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## News Release

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

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On June 23, 2022, the Winnebago County Sheriff's Department was dispatched to the 200 block of Stiles Parkway for an Armed Robbery that had just taken place. Deputies met with two victims that were there to purchase a vehicle from an online advertisement. While the victims met with the suspect, he produced a firearm and stole USC and other property. Winnebago County Sheriff's Department Detective Bureau took over the investigation and Detectives identified the suspect and the suspect's vehicle. The suspect was identified as Elijah I. Seaberry. Seaberry was taken into custody in the 200 block of Henrietta Ave. The suspect vehicle was also recovered.

The Winnebago County State's Attorney's Office reviewed the facts of this case and authorized the following charges:

**Elijah I. Seaberry, 22, of Rockford, IL**

1 count of Armed Robbery with a firearm

Class X Felony

The charges against Elijah I Seaberry are merely accusations and he is presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.