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SUBJECT: UPDATE ARREST Port St. Lucie Police asking for public's help in identifying suspect whom robbed the Circle K located at 701 NW Airoso Boulevard.

On Monday, February 22, 2016, Port St. Lucie Police arrested **Ray Anthony Morales (DOB 11/22/78, 1771 SE Fairfield Street, Port St. Lucie)** for armed robbery to the Circle K located at 701 NW Airoso Boulevard on February 18, 2016 at 2:20 am.

During the investigation police received tips that the suspect depicted in the Circle K robbery used to work at a local restaurant. Detectives were able to locate a photo from the restaurant in question and saw a man who resembled the suspect who robbed the Circle K. As the investigation progressed police received another anonymous tip that the person showed committing the robbery is Ray Morales. Detectives conducted a photograph line-up with the victim of the robbery and Ray Morales was identified as the suspect.

With the help of St. Lucie County Sheriff's Office and the United States Federal Marshal Regional Fugitive Task Force, Ray Morales was arrested at the St. Lucie County Courthouse where he was located on an unrelated situation. Morales was taken to the Port St. Lucie Police Department for questioning and later arrested and taken to the St. Lucie County Jail for booking.

Attachments: Arrest Affidavit and surveillance video from Circle K.

Please click the link below to view store surveillance video from the Circle K

VIEWER – https://dl.dropboxusercontent.com/u/14810171/2016-03988_CircleK.mov



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