

# NEWS RELEASE



## City of Chino Hills Police Department



Date/Time Occurred: Monday, August 17, 2015 at 1:23 PM.

Crime or Incident: PC 211 - Robbery & PC 182(a)(1) – Conspiracy

Location: 13251 Peyton Drive, Chino Hills, CA 91709

Victim(s): Lowes Home Improvement

Suspect(s): Michael Creighton (45) of Pomona, Lance Noriega (40) of Ontario and Lori Beltran (48) of Pomona

### SUMMARY

On August 17, 2015, about 1:23 PM, deputies from the Chino Hills Police Department responded to a possible robbery at Lowes, located at 13252 Peyton Drive.

Deputies spoke with loss prevention officers at the location and learned that two men and one woman were seen entering the store together and removing tags from expensive tools. The suspects concealed tools on their persons and walked toward the exit. Loss prevention officers confronted them in an attempt to retrieve the store property. One of the males removed several tools from his pocket prior to exiting and set them down, where they were recovered by loss prevention officers.

The second male exited the store and continued walking toward a white truck and loss prevention officers followed him in an attempt to get store property he still had on his person. As the loss prevention officers approached, the male suspect removed a knife from his pocket and threatened them verbally. This caused the employees to fear for their safety. They backed away from the suspects and waited for police to arrive.

Two male suspects were taken into custody and booked into the West Valley Detention Center for robbery and conspiracy. The female subject is still outstanding. Anyone with further information can contact the Chino Hills Police Department. If you wish to remain anonymous you can call WeTip at 800 78-CRIME.

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