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ARMED ROBBERY ARREST

Somerset Collection, 2800 W Big Beaver, 5/27/12, 5:23 pm: Troy Officers were dispatched to a report of one woman and three men fighting inside the mall. As officers were responding, information was received that the incident involved some type of theft and that one suspect was fleeing the area in a white full-size van. Troy Officers located and stopped the van near Lakeview and Big Beaver. The lone male driver was taken into custody after a brief scuffle. Officers spoke with the victims who stated that they had just exited the True Religion store where the woman had purchased a pair of jeans and a shirt. As they walked away from the store, they noticed two men sitting on a bench outside the store. Suddenly, one of the men who had been seated on the bench grabbed the male victim and ripped his glasses off his face. The victim was wearing a pair of \$1,800 Cartier eyeglasses. As the male victim scuffled with his assailant the other man who had been on the bench pulled the revolver out of his front pants pocket while the assailant told him to “bust him”. The victim backed off after seeing the gun. Robertson then grabbed the woman’s purse and True Religion shopping bag and took off running. The couple followed the two suspects at a distance but lost sight of one. The other suspect was seen leaving in the white van. Troy Officers searched the white van and located a 6 shot revolver with five live rounds under the driver’s seat cushion. The female victim’s purse and True Religion shopping bag were also located in the van. The now broken Cartier glasses were recovered in the area where the confrontation had occurred. The second suspect was not captured and remains at large.

On 5/29/12 a warrant was obtained charging “Kereim Jwron Robertson”, 18 years old, out of Detroit with “2 Counts of Armed Robbery”, “Felony Firearm”, “Possession of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony” and “Resist and Obstruct a Police Officer”. He was arraigned by Judge Bolle of the 52-4 District Court and bond was set at \$1,000,000.00 cash/surety. Pre-Trial scheduled for June 4, 2012 at 8:30 AM in front of Judge Bolle.

Mug shot attached.