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CAMINO MAN ROBBED AT GUNPOINT ON PLACERVILLE DRIVE

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Placerville, CA – On December 7, 2020 at 10:40 pm a Placerville Police Officer was on Placerville Drive and heard what was believed to be a single gunshot come from the area of 386 Placerville Drive. The officer responded to the area and saw a black sedan leaving the area eastbound on Placerville Drive. The officer was then flagged down by an 18 year old man from Camino, in the parking lot of 386 Placerville Dr.

The 18 year old male advised officers he was followed to 386 Placerville Drive by four occupants of a black sedan. One of the suspects, while seated in the black sedan, was holding a black semi-automatic handgun. The suspect pointed the handgun at the victim and exited the vehicle along with the other three occupants.

The victim was surrounded by the three occupants while the armed assailant went to the victim's vehicle. The armed suspect took the victims cell phone and car keys from inside the vehicle. The other three suspects had the victim empty the contents of his pockets.

Three of the suspects got back into the black sedan. The armed suspect hit the victim on the left side of the face with the handgun and the handgun discharged one round. The armed suspect entered the black sedan and left the area, eastbound on Placerville Drive.

The victim's cell phone was pinged and later located a short distance away on Pierroz Road. The victim had a large contusion and hematoma on his face as a result from being struck by the handgun, but he refused medical attention.

No weapons or suspects were located and this is an active investigation. Anyone with any information is encouraged to call the Placerville Police Department and speak with Sergeant Gadow or Officer Taylor.