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WESTERN DISTRICT

ATTEMPTED CARJACKING

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On November 12, 2009, at approximately 1:21 p.m., officers from Western District responded to Walmart located in the 3500 block of Russett Green East in Laurel for a report of an attempted car jacking that just occurred.

Upon arrival, officers spoke with the female victim, who advised that a male subject approached her as she was getting out of her vehicle in the parking lot and demanded the keys to her vehicle. The suspect then grabbed the victim around her neck and attempted to grab the keys from her hand. The victim subsequently screamed and the suspect fled on foot through the parking lot. A lookout was provided to officers and responding units canvassed the area, but were unable to locate the suspect. The victim sustained minor abrasions to her face and neck during the incident.

Suspect: Black male in his early 20's with dark skin and a beard, approximately 5'10" to 6'0", 180-200 lbs, wearing a black "Northface" fleece jacket with a black hoodie and dark jeans

Safety Tip: Remember to stay in your vehicle with the doors locked and windows up if you see a stranger approaching. If you observe anyone loitering near your unoccupied vehicle, keep walking until the person goes away. Trust your instincts!

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