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Safeway Robbery Suspect Arrested

On September 3, 2011 at 4:50am, an armed robbery occurred at the Safeway grocery store located at 6310 College Ave. The store video surveillance showed the suspect approach the cashier and rob him at gun point. After committing the robbery, the suspect fled on foot and fired his gun as security attempted to approach him. Store surveillance photos of the suspect were provided to the media and with the assistance of the community, tips led investigators to the identification of the suspect.

On September 13, 2011 the Oakland Police Department's Gun, Gangs and Intelligence Task Force (GTIF) with the assistance of the Richmond Police Department arrested suspect Philip Taylor (26 year old Richmond resident) for the robbery.

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