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CRIME REPORT

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NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS:

OFFENSE: Burglary to Motor Vehicle
DATE/TIME: 02/11/2024 3:51 a.m.
LOCATION: 1100 Block of Holiday Lane
REPORT #: 25-00752

The victim's Nissan Rogue was parked in a lot in the 1100 Block of Holiday Lane when officers discovered that the Unknown Offender(s) entered and rummaged through his vehicle. Officers had responded to the area regarding subjects pulling on car door handles and after a check of the area for both the offenders and possible victims, located the Nissan Rogue. The contents of the center console and glove box appeared to have been gone through and were left open. The doors to the vehicle were unlocked at the time of the incident.

OFFENSE: Attempted Motor Vehicle Theft
DATE/TIME: 02/10/2025 8:00 p.m. – 02/11/2025 6:45 a.m.
LOCATION: 1100 Block of Holiday Lane
REPORT #: 25-00756

The victim's unlocked Hyundai Elantra was parked overnight in a lot in the 1100 Block of Holiday Lane when the Unknown Offender(s) entered the vehicle and attempted to steal it. The officers noted that the vehicle had been rummaged through, and the steering column was pried open, consistent with an attempt to steal the vehicle. The theft of the vehicle was unsuccessful, and the offender(s) fled the area. It is unknown if this incident is related to the above incident, RD#25-00752.

OFFENSE: Burglary to Motor Vehicle
DATE/TIME: 02/11/2025 3:30 a.m. – 4:30 a.m.
LOCATION: 2300 Block of Mount Prospect Road
REPORT #: 25-00757

The victim's four Dodge Ram trucks and one Ford Transit were parked in a lot in the 2300 Block of Mount Prospect Road during the above time frame when the Unknown Offender(s) smashed a window on each of the vehicles and then entered them. Once



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inside, various items from each vehicle had been stolen, including wiring and hand tools. After the incident, the offender(s) fled the area.

OFFENSE: Credit Card Fraud
DATE/TIME: 12/27/2024 – 02/11/2025
LOCATION: 1300 Block of Jefferson Street
REPORT #: 25-00771

The victim reported that during the above time frame, the Unknown Offender(s) made multiple transactions using her credit card. The first incident was recorded on December 27, 2024, and was immediately reported to the victim's credit card company and a new card was issued. On January 29, 2025, the victim received notification of four additional transfers from her credit card to another account. In total, approximately \$1,400.00 had been fraudulently removed from the victim's account.

OFFENSE: Motor Vehicle Theft
DATE/TIME: 02/11/2025 8:05 p.m.
LOCATION: 3000 Block of S. Des Plaines River Road
REPORT #: 25-00773

The victim's silver Infiniti Q60 was left parked in the Rivers Casino parking garage in the 3000 Block of S. Des Plaines River Road while the victim went inside the business. Upon returning to the location, the victim discovered broken glass and that his vehicle had appeared to be stolen. Surveillance of the garage shows a male in a dark hooded sweatshirt exit a white sedan, break the window of the Infiniti prior to entering it and driving away.

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.



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ARRESTS:

OFFENSE: Battery
DATE/TIME: 02/10/2025 11:58 p.m.
LOCATION: 0-100 Block of E. Oakton Street
REPORT#: 25-00750
SUBJECT NAME: Hope, Julius
DATE OF BIRTH: 10/05/1983
ADDRESS: 22 W. Algonquin Rd. Arlington Heights, IL 60005

Des Plaines Police responded to the 1300 Block of S. Wolf Road for the report of a battery that was occurring. Cook County Dispatch informed the responding officers that someone was being attacked on the north side of the building. Upon arrival, security approached the officers and said that there was a fight between two employees and listed the subject, Julius Hope, as the at fault party. Prior to the officers arriving on scene, Hope had left the area and was last seen eastbound on Algonquin Road in a Chevrolet Trax. While speaking with the victim, the officers learned that Hope had approached him and punched him in the face.

Additional officers began checking the area and noted a vehicle matching Hope's vehicle, a Chevrolet Trax, was westbound on Oakton Street approaching Mount Prospect Road. The officer activated his overhead emergency lights and curbed the vehicle in the 0 – 100 Block of E. Oakton Street before then speaking with the driver, later identified as Hope. Hope made an initial statement that the victim had been the primary aggressor and had struck him first. Witness statements along with physical evidence indicated that Hope had struck the victim to begin with. Hope was taken into custody and transported to the Des Plaines Police station. Once there, Hope was subsequently arrested for one misdemeanor count of Battery. Hope was cited and released with his court information.

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.