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BEACH BLANKET THEFTS

Clearwater, Fla. – Clearwater Police are investigating four beach blanket thefts in the past week. In each case, the victims left their belongings unattended while going into the water or taking a walk. Items stolen include purses, wallets, money, credit cards and electronics such as cell phones, MP3 players and iPods.

Clearwater Police want to remind beachgoers to secure their valuables. Do not leave personal belongings unattended on the beach. Do not become a victim of a crime of opportunity.

Incident Information:

*Locations reported are the closest physical address. All thefts occurred on the beach.

Date: 6-10-10

Time: 4:34 p.m.

Location: 11 San Marco Street.

Date: 6-12-10

Time: Between 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Location: 300 Block of S. Gulfview Boulevard

Date: 6-13-10

Time: Between 5:30 – 5:40 p.m.

Location: 360 Mandalay Avenue

Date: 6-14-10

Time: Between 7:40 – 7:45 p.m.

Location: 7 Rockaway Street.

