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## MEDIA RELEASE

### **SERIES OF STREET ROBBERIES BEING INVESTIGATED**

Since October 18, 2007, the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office and the Douglas County Sheriff's Office have been investigating a series of six street robberies. Five of the street robberies have occurred in the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office jurisdiction and one robbery in the Douglas County Sheriff's Office jurisdiction. The street robberies have all occurred in the immediate area of the garages of each of the victim's homes. The most recent street robbery occurred on January 21, 2008, at about 8:40 P.M. The six street robberies have happened between 5:30 P.M. and 11:30 P.M. Four of the street robberies occurred along the Smoky Hill Road corridor from South Chambers Street to E-470, one robbery occurred in the area of East County Line Road and South Clarkson Street and one robbery occurred in the area of South Quebec Street and MacArthur Ranch Road (Douglas County). During each of the street robberies, victims have been followed to their homes, where they were confronted by the suspects in the driveway or in the immediate area of the garage.

The street robbery suspects have demanded cash, purses, wallets and car keys, although there have been no vehicles stolen during the series of robberies. Descriptions of the robbery suspects have varied, as in most circumstances the suspects have worn ski-masks. The suspects are believed to be 15-19 year old males. The number and description of the suspects responsible for each robbery differs from two black males, one black male and one white male, and three black males. The suspects have been armed with handguns. The suspect's vehicles have been described as a dark sedan, an older 90's dark blue or black 4-door Honda with no rims or dark rims, low profile, a 2002- 2003 silver metallic Honda Civic sedan with shiny chrome rims and very dark tinted windows.

On October 30, 2007, a stolen credit card was used for purchases at area convenience stores. Security surveillance photographs of the suspects using the stolen credit card are attached.

Anyone with information regarding the identity of the two suspects observed in the surveillance photographs is asked to contact the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office at 303.705.4711.

A cash reward will be provided for information leading to the arrest of suspects responsible for the series of street robberies.

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Below are composite drawings of the suspects.



In addition to the attached security surveillance photographs and the composite drawings, the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office will provide the media with copies of convenience store surveillance video, in an effort to identify the robbery suspects.

For additional information contact Sheriff Grayson Robinson at 720.874.4165.

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