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## PRESS RELEASE

September 20, 2017 (10:20 a.m.) (Robbery Investigation)

One suspect remains at large as a result of a robbery that occurred during the early evening hours yesterday.

On September 19, 2017 at approximately 6:00 p.m. Salisbury police officers and detectives responded to the Family Dollar located at 1005 N. Salisbury Blvd, Salisbury, Maryland for a reported robbery. The female employee stated that an unmasked suspect had reached into the cash register, stole money and fled the store.

Further investigation revealed that upon entering the store the suspect began selecting several items as he walked around the store. The suspect then got into the check out line, where the store employee was waiting on other customers. As the employee opened the cash register to make change for another customer, the suspect reached over the counter in an effort to steal money from the cash register. The employee attempted to block the suspect from getting into the register and the suspect punched the employee one time on the right side of her face.

The suspect was able to steal an undisclosed amount of U.S currency prior to fleeing the store on foot in an unknown direction. The employee received minor non-life threatening injuries and she was treated and released from Peninsula Regional Medical Center.

**SUSPECT:** Black male, 30-40 years of age, approximately 5'-08" 200 pounds, wearing a black hooded jacket and dark colored jeans.

The investigation is ongoing and detectives are requesting anyone with information to contact the Salisbury Police Department (410) 548-3113 or Crime Solvers (410) 548-1776.

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