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OVERNIGHT BURGLARY AT APARTMENT ON HIGHWAY 99 TENANT WOKE UP TO BURGLAR IN HER ROOM

A woman awoke overnight to find a strange man in her bedroom. After startling him, he fled her apartment, but not before taking her wallet. The woman lives by herself in an apartment in the 23200 block of Highway 99. She was not sure how the burglar entered her apartment.

The burglary occurred on the morning of September 15th, 2016 around 3:30 am.

The woman was only able to provide a brief description of the suspect. She told investigators that he was a black male with a bald head in his 30's. She described him as "skinny", standing about 5' 6". He was wearing a white shirt and dark pants.

With the summer weather still holding, the Edmonds Police Department wants to remind everyone to take basic precautions to secure your residence. Lock your doors and if you are leaving your windows open, put something in the track to prevent them from being opened all the way.

Anyone with information about this is encouraged to call or send in tips via our website.

Anonymous tips can also be sent by visiting EPDtips.edmondswa.gov.

This case is currently under active investigation by our Detective Unit. We will provide updates as they become available.

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