## **TIMELY WARNING**

## CAMPUS ALERT - ATTEMPTED ENTRY

## 12-5-2013

This communication is prepared as part of the Timely Warning requirement of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act of 1990. This federal law requires a general communication to the campus community of all crimes reported to campus or local police departments that may pose a threat to the campus community. Such reports shall be provided to students and employees in a manner that is timely and that may aid in the prevention of similar occurrences.

On December 6, 2013 at about 0538, Millersville Borough Police Department received an attempted entry complaint in the Hillview Ave/Brookwood area. An individual attempted to enter a first floor apartment by cutting the screen and pushing open an <u>unlocked</u> window. The resident was alerted and scared the individual off. Surveillance video showed a suspect (see still photo) checking numerous windows in the area. The subject appeared intoxicated. Suspect is described as a male with lighter complexion, medium height/build with short dread locks extended from his knit cap. Suspect was wearing a dark colored jacket with a lighter colored knit cap, jeans and sneakers. The suspect was last seen walking toward the House of Pizza carrying a plastic bag with cans in the bag.

Members of the campus community are urged to take normal personal safety precautions such as **keeping outside doors and windows locked even while present** and locking room and vehicle doors when not occupied, keeping all outside lights on, walking with other known students and reporting all suspicious persons and activity to police. It is especially important to ensure that valuables are secured, and **all doors and windows are locked prior to leaving for winter break**. The Millersville University Police Department provides a safety escort from 11pm-7am and can be contacted at 717-872-3433.



These incidents are under investigation by the Millersville Borough Police Department, Sgt. Detective Jeffery Margevich. Anyone who may have witnessed or has any information regarding tis incident or the identity of the male is urged to contact the Millersville Borough Police Department at 717-872-4657 or Millersville University Police at 717-872-3433. Callers can remain anonymous. <u>This posting may be removed on December 20<sup>th</sup> 2013</u> or if the incident is resolved may be removed by University Police prior to that date.