



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

5-08-2023 thru 5-14-2023

In our effort for full transparency about what is occurring in the City of Berwyn, included is a report detailing significant incidents handled by the Berwyn Police Department for this week.



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

MISSING JUVENILE

**MELAH
ARMSTRONG**

15 YEARS OLD

FEMALE

5 FEET 4 INCHES

130 POUNDS



***MELAH WAS LAST SEEN ON
MAY 14, 2023**

***MELAH WAS LAST SEEN WEARING
AN ORANGE HOODED SWEATSHIRT,
BLUE JEANS, AND BLACK SHOES**

**IF YOU HAVE SEEN THIS PERSON OR
HAVE SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION,
CONTACT THE BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT @ (708) 795-5600**



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: VERNICE PRATER

INCIDENT LOCATION: 1217 S RIDGELAND AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: 05/08/2023

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-04084

ARREST DATE: MAY 09, 2023

The public is reminded that all persons taken into custody are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law



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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: ALEJANDRO PEREZ

INCIDENT LOCATION: 3011 S. HARLEM AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: 05/13/2023 @ 0340

CHARGE: BURGLARY

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-04212

ARREST DATE: MAY 13, 2023

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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: ALEJANDRO TORRES

INCIDENT LOCATION: 3621 S. KENILWORTH AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: 02/19/2023 @ 1516

CHARGE: ARSON

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-01475

ARREST DATE: MAY 11, 2023

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CITY OFFICIAL BRIEFING

5-08-2023 thru 5-14-2023

STATISTICS GLIMPSE

- Number of Calls for Service: 1,362
- Number of Arrests: 32
- Felony Arrests: 7
- Local Ordinance Citations Issued: 15
- Moving Violations Issued: 107
- Use of Force Incidents: 0

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1ST WARD: DISTURBANCE/BRAWL
- 2ND WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 3RD WARD: DISTURBANCE/BRAWL; BURGLARY; DISTURBANCE
- 4TH WARD: AGGRAVATED BATTERY (JUVENILE)
- 5TH WARD: RECKLESS DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM/AGGRAVATED DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM
- 6TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 7TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 8TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS

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CALLS FOR SERVICE

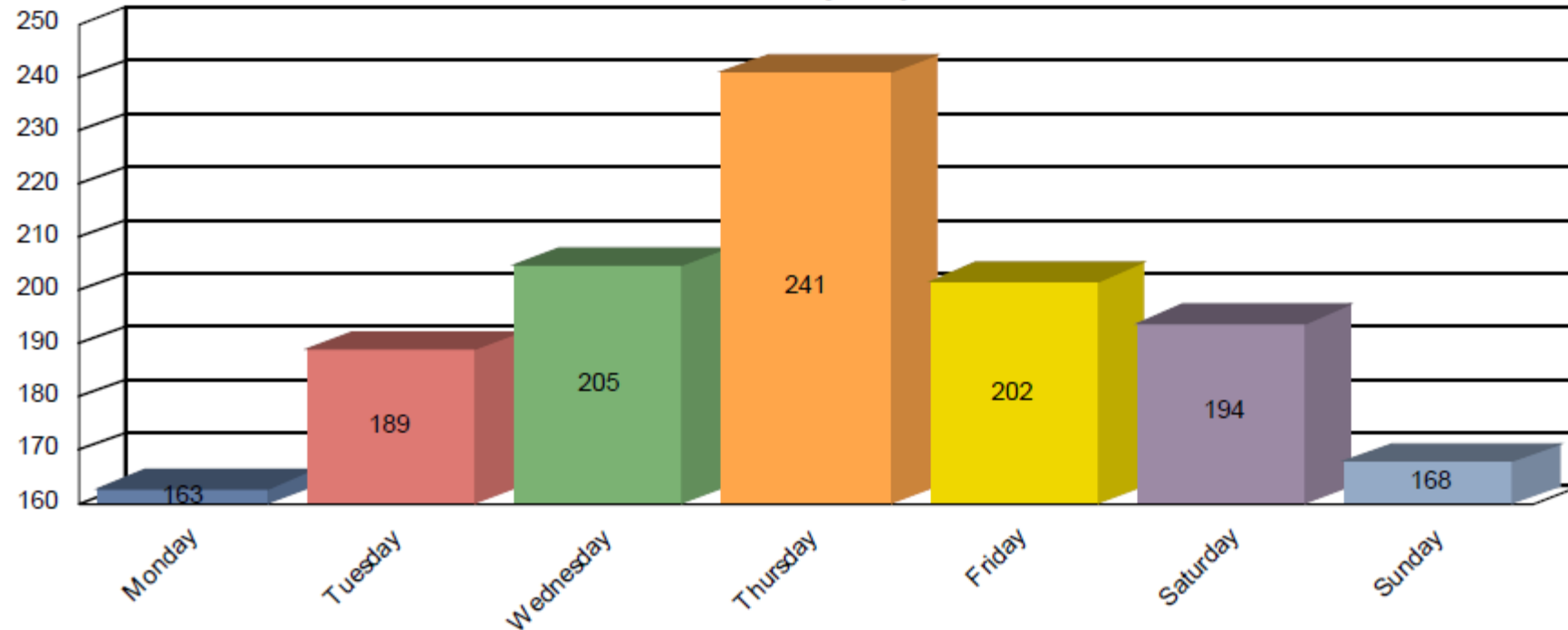
5-08-2023 THRU 5-14-2023

Total Items For Service

1,362

Items For Service Distribution

Total By Day of Week



Significant Incidents 05-08-2023 thru 5-14-2023



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 1ST WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

Disturbance/Brawl — 5/13/2023

Godson's Bar (6910 Windsor) — 1:12a.m.

Officers responded to Godson's Bar for a fight in front of the business. Upon arrival, responding officers learned that the fight started inside of the bar and then led outside. The fight involved several male and female subjects. The offenders left the scene prior to officer arrival. Officers attempted to speak with victims who were still on scene, however, they were uncooperative and they did not want to give any information. One female victim had visible injuries to her face but she refused treatment/transport to hospital by BFD and left the scene. BPD cleared the scene without incident.



Ward 1



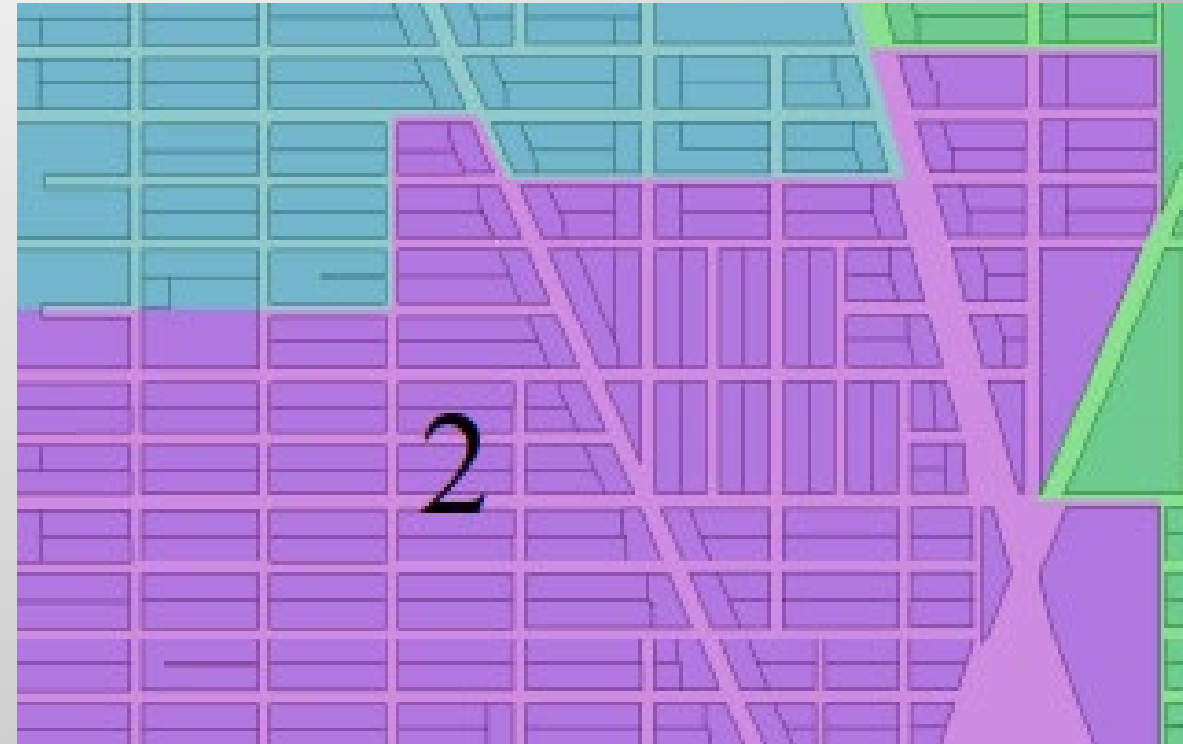
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 2ND WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 2



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

Disturbance/Brawl — 5/13/2023

Tipsy's Tap (6802 W. 26th Street) — 2:40a.m.

Officers observed several subjects involved in a physical fight behind Tipsy Tap Bar. Upon arrival, officers observed a group of individuals, pushing and shoving each other, near the rear entrance to the bar. No victims were located. Officers cleared the scene without incident.

Burglary — 5/13/2023

Lalo's Restaurant (3011 S. Harlem) — 3:40a.m.

Officers responded to Lalo's Restaurant for a commercial burglar alarm. Upon arrival, officers met with the key holder who was already on scene. Responding officers located a broken window on the East side of the building along with a broken internal glass door. The key holder shared footage from the restaurant's video surveillance from earlier that night. Upon reviewing the footage, the officers made a positive identification on the male offender. Officers recognized the said male offender from a previous call of a suspicious person on the 2900 block of Maple earlier that night. Said male subject was still at Mac Neal Hospital where he was previously transported to. The offender was later taken into custody and transported to the Berwyn Police Department where he was subsequently charged with one (1) felony count of Burglary. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 3



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

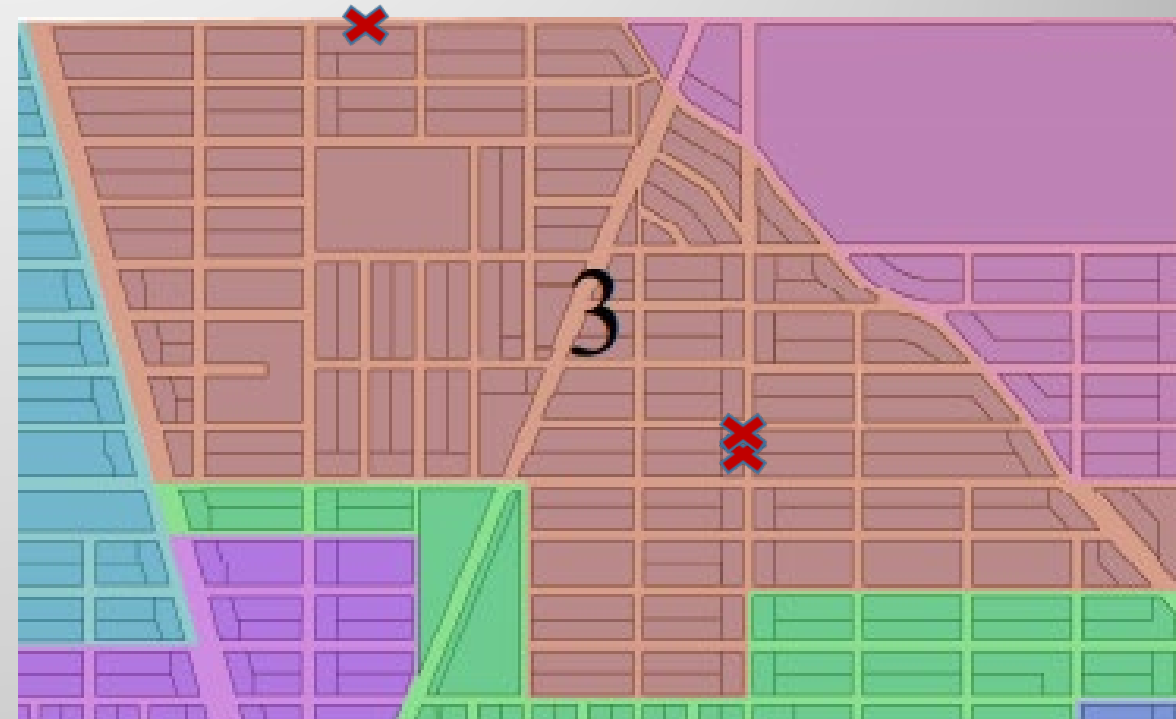
Disturbance — 5/14/2023

Tipsy's Tap (6802 W. 26th Street) — 3:10a.m.

Officers responded to a call of a disturbance at Tipsy's Tap where a patron claimed he was assaulted by Bar Security. Upon arrival, officers met with the complainant who was uncooperative and highly intoxicated. Officers also spoke to the manager, who stated that this patron was removed from the establishment at approximately 1:00a.m. for causing a disturbance. The manager also related that he did not know of any incident occurring between the complainant and bar security. The complainant left the scene without incident.



Ward 3



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 4TH WARD

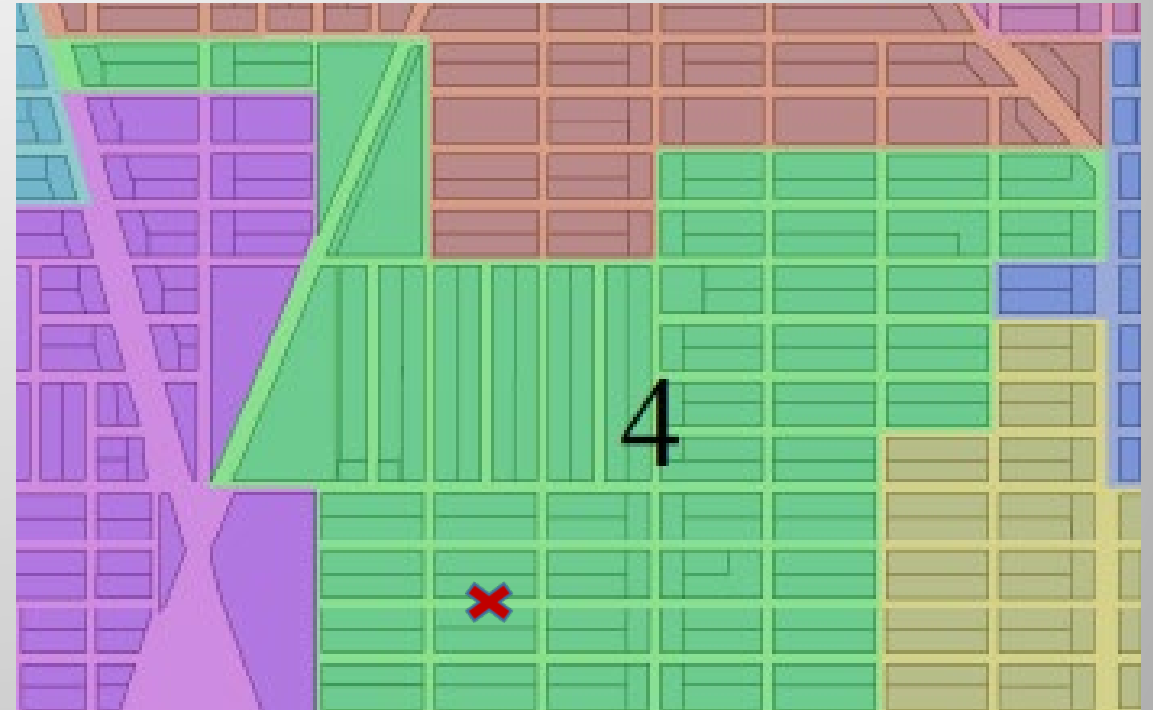
FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

Aggravated Battery (Juvenile) — 5/12/2023 **2700 block of Highland — 7:44p.m.**

Officers responded to the 2700 block of Ridgeland for an Aggravated Battery involving juveniles that had just occurred. Responding officers met with victim (juvenile) who related that a female subject (juvenile) called her and told her to come outside to solve an ongoing dispute the two subjects had via social media. The victim further related that when she went outside she observed a tan in color SUV pull up and 5-6 unknown female subjects exited said vehicle. The group of girls reportedly punched, pulled the victim's hair, and struck her in the head with a baseball bat. The victim added that the offenders fled Southbound on Highland and then West on 28th Street prior to police arrival. The victim's mother signed a medical refusal. The incident was turned over to Juvenile Detectives for further investigation.



Ward 4



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 5TH WARD

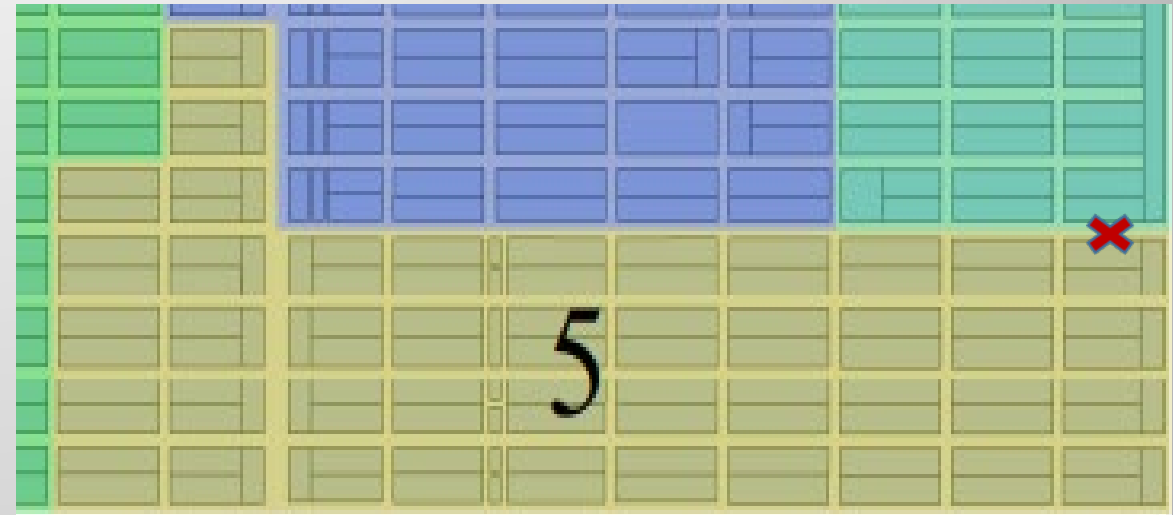
FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

Reckless Discharge of a Firearm/Aggravated Discharge of a Firearm 1200 block of Ridgeland — 10:59p.m. — 5/08/2023

Officers responded to the 1200 block of Ridgeland for a report of a male victim who stated a female subject fired a shot at him and missed him. Responding officers, met with the reporting party/victim who related the incident stemmed from a verbal argument he had with his girlfriend inside their apartment. Officers conducted a search of the area and did not locate any victims. A search of the offender's apartment revealed one (1) spent shell casing, one (1) fresh bullet hole in the wall, and one (1) pistol. The offender, who has a valid FOID and CCL, admitted to firing one (1) shot. The offender was taken into custody without incident and charged accordingly. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 5



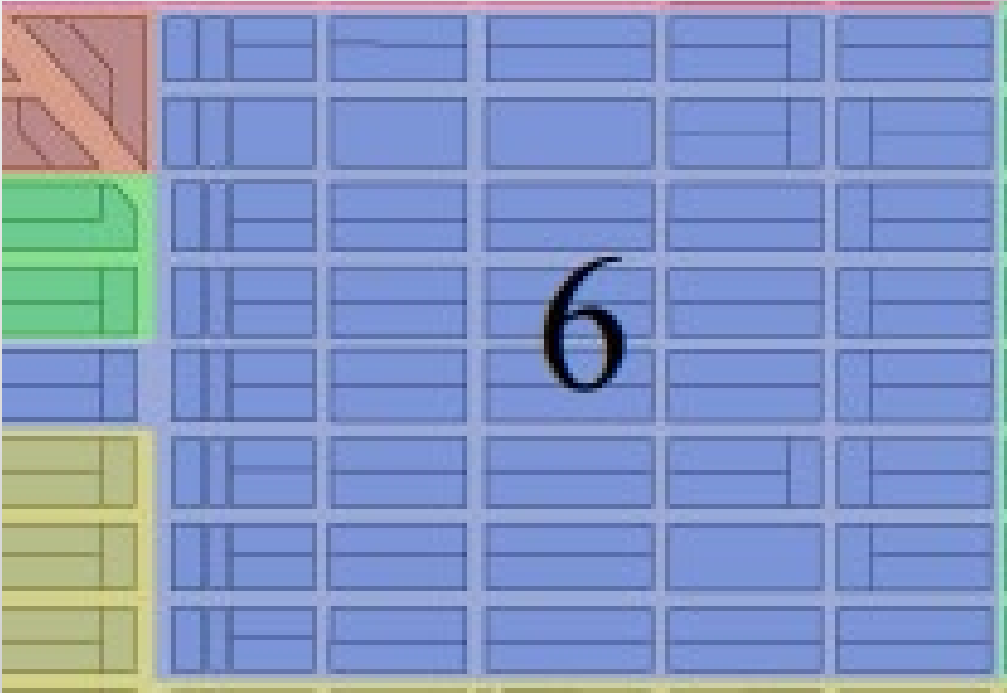
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 6TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 6



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 7TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023

No Significant Incidents



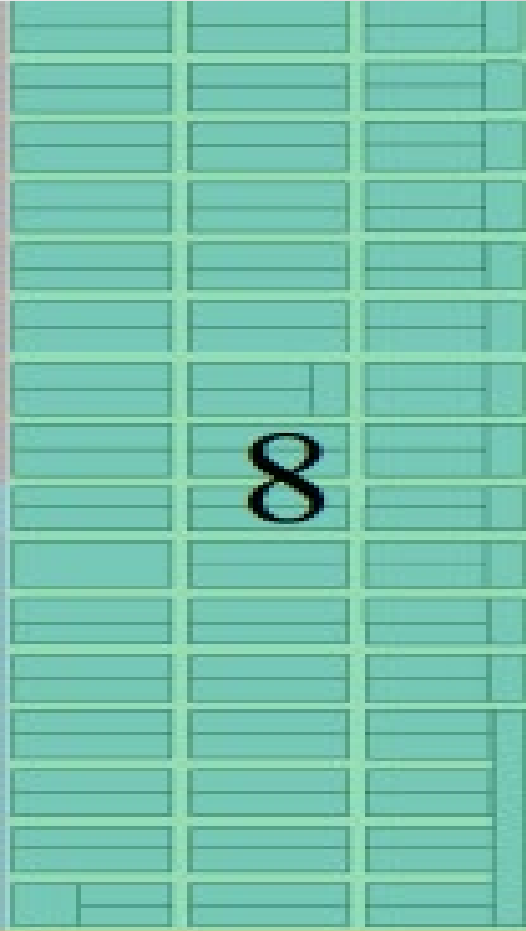
Ward 7



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8 TH WARD	
FOR WEEK OF 5/08/2023	
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BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY

THEFT

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the vehicle depicted in the following photograph. This vehicle was used in the alleged theft incident that occurred on April 17, 2023. This incident occurred at 7144 W. Ogden Avenue.



**IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION REGARDING THIS FLYER
CALL OUR CRIME TIP HOTLINE @ (708) 749-6564 OR
CRIME TIP FORM LINK @ BERWYNPD.ORG**

BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY

BURGLARY

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the suspect depicted in the following photographs. This subject is suspected in the alleged burglary incident that occurred on May 8, 2023. This incident occurred at the 6835 Cermak Road.



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