

## **NEWS RELEASE**



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**CASE NUMBER: 09-2357**

**DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: March 26, 2009 @ 4:05 p.m.**

**DATE/TIME OF RELEASE: March 26, 2009 @ 6:40 p.m.**

**NATURE OF STORY: Armed Bank Robbery**

**SUSPECTS: Unknown**

**LOCATION: Siuslaw Valley Bank  
35867 Highway 58 – Pleasant Hill**

**DETAILS: Lane County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a hold up alarm at the Siuslaw Valley Bank located at 35867 Highway 58 in Pleasant Hill. At 4:05 p.m. three suspects wearing ski masks and hooded sweatshirts entered the bank and one of them displayed a handgun demanding cash. No employees or customers were injured during the robbery. The suspects fled the scene in a red, late model, hatch-back car with older style yellow Oregon plates with blue lettering. The suspects escaped with an undisclosed amount of cash. This is the second time this branch has been robbed this month.**

**This robbery is being investigated by the Lane County Sheriff's Office and the Eugene Field office of the FBI. Anyone with any information related to this robbery or the previous robbery is encouraged to call the Lane County Sheriff's Office Anonymous Tip Line at (541) 682-4167.**

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