



## PRESS RELEASE

Release Date: 5-11-2009 Time: 4:00 p.m.

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Bank Robbery (CPC 211)

LOCATION: 17011 Beach Blvd., Huntington Beach

DATE/TIME OF OCCURRENCE: 5-11-2009 1:06 p.m. CASE NUMBER: 09-007594

<u>SUSPECT INFORMATION</u> ARRESTED: YES Patrick Murphy - 53 yrs old No local address – transient

## **DETAILS:**

On 5-11-2009 at 1:08 p.m., the Huntington Beach Police Department received a robbery alarm from the Comerica Bank at 17011 Beach Blvd. Officers were dispatched to the scene while the communications operators called inside the business to obtain more information on the robbery.

Responding officers arrived at the bank and determined the suspect, a male white, had left the area on foot. He had made a verbal demand for the money and no weapon was brandished inside the bank. No one was injured during the robbery.

Officers located Patrick Murphy who fit the description of the robbery suspect a short time later about a block away from the bank. He was detained and later admitted to his involvement in the robbery. He was in possession of about \$20,000 in cash and armed with a pocket knife in his jacket pocket.

At this time, there is no indication that Patrick Murphy is involved in any other robberies. He was booked at the Huntington Beach Police Department city jail.

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