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PRESS RELEASE

On July 11th at about 7:50 PM Ukiah Police responded to Wal Mart, at 1155 Airport Park Boulevard, for a robbery. Officers learned a male suspect entered the store and waited his turn at the Customer Service Counter. The suspect displayed a firearm to the clerk and demanded money, then fled on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash and ran towards Applebee's. Ukiah Police Officers with assistance from the California Highway Patrol scoured the area for the suspect. A subject resembling the suspect was contacted and briefly detained, and was determined not to be involved.

Ukiah Police Officers contacted numerous people and businesses in the area, and located a witness who had observed the suspect running from the Wal Mart store. The suspect was observed entering the passenger seat of a vehicle parked near Applebee's, and the vehicle then drove away. The vehicle was described as beige or tan 1990's model Nissan Sentra 4-door. The driver was described as having short hair and probably of similar age as the suspect.

The suspect is described as a white or Hispanic male believed to be in his mid- 30's, wearing sunglasses and a round brimmed western style hat. The suspect was believed to be wearing a long sleeved shirt, pants, dark shoes, and dark colored gloves.

Ukiah Police Detectives have examined evidence and contacted witnesses, and are currently investigating leads towards identifying a suspect. Anybody with any information is asked to contact the Ukiah Police Detective Bureau at 463-6262.

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