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# CRIME REPORT

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### NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS:

**OFFENSE:** Burglary To Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/21/2024 8:00 p.m. – 07/22/2024 8:30 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1500 Block of Maple Street  
**REPORT #:** 24-16966

The victim's Ford E150 work van was parked in the 1500 Block of Maple Street during the above time frame when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and stole power tools. Damage to the locking area of the doors was observed by the victim and the officer allowing the offender(s) access to the compartment with the tools.

**OFFENSE:** Retail Theft  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/22/2024 6:50 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1400 Block of E. Oakton Street  
**REPORT #:** 24-17022

Three Unknown Offenders entered a retail store in the 1400 Block of E. Oakton Street and proceeded to place multiple bottles of alcohol into their personal tote bags and then left the store without paying for them. The offenders were last seen leaving the parking area in a silver sedan and headed north onto Lee Street from Oakton Street. The offenders were described as two females with blond hair and one male with dreadlocks.

**OFFENSE:** Battery  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/22/2024 7:45 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1400 Block of S. Lee Street  
**REPORT #:** 24-17027

The Unknown Offender and the victim were engaged in a verbal dispute inside a business in the 1400 Block of S. Lee Street when the offender grabbed the victim and pushed her towards a wall. After the incident, the female offender entered a gray SUV and fled the area wearing a gray sweatshirt and blue jeans.



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**OFFENSE:** Aggravated Fleeing or Attempting to Elude a Peace Officer / Possession of a Stolen Motor Vehicle / Traffic  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/23/2024 3:17 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 900 Block of Graceland Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17054

Des Plaines Police were on patrol near Warrington Road and Thacker Street when a black Hyundai Elantra was observed on the roadway in front of the officer. After running the license plate through the database, the officer was alerted that the Hyundai was reported stolen in Chicago, IL. The officer then followed the vehicle and in the 900 Block of Graceland Avenue, activated his overhead emergency lights to conduct a traffic stop of the Hyundai. Instead of pulling over, the vehicle increased speed and made several traffic violations while fleeing from the officer.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/23/2024 1:30 a.m. – 3:57 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1300 Block of Pennsylvania Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17070

The victim's Acura MDX was left unlocked in the 1300 Block of Pennsylvania Avenue during the above time frame when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and stole the victim's wallet containing his ID cards and debit/credit cards. Upon inspection of the vehicle, the interior appeared to be rifled through and a bag that was originally located inside the vehicle was found on the ground.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/05/2024 – 07/20/2024  
**LOCATION:** 1200 Block of E. River Drive  
**REPORT #:** 24-17093

The victim's Toyota AI was parked in the 1200 Block of E. River Drive during the above time frame when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and stole the victim's wallet. There was no damage to the vehicle that was observed by the victim, or the officer and it is unknown if the doors were locked during the time of the burglary.

**OFFENSE:** Use of Credit Card/Debit Card with Intent to Defraud  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/22/2024 Noon – 7:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** 100 Block of W. Oakton Street  
**REPORT #:** 24-17099

The Unknown Offender entered a retail store in the 100 Block of W. Oakton Street and, using multiple credit cards, purchased several gift cards. Of the credit cards used was the victim's whose financial institution put a hold on the charge and contacted him to verify the purchase. The offender then left the store without incident.



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**OFFENSE:** Hit and Run Accident  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/21/2024 – 07/23/2024  
**LOCATION:** Cora Street / Riverview Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17118

The victim's Tesla was parked in the area of Cora Street and Riverview Avenue when the Unknown Offender(s) struck the rear passenger side bumper. After the accident, the offender(s) fled the area without leaving information.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/24/2024 5:00 a.m.- 6:25 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1700 Block of Estes Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17150

The victim's Ford Fusion was parked unlocked in the 1700 Block of Estes Avenue during the above time frame when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and stole the victim's personal items. Upon further inspection of the vehicle, the center console was left open and appeared to be rummaged through. Additionally, the offender(s) removed and later discarded the victim's bag that had originally been inside the vehicle.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle / Criminal Damage to Vehicle / Motor Vehicle Theft  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/24/2024 5:35 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 2600 Block of Joseph Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17151 / 24-17148

The victim's vehicles, a Mercedes Benz GL230 and a Mercedes Benz ML500, were parked in the 2600 Block of Joseph Avenue when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the ML500 and then stole the white GL230. It is unknown how the offender(s) gained access to the ML500 but once inside, they broke the center console lid and rifled through the immediate area. A gold coin was reported stolen at the time of the report along with the other vehicle, the GL230.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 07/24/2024 5:00 a.m. – 6:55 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** 1700 Block of Greenleaf Avenue  
**REPORT #:** 24-17153

The victim's Lexus was parked unlocked in the 1700 Block of Greenleaf Avenue overnight when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle. The interior appeared to have been rummaged through, however, nothing appears to have been stolen at the time of the report.



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**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle / Motor Vehicle Theft

**DATE/TIME:** 07/24/2024 5:00 a.m.

**LOCATION:** 1800 Block of Krowka Drive

**REPORT #:** 24-17154

The victim's Chrysler Pacifica and GMC Yukon Denali were parked in the victim's driveway in the 1800 Block of Krowka Drive when the Unknown Offender(s) entered one vehicle and stole the other. The offender(s) gained access to the inside of the GMC where the interior compartments were rifled through and then subsequently stole the Chrysler.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 07/23/2024 4:00 p.m. – 07/24/2024 7:50 a.m.

**LOCATION:** 1800 Block of Krowka Drive

**REPORT #:** 24-17156

The victim's Mercedes Benz GL450 was parked unlocked on the roadway in the 1800 Block of Krowka Drive overnight when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle. The interior center console of the vehicle was rifled through and other compartments were left ajar, however, there was nothing reported missing at the time of the report.

**OFFENSE:** Motor Vehicle Theft

**DATE/TIME:** 07/23/2024 1:09 a.m.

**LOCATION:** 1800 Block of Fargo Avenue

**REPORT #:** 24-17162

The victim's burgundy Dodge Durango was parked in the 1800 Block of Fargo Avenue when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and then proceeded to steal it. There was broken glass observed on the ground where the vehicle had been parked indicating that the window was possibly shattered therefore allowing the offender(s) entry.

**Due to the recent increase in crime happening at the YMCA building located at 300 E. Northwest Highway, the following are reported incidents at that location:**

*There were no incidents at this location during the above time frame.*

## **ARRESTS:**

*There were no incidents at this location during the above time frame.*

*Please remember that although a person may be charged with a crime, a charge is merely an Accusation, and the person is innocent until proven guilty.*