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# CRIME REPORT

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS:

**OFFENSE:** Stolen Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 1:00am-4:00am  
**LOCATION:** 2400 block of Eisenhower Dr.  
**REPORT #:** 24-17154

Officer's responded to the area of 2657 Scott St. in regards to suspicious subjects who appeared to be pulling on car door handles in people's driveways. Further investigation revealed the White Mercedes Benz had been stolen from the driveway. The investigation is ongoing.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 6:29am  
**LOCATION:** 1700 block of Estes Av.  
**REPORT #:** 24-17150

Officer's were investigating a stolen vehicle when they found personal belongings in the middle of the street. After investigating the items they were able to determine the name/address of the owner. They contacted the owner to learn the personal belongings were removed from her parked vehicle.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle  
**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 6:24am  
**LOCATION:** 1700 block of Greenleaf Av.  
**REPORT #:** 24-17153

Officer's responded to the 1700 block of Greenleaf for a complainant who stated her vehicle had been rummaged through in the overnight hours. She further stated nothing of note appeared to be missing.



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**OFFENSE:** Stolen Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 6:25am

**LOCATION:** 1800 block of Krowka Dr.

**REPORT #:** 24-17154

Officer's responded to the 1800 block of Krowka Dr. in regards to additional burglary to motor vehicle complaints. Upon arrival they realized the 2020 Chrysler Pacifica was stolen from the driveway.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 7pm-6am

**LOCATION:** 1800 block of Krowka Dr.

**REPORT #:** 24-17156

Officer's were investigating a string of overnight burglaries when the homeowner in the 1800 block of Krowka Dr. related his vehicle was also rummaged through. He stated nothing appeared to be missing.

**OFFENSE:** Stolen Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 1:09am

**LOCATION:** 1800 block of Fargo Av.

**REPORT #:** 24-17162

Officer's responded to the 1800 block of Fargo Av. After a complainant called and related their 2022 Dodge Durango was stolen from their driveway. Review of the surveillance footage revealed unknown subjects approach the vehicle at 1:09 am . They broke the rear window with an unknown blunt object, presented an unknown tablet from a bag, and the tablet appeared to start the vehicle. The key fobs were confirmed to be in possession of the owner.

**OFFENSE:** Theft

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 3:22pm

**LOCATION:** 500 block of Metropolitan Way

**REPORT #:** 24-17195

Officer's were dispatched to the 500 block of Metropolitan Way in regards to a female subject who was seen putting food inside of her backpack in an attempt to leave the store without paying for the items. The female was identified and the stolen items were confirmed to be in her backpack. She was cited for Theft and released.



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**OFFENSE:** Criminal Damage to Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 4:41pm

**LOCATION:** 500 block of Wilson Av.

**REPORT #:** 24-17202

Officer's responded to the 500 block of Wilson Av. In regards to an employee who came out to their vehicle and observed intentional scratches that were on their car. They believe the car was "keyed" and confirmed the damage was not there at the start of their shift.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 5:00pm

**LOCATION:** 1900 block of Laura Ln.

**REPORT #:** 24-17208

Officer's responded to the 1900 block of Laura Ln. in regards to a burglary to motor vehicle that happened over night. The complainant related they left the doors unlocked and came out in the morning to find their car had been rummaged through. They related they were missing 2 pairs of tan BEATS headphones.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 6:00pm-6:00am

**LOCATION:** 1900 block of Laura Ln.

**REPORT #:** 24-17209

Officer's responded to the 1900 block of Laura Ln. in regards to a burglary to motor vehicle that happened over night. The complainant related they left the doors unlocked and came out in the morning to find their car had been rummaged through. They related they were missing approximately \$50 in cash.

**OFFENSE:** Criminal Damage to Property

**DATE/TIME:** 7/24/24 10:35pm

**LOCATION:** 2900 block of Curtis St.

**REPORT #:** 24-17232

Officer's responded to the 2900 block of Curtis St. in regards to a reckless driver. Upon arrival they learned from an eye witness an unknown male Hispanic exited a black in color Mercedes sedan with a piece of wood. The suspect struck two vehicle windows of a parked car before fleeing the scene in the black Mercedes.

**OFFENSE:** Burglary to Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME:** 7/25/24 10pm-6am

**LOCATION:** 1200 Washington St.



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**REPORT #: 24-17209**

Officer's responded to the 1200 block of Washington St. in regards to a complaint of stolen items from a parked vehicle. Upon arrival officers learned the victim parked their vehicle at approximately 10pm and returned to the vehicle in the morning to find the window shattered and Makita electric saw to be missing.

**OFFENSE: Burglary to Motor Vehicle**

**DATE/TIME: 7/25/24 10pm-6am**

**LOCATION: 400 block of Western Av.**

**REPORT #: 24-17260**

Officer's responded to the 400 block of Western Av. in regards to a complaint of stolen items from a parked vehicle. Upon arrival officers learned the victim parked their vehicle at approximately 10pm and returned to the vehicle in the morning to find the window shattered and multiple power tools missing from inside the vehicle.

**OFFENSE: Burglary to Motor Vehicle**

**DATE/TIME: 7/25/24 10pm-6am**

**LOCATION: 400 block of Laurel Av.**

**REPORT #: 24-17270**

Officer's responded to the 400 block of Laurel Av. in regards to a complaint of stolen items from a parked vehicle. Upon arrival officers learned the victim parked their vehicle at approximately 11:30pm and returned to the vehicle in the morning to find the window shattered and multiple power tools missing from inside the vehicle.

**OFFENSE: Theft**

**DATE/TIME: 7/25/24 8am-5pm**

**LOCATION: 400 block of Northwest Highway**

**REPORT #: 24-17312**

Complainant reported they locked their bicycle up in the 400 block of Northwest Highway at approximately 8am and when they returned at approximately 5pm, the bicycle was missing.

**OFFENSE: Burglary**

**DATE/TIME: 7/26/24 3:41am**

**LOCATION: 1500 block of Rand Rd.**

**REPORT #: 24-17356**

Officer's were dispatched to the 1500 block of Rand Rd. in regards to a burglary in progress. The caller related they got a notification from their alarm system that someone had gained unauthorized entry into the building. The caller was able to access live feed surveillance cameras and related he observed 4 subjects within the store stealing various items and a black Dodge Charger outside. He



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also related he observed a gray Nissan parked outside as well. Officer's began arriving on scene at which point the Black Dodge Charger fled the scene, last seen on I294. The Gray Nissan fled the scene as well, however crashed at River Rd. and Golf Rd. The M/B offender was seen exiting the vehicle and fleeing on foot E/B on Golf Rd. A perimeter was established and a K9 search performed with negative results. The vehicle contained multiple proceeds from similar burglaries occurring in neighboring towns throughout the night. The investigation is ongoing.

**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:**

**OFFENSE: Warrant Arrest**

**DATE/TIME: 7/24/24 3:16pm**

**LOCATION: 1520 Campbell Av.**

**REPORT#: 24-17226**

**SUBJECT NAME: Lacy Ellinger**

**DATE OF BIRTH: 8/8/1989**

**ADDRESS: 1267 Brown St., Unit GE, Des Plaines, IL 60016**

Officer's received an anonymous tip stating Lacy Ellinger was in the 1500 block of Campbell Av., with an active warrant. Responding officer's verified the warrants validity and soon located Lacy in the 1500 block of Campbell Av. She was transported to DPPD and turned over to Mchenry County in compliance with the warrant.

**OFFENSE: Driving While Revoked**

**DATE/TIME: 7/25/24 10:53pm**

**LOCATION: 795 W. Golf Rd.**

**REPORT#: 24-17335**

**SUBJECT NAME: Rosales, Ernesto**

**DATE OF BIRTH: 3/15/1976**

**ADDRESS: 7553 W. 60<sup>th</sup> Place, Summit, IL 60501**

Officer's conducted a traffic stop for multiple moving violations. Further investigation revealed the driver, Ernesto Rosales, to be driving on a revoked license. Ernesto was transported to DPPD for further processing and released.



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Accusation, and the person is innocent until proven guilty.*