Dear Campus Community Member;

We would like to inform you of a crime that has recently occurred near campus so you have the information you need to take the appropriate precautions. While this incident is not being reported as part of the College’s Timely Warning Notification Process, Public Safety (DPS) believes this information is important for campus wide distribution in the form of a Public Safety as a means of providing crime prevention and safety awareness information to the campus community and soliciting information that could assist in investigative efforts.

REPORTED OFFENSE:

The Gettysburg College Department of Public Safety has received a report on October 28th, 2016 that a student was a victim of an attempted robbery on the 100 block of Carlisle Street in front of the Carlisle St. Apartment Building at approx. 1:51am. The victim reported that two or possibly three white males approached him and wanted his wallet. The victim refused and one of the suspects assaulted him by striking him with his fist knocking him to the ground. A second suspect stopped the first suspect from striking him again and they then fled the scene. Gettysburg Borough Police are investigating this incident.

SUSPECT(S):

No suspects or witnesses have been identified in this case. Suspect # 1 is described as a white male approx. 5’9” tall, long black hair, and in his mid. 20’s wearing a white T-shirt. Suspect #2 is described as a white male approx. 5’9” and mid. 20’s.

CRIME CLASSIFICATION/DEFINITION:

For crime reporting purposes, Robbery is the taking of or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear.

REPORTING:

The Gettysburg Police and DPS are asking anyone with information that might be relevant to the investigative process to contact them immediately.
DPS can be contacted by calling (717)337-6912 or (717)337-6911 for emergency purposes. Additionally; criminal incidents can be reported to the Gettysburg Borough Police by calling 911. Incidents of a non-emergency nature can be reported by completing the on-line community concern form at: http://www.gettysburg.edu/about/offices/college_life/care/submit-a-concern/ or by calling the DPS crime tips hotline at: (717)337-8477 (TIPS).

REMEMBER:

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<td>Meet in public areas, when possible</td>
<td>Immediately report crimes to Public Safety or the Police. Timely reports can aid in the identification of responsible parties.</td>
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<td>Call DPS at 337-6911 for a Safety Escort if you have to walk alone</td>
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