## Boston Police seek public's help in identifying suspect wanted in connection with public sexual assault

"Boston Police Department Community Alert: The BPD is releasing an image of a person wanted in connection to a sexual assault which occurred earlier today, Sunday, November 8, 2020, at about 2:03 AM in the area of 2 Charles Street, Boston (The Public Garden).

Detectives have learned that the suspect encountered the victim in the area of Bromfield Street, where he forcefully brought her through the Boston Common into the Public Garden where he sexually assaulted her. Suspect is described as an unknown male.

The Boston Police Sexual Assault Unit is actively reviewing the facts and circumstances surrounding this incident. Anyone with any information is asked to call detectives directly at (617) 343-4400.

Community members wishing to assist this investigation anonymously can do so by calling the CrimeStoppers Tip Line at 1(800) 494-TIPS or by texting the word 'TIP' to CRIME (27463).

The Boston Police Department will stringently guard and protect the identities of those who wish to help this investigation anonymously. If you are a victim of a sexual assault that has or has not been reported to police and would feel more comfortable seeking confidential advice from a non-law enforcement agency, the Boston Police Department encourages you to call the Boston Area Rape Crisis Center (BARCC) at 1 (800) 841-8371. BARCC provides free and confidential counseling, case management, legal, and medical

advocacy services to survivors in the greater Boston area. To learn more, please click on the enclosed link: www.barcc.org."



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