Sexual Assault Investigation

On Saturday, June 10, 2023, at approximately 7:01 p.m., Monterey Police Department officers were dispatched to the 800 block of Laine regarding a sexual battery that had just occurred. A juvenile female had left her residence to check the family’s mailbox. When she was returning to her residence, a male suspect grabbed her by both arms, and began to grope the juvenile victim. At about this time, a family member exited the residence and the suspect fled on foot towards Pacific Grove. Monterey detectives were called to the scene and assisted with the on-going investigation.

The suspect was described as a white male, approximately 30 years old, with an average build, approximately 5’9” tall, and had brown curly hair. He was last seen wearing, a black sweatshirt with white writing on the chest and possible white marks on the sleeves, blue jeans with “ripped” knees and black or black and white tennis shoes.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, or anyone who has video of the area is encouraged to contact Detective Sergeant Greg Galin at 831-646-3872 or galin@monterey.org. To remain anonymous, call (831) 646-3840