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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

INCIDENT: Armed Robbery

DATE: Saturday, July 8th, 2023

TIME: Approximately 4:54 A.M.

LOCATION: Thornton's Gas Station, 1118 Touhy Ave (Touhy and Greenwood)

On Saturday, July 8th at approximately 4:54 A.M. Park Ridge Police responded to an armed robbery that had just occurred at Thornton's Gas Station located at Touhy and Greenwood.

Upon arrival, officers met with the clerk who said that a black colored BMW X5 pulled up in front of the gas station. A male Hispanic subject exited the front passenger door of the vehicle, walked to the front entrance door, opened the door, and held it open for two male black subjects that had exited the rear doors of the BMW. One of them was holding a handgun which he pointed at the clerk and demanded money from the cash registers. Both offenders proceeded to take two cash register drawers containing cash. The offenders then ran out of the store with the cash and entered the BMW. The BMW left the gas station driving westbound on Touhy.

The offenders that were seen were described as:

Offender #1: Male, Hispanic wearing blue jeans and a tan-colored hooded sweatshirt.

Offender #2: Male, Black, wearing a black surgical mask, red hooded sweatshirt, and black shoes.

Offender #3: Male, Black wearing a red surgical mask, black hooded sweatshirt, green basketball shorts.

Park Ridge Detectives are reviewing store surveillance footage for additional information.

Anyone with information is asked to call the Park Ridge Police Department, Investigations Unit at 847-318-5305.

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