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MEDIA ADVISORY: Robbery Suspects Sought

Fresno County Sheriff detectives are asking for the public's help in solving a robbery that occurred on 3-6-07.

Two roadside vendors were working on the corner of Highway 180 & Dickenson when they were robbed at gunpoint. Eight suspects, all Hispanic males, arrived in two pick up trucks. One a white colored, older model Ford with a 12" yellow colored stripe down the middle, and the other a green, compact Ford. The suspects stole approximately 40 boxes of strawberries, 40 coconuts and 40 pineapples. The victims were able to flee and eventually contact the Sheriff's Department. According to the victims, the stolen fruit was valued at \$1,200.00. The suspects and vehicles are still outstanding and the investigation is continuing.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Joe Smith at 693-2437 or the Fresno County Sheriff's Department at 488-3111.