



GREATER SPRINGFIELD AREA CRIME STOPPERS INC.

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Assault and Robbery

For July 15, 2008

CRIME STOPPERS and the Springfield Police Department are asking for help in identifying the suspects in a robbery and assault that occurred on May 30, 2008, between 1:00 and 2:00 AM. The victim had been at a bar downtown. When he left westbound on Walnut in his car, two dark-colored vehicles boxed his car in. This may have happened in the Grant and Walnut area or Missouri and Elm area. Several black males approached the victim and one said he was going to take the victim's car and rims. The victim told them they were not going to take his car and one of the males assaulted the victim with a wood cutting saw. The victim blocked the blow with his arm, leaving a deep cut and both bones in his forearm broken. The black male also struck the victim in the neck and head with the saw. The victim attempted to get away and in the process the males took his wallet.

The male with the saw was described as about 6'0" tall, 200 pounds, with a "pudgy" stomach, short black hair with cornrows or dreadlocks, and wearing a tan T-shirt. One of the other black males had braids in his hair. The two suspect vehicles used to box in the victim's car were described as a dark-colored Grand Prix or Bonneville, possibly mid 90's body style, and a car similar to a boxy-body style Caprice or Monte Carlo.

If you have any information about the suspects in this robbery, 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**. Tipsters do not have to give their name and could earn a reward.

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