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Police Press Release

INCIDENT	Bank Robbery w/ Suspect Taken Into Custody
DATE - TIME	September 20, 2024 10:10 a.m.
LOCATION	Huntington Bank 1709 Sheridan Blvd, Edgewater, CO
VICTIM	Huntington Bank
SUSPECT	Darren Fowlkes, 30-year-old Fountain (CO) resident
PREPARED BY	Eric S. Sonstegard, Chief of Police
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Details

Earlier today (9/20/2024), a call was received at approx. 10:10 a.m. of a robbery that had just occurred at the Huntington Bank located at 1709 Sheridan Blvd in the city of Edgewater. Edgewater Police Officers responded to the location at the same time information was being received of a suspect vehicle fleeing the area southbound towards Colfax Avenue. A bank employee advised responding officers that a male adult, later identified as Darren Fowlkes (9/26/1993), entered the bank and passed a note to the employee indicating it was a robbery. An undetermined amount of U.S. currency was passed to the suspect and he fled out the bank to a waiting vehicle. Officers were able to locate and track the suspect vehicle into the city of Denver before it fled southbound on Hwy 25.

Our law enforcement partners with the Douglas County Sheriff's Office and the Castle Rock Police Department worked together to take Fowlkes into custody after a brief pursuit through the city of Castle Rock.



This investigation is still ongoing and the Edgewater Police Department is working closely with the F.B.I. Safe Streets Task Force on the subsequent investigation. A special thank you to the Lakeside Police Department, Mountain View Police Department, F.B.I., Douglas County Sheriff's Office, and the Castle Rock Police Department for their expedient assistance that led to the apprehension of Fowlkes.

Fowlkes was later transported by the Castle Rock Police Department to be booked and charged for Robbery. Additional charges are still being investigated based on the pursuit that led to his apprehension.

Date/Time Prepared: 9/20/2024 1:30 p.m.