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Culver City Police Department
PRESS RELEASE
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**ARMED ROBBERY SUSPECT ARRESTED AND
STOLEN PUPPY REUNITED WITH ITS OWNER**

On May 12, 2021, at approximately 7:00pm, an armed robbery of a gray 10-month-old French Bulldog occurred in the 6000 block of Canterbury Drive. The suspect was armed semiautomatic handgun. The suspect was last seen fleeing the location on foot with the victim's dog.

Culver City Police Department Detectives immediately began investigating this crime and were quickly able to identify a suspect.

On May 15, 2021, at approximately 11:45am, Culver City Police Detectives observed the suspect leaving a residence in the Fox Hills Area of Culver City. The suspect, who was holding a gray French Bulldog, entered a nearby vehicle and drove away. Culver City Police Officers attempted to stop the vehicle, and a short vehicle pursuit ensued. The pursuit ended when the suspect collided with another vehicle near Bristol Parkway and Slauson Ave. The driver and sole occupant of the uninvolved vehicle was not injured. The suspect fled the scene of the traffic accident on foot, and a perimeter was established in the area. A perimeter search was conducted utilizing a Culver City Police Drone Team and other resources. At approximately 2:45, the suspect was located and arrested for Armed Robbery (PC 211).

The French Bulldog was also located (unharmd) and returned to its rightful owner. This case will be presented to the Los Angeles District Attorney's Office for criminal filing consideration.



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