



# **NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT**

# **PRESS RELEASE**

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**SUBJECT: Police Request Assistance Identifying Graffiti Vandal**

The Newark Police Department is asking for the public's assistance in identifying two suspects involved in graffiti vandalism of a Newark Business on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

At approximately 4:25 am a male and female are captured on video surveillance approaching a closed business in the 100 block of West Main Street. The male suspect retrieves a spray can from his backpack and proceeds to spray graffiti on the wall of the business while the female stands by. The pair are last seen walking eastbound on West Main Street.

The male suspect is described as white male wearing a dark colored baseball hat, dark colored short sleeve t-shirt and dark rimmed eyeglasses. The female suspect is described as a white female with shoulder length dark colored hair, a black tank top and Capri length blue jeans.

Still photos of the male suspect are attached with this press release. A video of the incident can be retrieved using the City of Newark Video Drop Box by visiting the following website: <http://newark.de.us/VideoBox/>

Anyone with information on the identity of the two suspects is asked to contact Cpl. Greg Micolucci at 302-366-7110 ext. 406 or [greg.micolucci@cj.state.de.us](mailto:greg.micolucci@cj.state.de.us) You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at [www.tipsubmit.com](http://www.tipsubmit.com) where a reward may be available.

*The Newark Police Department affirms that all defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.*

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