearing for her safety, the victim gave the suspect her wallet. The suspect then entered a waiting vehicle and fled. The vehicle was described as a light blue sedan.

On March 15, 2022, at approximately 6:49 p.m., SFPD Officers from Central Police Station responded to the area of Leavenworth and Lombard Streets for a report of a robbery with a gun. Upon arrival, officers met with the victim who told officers that two unknown males approached her and brandished firearms. Fearing for her life she handed the suspects her personal items. The suspects then got into a waiting vehicle and fled. The vehicle was described as a light blue sedan.

On March 15, 2022, at approximately 6:56 p.m., SFPD Officers from Central Police Station responded to the area of Jones and Washington Streets for a report of a robbery with a gun. Upon arrival, officer met with the victim who stated that he was just attacked and robbed at gunpoint by two males. The victim told police that an unknown male approached him from behind and put him in a headlock, while a second unknown male pointed a gun at him and demanded his camera. Fearing for

his safety, the victim gave the suspects his camera. The suspects fled in a vehicle, which was described as a light blue sedan.

Believing that the robberies might be connected, investigators from the SFPD Robbery Detail took over the investigation.

On March 16, 2022, at approximately 11:21 a.m., SFPD were on patrol in the area of 3rd Street and Palou Ave in the Bayview District when they observed a light blue sedan that matched the description of the suspect robbery vehicle. Officers approached the vehicle, however the vehicle immediately fled at a high rate of speed. Officers initiated a pursuit of the suspect vehicle, which

led them through city streets and onto the freeway. While on the freeway, the suspect vehicle collided with a victim vehicle and continued to flee. While exiting the freeway, the suspect was involved in a solo collision. The driver exited and fled on foot. Officers pursued the suspect on foot and took him into custody. In addition, officers located a female in the suspect vehicle. Officers released the female at the scene. The driver of the victim vehicle was treated for non-life-threatening injuries. The suspect-driver of the vehicle was transported to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

The suspect was identified as a 17-year-old male juvenile of San Francisco. Upon release from the hospital, the juvenile will be booked at Juvenile Justice Center for three counts of Robbery (211 PC), False Imprisonment (236 PC), Kidnapping (207 PC), Felony Hit and Run (20001 CVC), three counts of being Armed with a Firearm during the Commission of a Felony (12022(a)(1) PC), Conspiracy (182(a)(1) PC), Felony Evasion (2800.2(a) CVC), Threat towards an Executive Officer (69 PC), and Misdemeanor Hit and Run (20002(a) CVC).

While an arrest has been made this remains an open investigation. Anyone with information is asked to call the SFPD Tip line at [415-575-4444](tel:415-575-4444) or Text a Tip to [TIP411](sms:4155754444) and begin the text message with SFPD. You may remain anonymous.

These incidents are being investigated under SFPD Incident Report Numbers: 220-172-617, 220-172-554, and 220-171-857.

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