To the George Mason University Community,

Mason Police are giving notice of a reported aggravated assault that may pose a serious or continuing threat to campus safety:

- At 5:25 AM on Tuesday, October 18, 2022, a male Mason student reported being physically assaulted by an unknown suspect in Lot I on the Fairfax Campus at approximately 4:00 AM on Tuesday, October 18, 2022.
- The suspect reportedly grabbed the victim, resulting in minor injuries to the victim's arm. The victim was able to safely get into a vehicle and drive away from the scene.
- The suspect was described as a dark skin male, wearing a hooded sweatshirt and possibly a beard.

Mason Police are actively investigating this incident. If you have information related to this incident (reference case # 22-008221), please contact Mason Police using any of the following methods:

- Police Non-Emergency Phone Number: (703) 993-2810
- Anonymous Crime Tip Phone Number: (703) 993-4111
- Anonymous Crime Tip Website: <u>https://police.gmu.edu/programs-and-services/crime-solvers-tips/</u>

Mason Police will update the community once more information is available.

Safety Resources:

- Security Escort Service: Upon request, Mason police officers or cadets will accompany members of the Fairfax Campus, Mason Square, and the Science and Technology Campus between academic or residence buildings and parking lots. To request an escort, call Mason Police at (703) 993-2810.
- Rave Guardian Public Safety App: Mason offers a free public safety app to all students, faculty, and staff. Rave Guardian is integrated with Mason Alert and offers a number of important features, including a virtual safety escort function, the ability to submit tips anonymously to University Police, and a panic call button that relays your location to University Police. The Rave Guardian app is free through the iTunes store and the Google Play store.

Stay Safe,

Mason Police

This announcement complies with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (20 U.S. Code § 1092(f)), the federal law that requires colleges and universities across the United States to disclose information about crime on and around their campuses. More information on the Clery Act is available at http://police.gmu.edu/clery-act-reporting/. Please submit questions or concerns to clery-act-reporting/. Please submit questions or concerns to clery-act-reporting/.