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Wheeling PD Investigating Two Sperate Weekend Robberies

Around 8:20 p.m., Friday, June 29, Wheeling Police Officers were advised of a robbery on Lind Street in East Wheeling. The victims told officers they were sitting outside and two people allegedly approached them, threatened them with a weapon asking for money.

The two suspects, one described as a black male, wearing a white tank top, with a cast on his right arm - the second suspect, a light colored black male then fled on foot towards Grandview Manor.

Later that evening, around 11:45 p.m., unrelated to the previous incident, WPD was informed of a second robbery that took place in the 1000 block of Market Street in downtown.

The victim told officers they were standing outside, when a tall black male, possibly in his 30s, wearing dark colored shorts and a ball cap robbed him of money. The suspect then rode off on a mountain bike.

Anyone with information on these robberies are urged to call Wheeling Police at 304-234-3664 or submit a crime tip online at wheelingwv.gov/police.

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