



CHICO POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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TYPE OF INCIDENT: 211 P.C. – Bank Robbery

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: Umpqua Bank, 1540 Esplanade

DATE/TIME OCCURRED: 9-30-15 / 1121 Hours

INCIDENT CASE NUMBER: 15-6615

VICTIM: Umpqua Bank

SUSPECT: See below

NARRATIVE:

On 9-30-15 at about 1121 Hours, the Chico Police Department received a report of a robbery that had just occurred at Umpqua Bank, located at 1540 Esplanade. The male suspect was reported to have left the bank, and last seen walking eastbound from the bank.

Officers responded to the scene and met with bank personnel. Officers learned that the male suspect entered the bank and approached a bank teller. The suspect presented a note with a demand for money. The teller handed the suspect an undisclosed amount of money and the suspect walked out of the bank. Nobody was injured during the robbery.

The suspect was described as a light-skinned Hispanic male, about 5'8" tall, with a medium to heavy build, wearing a dark baseball cap, a dark hooded sweatshirt, and sunglasses.

This is the second bank robbery, within a week, at a Chico area Umpqua Bank. At this point in the investigation, it does not appear the two robberies are connected.

Anyone with information, regarding the robberies, is encouraged to phone the Chico Police Department.

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