



# GREATER SPRINGFIELD AREA CRIME STOPPERS INC.

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## Rape Investigations

**For May 13, 2008**

CRIME STOPPERS and the Springfield Police Department are asking for help in identifying the suspect or suspects in two rapes that have occurred in Springfield.

The most recent rape occurred at 2750 N. Glenstone, Hampton Inn, on March 21, 2008, between 6:00 and 6:40 AM. The victim had been staying at the Hampton Inn on business and was preparing to go home. When she left her room, she found a male outside her door. He told her he had a knife and forced her back into her room where he raped her. The male had on a black ski mask with holes for both eyes and his mouth. He also was wearing a black or brown hooded-pullover sweatshirt and blue jeans

This suspect was described as a white male in his late 20's to early 30's. He was about 5'8" tall, 150 pounds. He was described as being stocky, not fat, but appearing to have a "beer belly". He had dark colored eyes and thick, brown eyebrows. His hands were described as being large and thick.

The earlier rape occurred at 1772 S. Glenstone, Lamplighter Inn, on January 24-25, 2007. The incident started about 11:30 PM and the victim called police at about 12:20 AM. This victim was leaving her room to get something from her car when a white male hit her in the face, pushed her back into her room, told her he had a knife, and then raped her. This suspect was wearing a black ski mask, black sweatshirt, and light blue, cheap, carpenter-style jeans.

This suspect was described as a white male, 6'0" tall, 180 pounds – not fat, but with a small gut. He possibly had brown hair and also possibly a mustache and goatee. His hands were described as being fat and very calloused. He had a very soft voice, smelled of stale smoke, and was sweating profusely. A festered pimple was seen in the area of his right groin.

If you have any information about the suspects in either of these rapes, call Crime Stoppers. Do NOT try to apprehend the suspects, as they may be dangerous. Call CRIME STOPPERS at **869-TIPS (8477)** or go on-line at **[www.tipsubmit.com](http://www.tipsubmit.com)**. Tipsters do not have to give their name and could earn a reward.

Crime Stoppers takes information about drug dealers, wanted felons, and all other felony crimes. We pay rewards of up to \$1000.00 in cash for the information that leads to the arrest and the filing of charges against people involved in felony crimes.