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Date: October 07, 2011  
Case No. 11-16489

On October 7, 2011 at 10:00 p.m., the Portage Department of Public Safety responded to Pizza King located at 5236 Portage Road, for an armed robbery. The lone suspect entered the restaurant wearing a rubber Halloween style mask, dark blue or black pea coat, dark pants, and was in possession of a black semi automatic pistol.

The suspect departed the scene on foot with an undisclosed amount of money. A tracking dog from the Kalamazoo Department of Public Safety assisted in the search. The track led to the 2300 block of Helen Street; however, the suspect was not located.

Anyone with information is asked to call the Portage Department of Public Safety at 329-4567 or Silent Observer at 343-2100, [www.kalamazoosilentobserver.com](http://www.kalamazoosilentobserver.com).

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