



ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Man Abducted, and Held Overnight

On Sunday morning, 02/18/2017, an Athens-Clarke County Police Officers was approached by a man who identified himself as Robert Brown, at the Baxter Street Sub-Station Mr. Robert Bowen reported that he was physically assaulted, and abducted at gunpoint by three young black males on Mcwhorter Dr at approximately 10:45 pm on 02/16/2017. He was forced into a black late 60s to early 70s Chevy Impala, then transported while blindfolded to a trailer at an unknown location where he was held until the next morning. The offenders demanded money that Mr. Bowen states he didn't have.

Mr. Brown stated that after being held throughout the night the suspects drove him to Dudley Dr., where he was released. He described one of the males as being in his late teens or early 20's around 5-11, 165lbs. The description of a second suspect is also a male in his late teen's early 20's around 6-00, 185 lbs. The investigation into this case is on-going.

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