**UPDATED Crime Alert: 2nd Robbery Suspect Arrested**

UCPD sent a crime alert yesterday in reference to the three separate robberies which occurred in the area of parking lot 19 on 3/3/13. UCPD arrested JC French, a 20-year-old Moreno Valley man, identified as the primary suspect in those robberies. Through their investigation, UCPD detectives were able to determine that a second suspect was involved.

On March 4th at about 3 p.m. in the Moreno Valley area, UCPD detectives located and arrested Marzaveus Reese, a 21-year-old Moreno Valley man, who assisted French with the first robbery and was driving a getaway vehicle at the scene of the crime. The stolen getaway vehicle was recovered and returned to the owner. UCPD is not looking for any other suspects associated with these robberies. We would like to acknowledge that these arrests were made possible by several quick thinking victims and witnesses in the area who called UCPD and provided immediate assistance to responding officers in pointing out the suspect’s location.

French and Reese were booked in Riverside County Jail on the following charges:

French:
- 211PC Robbery
- 664/211PC Attempt robbery (2 counts)
- 245(a)(2)PC Assault with a deadly weapon
- 182(a)(1)PC Conspiracy

Reese:
- 211PC Robbery
- 182(a)(1)PC Conspiracy
- 10851VC Grand Theft Auto

**********Original Message**********

**Crime Alert: Robbery & Robbery Suspect Arrested on Campus**

On 3/3/13 at about 8:00pm a suspect committed three separate robberies minutes apart in the area of parking lot 19 on the UCR campus. The suspect approached pedestrians and brandished what was later found to be a toy gun. Two of the victims were assaulted during the robberies and sustained minor injuries. UCPD officers responded immediately and with the help of victims and witnesses at the scene, the suspect was found and arrested. Stolen property and the toy gun used in the crimes were recovered. UCPD is continuing to investigate these incidents and we will share more details with the community as they are developed.