For the protection and safety of ESF students, faculty, staff, and neighbors, the SUNY ESF Police releases the following alert:

This evening at about 7:15pm, a ESF student reported while walking back from Illick Hall towards Centennial Hall, in the area of the "Grand Staircase", he was approached by 3 males, that he believed were not affiliated with the college. One of the males asked to borrow his cell phone and the student ignored the request and kept walking. The student then overheard one of the subject's say, "let's get his phone if he doesn't want to give it to us". The student caught up to some fellow students in the area and continued to Centennial Hall. The three males turned around and were last seen walking back up the stairs.

The 3 subjects were all african-american males, between 18-20 years of age. 1- wearing a white "T" shirt and 1- wearing a white "Nike" style jacket.

If anyone has information relating to the above incident or the subjects described, please contact SUNY ESF Police Department at 315-470-6667. All information will be kept confidential.

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