



News Release

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- **Incident:** Armed Robbery
- **Date of Incident:** July 13, 2011 **Time of Incident:** 2127 hours
- **Location of Incident:** Sunoco - Challenger
3745 Challenger Avenue Roanoke (County), VA
- **Investigating Officer:** Detective C. Welch
- **Victim Name(s):** Sunoco - Challenger
- **Victim Age:** N/A
- **Victim Residence Location:** N/A
- **Suspect Name(s):** Unknown
- **Suspect Age:** Unknown
- **Suspect Residence Location:** Unknown
- **Charges if Applicable:** Pending
- **Arrests Information:** There have been no arrests made at this time.
- Anyone with information is asked to call Detective C. Welch at (540) 777-8626
- **Additional Remarks:** On July 13, 2011, at approximately 2127 hours (9:27 PM), the Roanoke County Police Department responded to a report of an armed robbery at the Sunoco Gas Station, located at 3745 Challenger Avenue in Roanoke. According to information obtained from witnesses at the scene, a male and female subject entered the store, held the clerk at gunpoint and stole an undetermined amount of money from the cash register. Both subjects fled on foot towards Roanoke City on Challenger Avenue (USR 460). The suspects were described as a black male, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt and black pants, and a black female wearing a red bandana, black hooded sweatshirt and black pants. Anyone with information regarding this event is asked to call Detective C. Welch at the above listed telephone number. For further updates related to this investigation, please contact Teresa Hall during normal business hours at (540) 772-2010.