

## **NEWS RELEASE**



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**CASE NUMBER:** 07-8225

**DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT:** 09/26/07 - 10:28 AM

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**NATURE OF STORY:** **ROBBERY**

**LOCATION:** 5550 Franklin Boulevard  
Glenwood

**INVOLVED:** Names not being released at this time

### **DETAILS:**

The Lane County Sheriff's Office with assistance from the Oregon State Police, the Springfield Police Department and the Eugene Police Department responded to a robbery call.

Four (4) men dressed in black wearing ski masks were seen walking around the outside of the Franklin Boulevard residence. A female residing at the residence armed with a B-B gun confronted the masked men. During the confrontation she was assaulted and the men attempted to tie her up.

Shortly after the assault took place, the men ran from the area into the woods above the house.

The Sheriff's Office received information from a Lane Community College (LCC) security officer. He said two (2) vehicles were contacted at LCC earlier that morning with male occupants matching the description of those involved in this incident.

A Sheriff's Deputy saw a vehicle with four (4) occupants fitting suspect and vehicle descriptions in this incident. The vehicle was stopped at the 3400 block of East Amazon Boulevard in Eugene. The four (4) occupants were taken into custody and are being detained by the Sheriff's Office.

The Sheriff's Office had a helicopter in the air working at the time of this incident. The helicopter was routed to assist with this call. From the air the helicopter was able to locate the other involved vehicle off of Bloomburg Street in Eugene. An additional male was taken into custody and is being detained by the Sheriff's Office.

A total of five (5) adult males are being detained by the Sheriff's Office as detectives investigate this incident. Names are not being released at this time.

Both vehicles involved in the incident have been seized. More information will be made known as the investigation develops.

A portion of East Amazon Boulevard was closed for approximately 30 minutes during this incident.

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