



## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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### Media Release

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**From:** Denise M. Moloney  
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**Re:** Armed Robbery - CVS Pharmacy - Spring Hill Drive

**Date:** November 2, 2018

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On 11-02-18 at approximately 4:43 a.m., Hernando County deputies responded to reports of an Armed Robbery at the CVS, located at 11115 Spring Hill Drive in Spring Hill.

Upon arrival, deputies made contact with the pharmacist, who had just been robbed. The pharmacist advised that a white male wearing a black shirt, tan jacket, and a gray hat approached the pharmacy counter advising her that he had a weapon, then demanded specific narcotics.

The pharmacist obtained the narcotics and handed them over to the suspect. The suspect then left the store on foot.

The pharmacist contacted 9-1-1 to report the Robbery.

The night manager, who was also working at the time, was outside the store emptying trash at the time of the robbery. The night manager observed the male go into the store (assuming he was a customer) and then leave a short time later. The night manager provided the same description of the suspect, adding that he had on blue jeans and the hat was a beanie type hat.

The suspect was last seen on foot, headed to Mariner Boulevard.

Deputies arrived quickly and established a perimeter. A K-9 team responded to the area in an attempt to locate the suspect, meeting with negative results.

The investigation is active at this time. When additional details and/or a photo of the suspect are available, an update will be sent.

Anyone with information on this Armed Commercial Robbery is asked to contact the Major Cases Section of the HCSO at 352-754-6830.

If you would like to remain anonymous – Please call Hernando County Crime Stoppers at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> . You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$1,000 cash!

**The Office of Sheriff:**

The Office of the Sheriff is established by the Florida Constitution. As a constitutional officer, the Sheriff has the exclusive authority to administer his or her agency and is responsible for preserving the peace throughout the entire county, carrying out the laws of the state, the orders of Florida courts, and the ordinances of the Board of County Commissioners. The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement and correctional officer of the county.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis was initially appointed as the Sheriff of Hernando County by the Governor in January of 2011. He was then elected by the people of Hernando County in 2012, and remains accountable to them.