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MEDIA RELEASE  
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The Kootenai County Sheriff's Department is investigating the early morning armed robbery that occurred at Super 1 Foods in Hayden Saturday.

Initial investigation indicates that a lone masked gunman entered the store between 2:00 and 2:30 a.m., held the clerk and a customer at gunpoint and had the clerk empty the cash register of the currency. The suspect fled on foot.

A subsequent track by a Sheriff's Department K-9, followed the suspect to where he apparently got into a vehicle a short distance away.

Sheriff's detectives are continuing the investigation. More information will be made public as it becomes available.

Rocky Watson, Sheriff

By: Major Ben Wolfinger

**NOTE: FOLLOW-UP MEDIA INQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO LT. DAN SOUMAS AT (208) 446-1314.**