Cash, cell phone stolen from man beaten during armed robbery in Pontiac

Oakland County Sheriff’s deputies are searching for suspects in a recent armed robbery after a man was beaten inside his home and had his cell phone and $40 stolen.

Deputies were sent at 5:12 p.m. Friday, May 6, to Candlelite Lane to investigate an armed robbery that had just occurred.

First responders found the victim, a 60-year-old Pontiac man, in the area laying in the grass with multiple injuries to the head.

The man told officers that he was inside his apartment when three unknown men came into his apartment through the front door, which was unlocked.

One of the suspects pulled a pistol on him, and the other two suspects punched and kicked him, the victim reported.

The suspects ultimately took $40 and the man’s cell phone and ran in an unknown direction, according to officials.

The victim was taken to St. Joseph Mercy Oakland Hospital, where he was last listed in stable condition.

Detectives have now launched an investigation and ask anyone with information about the incident to call the Oakland County Sheriff’s Office at 248-858-4951.

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