



CITY OF JACKSONVILLE

NORTH CAROLINA



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PRESS RELEASE

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Bank Robbery Suspect Apprehended February 9, 2012

During the early morning hours of February 8, 2012, Detectives from the Special Operations Unit and officers of the Patrol Division located Rodney Milton, a suspect in yesterday's armed robbery of the Marine Federal Credit Union – Triangle Branch. Milton was apprehended at the Coastal Motel, 1950 Wilmington Highway and was taken into custody without incident.

Milton was charged with Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon, Possession of Stolen Property, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and Possession of Schedule II Controlled Substance. He is held at the Onslow County Jail under \$130,000 secured bond.

“The teamwork of the Detective Division, Patrol Division and Communications Division led to the swift apprehension of this subject. We would also like to thank the Onslow County Sheriff's Department for their assistance in the investigation,” stated Police Chief Mike Yaniero.

Jacksonville Police Department recognizes the assistance of the public, Crimestoppers and our broadcast media partners for their efforts in promptly disseminating information about the incident to the public in their news programming yesterday.

The case remains under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Anthony Ramirez or Detective Barbara Evanson at 910-938-6405 or Crimestoppers at 910-938-3273.

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Rodney R. Milton, 27

739 Three Bridges Estates

\$130,000.00 Secured Bond

Robbery with a Dangerous Weapon

Possession of Stolen Property

Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

Possession of Schedule II Controlled Substance

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