



Abilene Police Department Information Release



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Subject – Robbery Suspects Arrested

Location – North Side Business

Investigation Status – Closed

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On 12-29-11 officers of the Responsive Intelligence Unit assisted by detectives of the Crimes Against Persons Unit and officers of the Patrol Division contacted three men under suspicious circumstances outside a North side business. These men were detained for the investigation of a robbery that was to occur at this North side business. All three men were taken to the Law Enforcement Center and questioned about the planned robbery. Officers also took several items into custody as evidence including a ski mask, gloves, and pepper spray. All three men were arrested and charged with Criminal Conspiracy to Commit Robbery. This was a coordinated effort between three different divisions within the Abilene Police Department that resulted in the proactive arrest of these suspects prior to the robbery being committed. The men arrested are:



Joseph Jared Johns (aka Joseph Jared Gardner), 11-1-81; Roy Don Gardner Jr, 5-31-85; Huey Lee Jackson, 9-23-81