In compliance with the provisions of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act of 1998, the Fayetteville State University (FSU) Campus Police are giving notice of an alleged disturbing act of violence reported to have occurred on the campus of Fayetteville State University.

On Thursday, January 8, 2009, an alleged armed robbery of an individual was reported to campus police and administrators. The incident allegedly occurred on Thursday, January 8, 2009, at approximately 6:20 p.m. while an individual was making a transaction at the ATM machine located on the Fayetteville State University campus near Langdon Street. The victim reported that while he was conducting a transaction at the ATM, four unknown males approached him. The victim reported that the one of the males pointed a gun at him and demanded money. The victim reported that after the males robbed him, the suspects ran from the area.

The suspects’ descriptions are as follows:

Suspect 1: Black male, approximately 5’8”, approximately 185-190 pounds, medium complexion, and approximately 18-20 years old. Suspect 1 was wearing a brown “racing style” jacket with patches or designs on the front, dark colored jeans, and a dark colored baseball style cap.

Suspect 2: Black male wearing a red jacket with white stripes on the sleeves.

Suspect 3: Black male

Suspect 4: Black male

All suspects were described as between 5’7” and 6’0”. All suspects were described as being between approximately 17 and 20 years old.

If you have any information that might be helpful in this investigation, contact the Fayetteville Police Department at (910) 433-1529, the Fayetteville State University Police Department at (910) 672-1775, or Crime Stoppers at (910) 483-8477. Anonymous information is welcomed. The university has an “affirmative duty” to warn persons associated with this university of possible peril at the hands of some third party or parties.

Students, staff, and faculty should carefully consider their surroundings and stay cognizant of those around them. Students, staff, and faculty are encouraged to walk in groups and walk in well lit, frequently traveled areas.
When using automated teller machines, students, staff, and faculty are encouraged to scan the area prior to approaching the machine. If you observe suspicious activity while conducting a transaction, cancel the transaction and leave the machine.