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**MEDIA RELEASE**

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**Release #1:**

On Sunday, August 16, 2009 at approximately 2:14 a.m. officers of the Garden City Police Department were dispatched to 1305 East Chestnut, Garden City, KS for a reported aggravated robbery that just occurred.

The initial investigation determined Cuauhtemoc Hernandez pulled into the driveway of his residence and parked. After unlocking the front door to his residence, Hernandez returned to his car to remove items when an unknown individual came up from behind him and demanded money. The suspect was armed with a handgun and took Hernandez's wallet and a set of keys. The suspect left walking west on Chestnut Street and was last seen going north on Center Street. Hernandez was not injured and the estimated amount of loss is around \$20.00. The suspect is described as being a black male, 5'8" tall with a slender build. He was wearing sunglasses, a gray hooded sweatshirt that appeared dirty and faded baggy blue jeans.

This is the fourth robbery with similar circumstances and matching suspect descriptions in the last month. If you are going to arrive home after dark, have your porch light on or install motion lights to keep the area around your house well lit. Be aware of your surroundings and look for anything suspicious or out of the ordinary. If you think something is wrong, call us to investigate before you park. If you are approached, remain calm and get the best description of the suspect you can and call 911 immediately. We are requesting anyone with information about any of the recent robberies to call the Garden City Police Department at (620) 276-1300, or if they wish to remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers at (620) 275-7807.

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