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Press Release Update October 22, 2021

ACCPD and UGAPD Make Arrest in Armed Robbery Investigations

On October 22, 2021, the Athens-Clarke County Police Department, with the assistance of the University of Georgia Police Department, arrested Laquavion Baughns, 16, of Athens, GA, for the armed robberies that occurred on October 16, 2021. At this time, Baughns is in custody for the October 16, 2021 armed robbery that occurred in the 300 block of Pope Street, the October 16, 2021 armed robbery that occurred in the area of Second Street and Dr. MLK Jr. Parkway, and the October 16, 2021 armed robbery that occurred in the 300 block of Willow Street. Additionally, Baughns is in custody for the October 13, 2021 armed robbery that occurred in the area of Mitchell Street and Williams Street. Baughns is being charged as an adult for all of the aforementioned crimes.

The investigation into each of these incidents remains ongoing. Anyone with information regarding any of these events is asked to contact Lieutenant Norris at (762) 400-7165 or via email at david.norris@accgov.com. Anonymous tips can be made by calling the Crime Stoppers Tip Line at (706) 705-4775.



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ACCPD Investigating Weekend Armed Robberies

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October 18, 2021

The Athens-Clarke County Police is investigating Armed Robberies that occurred over the weekend.

On October 16, 2021, at approximately 12:04AM, two victims were approached by two males brandishing firearms in the 300 block of Pope Street. The suspects stole an amount of US Currency from the victims at gunpoint. Case number 2021-10160005.

On October 16, 2021, at approximately 12:30AM, three victims were approached by two males brandishing firearms in the area of Second Street and Dr. MLK Jr. Parkway. The two suspects demanded money from the victims. The suspects stole an amount of US Currency from the victims at gunpoint. Case number 2021-10160015.

On October 16, 2021, at approximately 12:40AM, two victims were approached by two males brandishing firearms in the 300 block of Willow Street. The two suspects demanded money from the victims. Nothing was stolen as a result of this incident. Case number 2021-10160012.

On October 17, 2021, at approximately 12:30AM, one victim was approached by one male brandishing a firearm in the area of Vine Street and Hillside Street. The suspect demanded money from the victim. Nothing was stolen as a result of this incident. Case number 2021-10170018.

On October 17, 2021, at approximately 12:50AM, two victims were approached by one male brandishing a firearm in the area of Fourth Street and Bonnie Lane. The suspect demanded money from the victims. Nothing was stolen as a result of this incident. 2021-10170020.

On October 17, 2021, at approximately 1:00AM, one victim was approached by one male brandishing a firearm in the area of Baxter Street and Finley Street. The suspect demanded money from the victim. Nothing was stolen as a result of this incident. 2021-10170038.

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