

Crime Alert

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The Ashland Police Department has received multiple reports of citizens having their personal belongings being removed from their shopping carts, while inside the Wal-mart store in Ashland. These events occurred during the late part of August. The victims' description of the suspects and events were similar- A black female, appearing to be very friendly and helpful, attempts to distract the victim, while a thin built, black male, possibly moves in and removes the personal items. In each event, the citizens were shopping alone when the crimes occurred. We would like for all business owners and consumers to be aware of these events and suspects. Please report any suspicious persons or activities that you encounter to the Ashland Police Department.

If you have any information in reference to these crimes, please contact Investigator Aigner with the Ashland Police Department, (804) 798-1227.