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NEWS RELEASE

Subject: Sexual Assault
Date: July 1, 2009

On this date at approximately 11:01 a.m., officers of the Odessa Police Department were dispatched to an area in Central Odessa in reference to a sexual assault. Upon arrival, officers contacted an adult female who advised that at approximately 10:30 a.m. this date, she along with a female juvenile was offered a ride from a male near the area of Dixie and 10th Street.

The victim reported that the suspect offered to drive her home but instead drove her to an isolated area near the south side of town and sexually assaulted her. The juvenile female was not assaulted or harmed.

After the suspect assaulted the victim, he left the area and the victim was able to call the police. The suspect is described as a Hispanic male, approximately 35-40 yoa, 230lbs, 5'2", brown eyes, dark hair with slight gray in the front. He is further described as a wearing black t-shirts and blue jeans and has a tan line around his eyes.

The suspect vehicle is described as a 2005-2007 Red Ford 4-door pick-up, black running board. Attached to the truck was a white with silver stripe enclosed trailer. The vehicle had a set of mattress in the bed of the truck.

Should anyone have information relating to the identity of this suspect, please call the Odessa Police Department at (432) 333-3641 or Crime Stoppers at (432) 333-TIPS.

This investigation continues...

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