



**Shelby Police Department
311 South Lafayette Street
Shelby, North Carolina 28151**



Press Release

To: Local Media Outlets
From: Jeff Ledford, Chief of Police
Date: June 2, 2014
Re: Attempted Armed Robbery

On June 2, 2014 at 10:06 a.m., the Shelby Police Department responded to 1141 East Marion Street in reference to an Attempted Armed Robbery where the victim, Mr. David Timothy Young of Granite Falls, NC was cut during the incident. Mr. Young was conducting maintenance on the building there when he was approached by the suspect demanding money. When Mr. Young advised the suspect that he didn't have any money, he produced a razor knife and proceeded to cut Mr. Young on his left arm and hand. Mr. Young was treated at Cleveland Regional Medical Center for his injuries. The suspect who was last seen leaving the scene on foot is described as a white male or possibly a light skinned black male approximately six foot tall with a long brown beard and possible dreads in his hair. He was last seen wearing a black top with a hoodie that he had pulled over his head, and dark colored pants.

If you have any information pertaining to either of these crimes please call Crime Stoppers at 704-481-TIPS (8477). Anyone with information can call and remain anonymous.

If you have any questions, please contact Lieutenant Wray Hamrick at 704-484-7151 or the Shelby Police Department at (704) 484-6845.

