Today (Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018) at approximately 2:35 p.m., a CMU student was walking near the intersection of South Graham Street and Centre Avenue. A man approached the student from behind and took her reusable grocery bag from her hand. The grocery bag contained food and clothing items. The suspect immediately fled the area with no further contact with the student.

The student described the suspect as a male, approximately 6'5" tall, wearing a grey hooded sweatshirt and dark blue pants. The hood on the sweatshirt was over his head and he was wearing dark colored sunglasses at the time of the incident. No further description is available.

This incident is being investigated by the Pittsburgh Bureau of Police.

General Safety and Prevention Tips:

- Stay alert to your surroundings at all times.
- Do not fight with an assailant who attempts to steal your belongings.
- Stay close to friends and do not interact with strangers.
- Do not approach suspicious persons or vehicles.
- Report any suspicious activity on campus to CMU Police at 412-268-2323, or off campus to the Pittsburgh Police at 911 as soon as possible.

Chief Tom Ogden
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