



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

5-15-2023 thru 5-21-2023

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: CURTIS CONNER

INCIDENT LOCATION: 1847 KENILWORTH AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: 05.19.23

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED BATTERY OF A POLICE OFFICER

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-04417

ARREST DATE: MAY 19, 2023

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

CITY OFFICIAL BRIEFING

5-15-2023 thru 5-21-2023

STATISTICS GLIMPSE

- Number of Calls for Service: 1,487
- Number of Arrests: 30
- Felony Arrests: 4
- Local Ordinance Citations Issued: 27
- Moving Violations Issued: 380
- Use of Force Incidents: 1

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1ST WARD: AGGRAVATED UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON
- 2ND WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 3RD WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 4TH WARD: ATTEMPTED MURDER
- 5TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 6TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 7TH WARD: BURGLARY; AGGRAVATED BATTERY OF A POLICE OFFICER
- 8TH WARD: RECKLESS DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM; AGGRAVATED BATTERY

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6401 WEST 31ST STREET



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CALLS FOR SERVICE

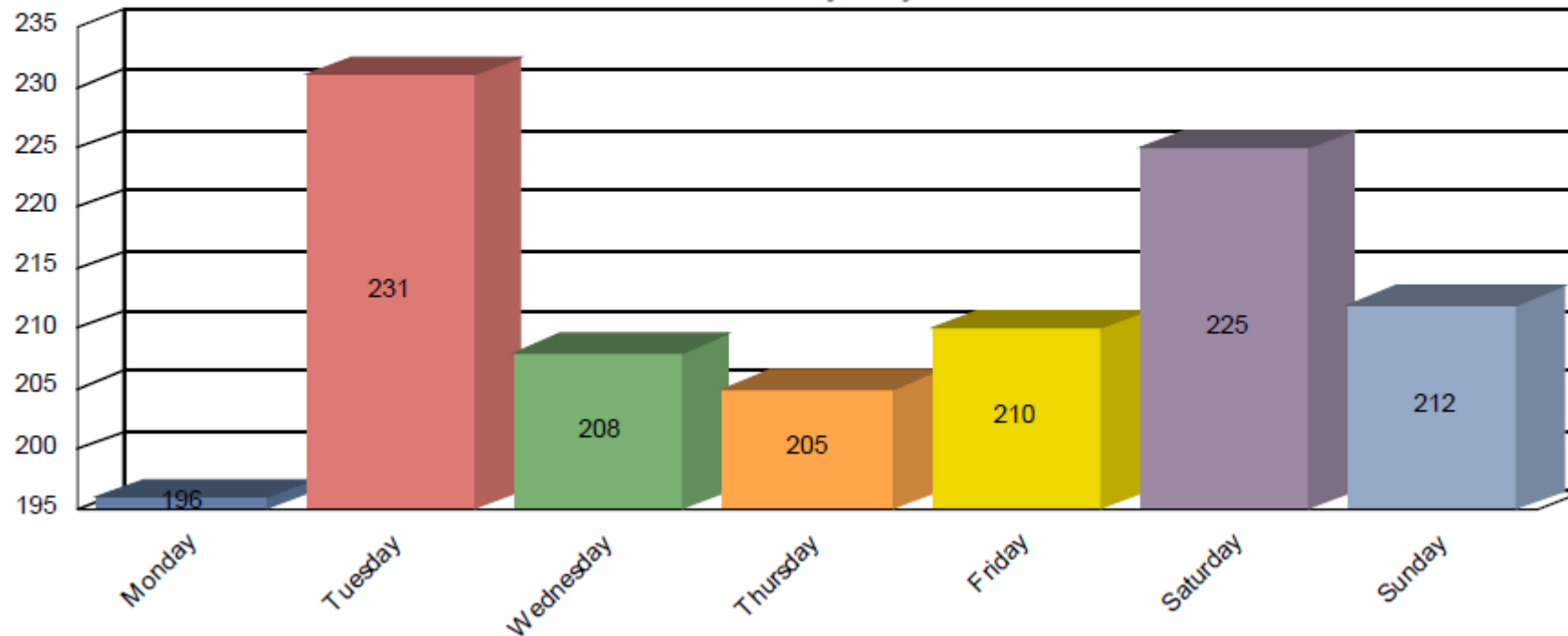
5-15-2023 THRU 5-21-2023

Total Items For Service

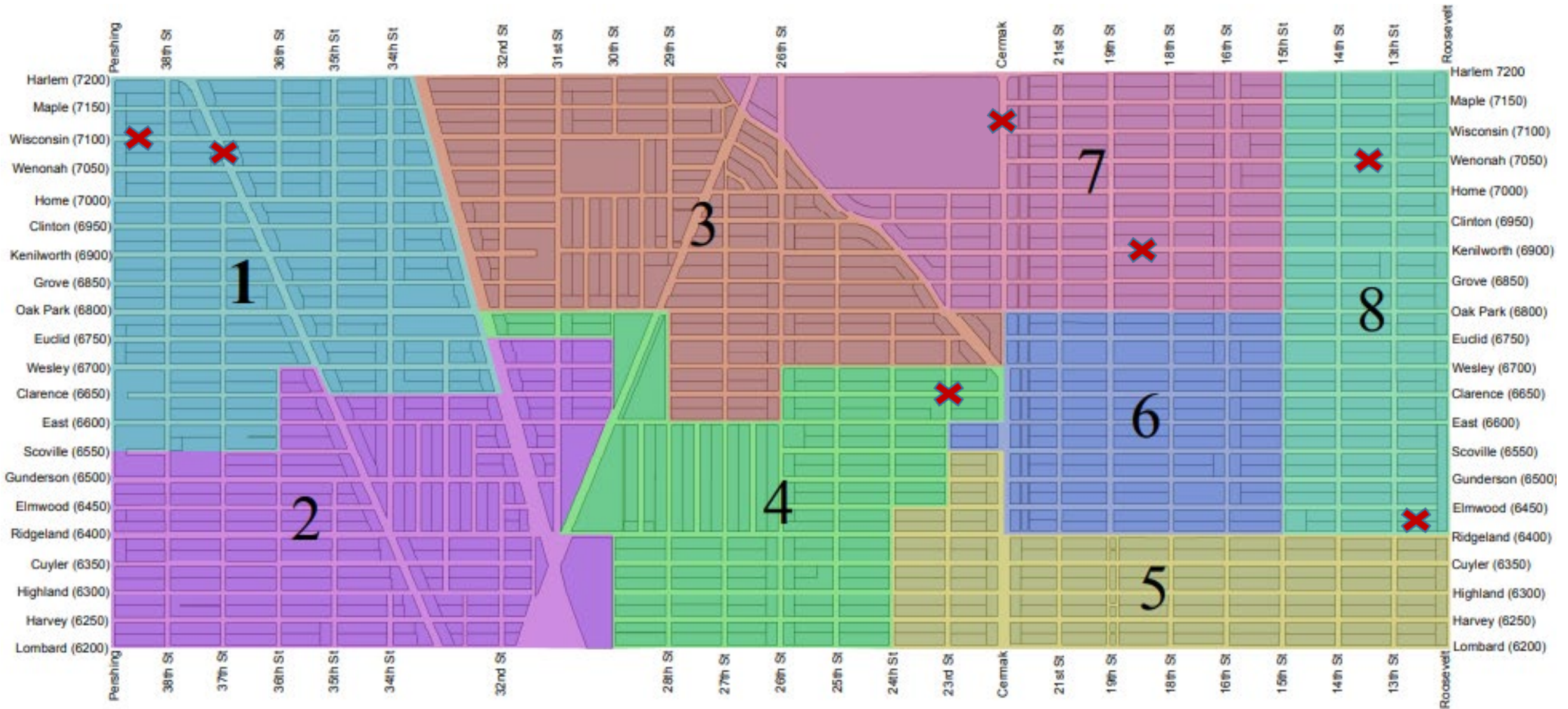
1,487

Items For Service Distribution

Total By Day of Week



Significant Incidents 05-15-2023 thru 5-21-2023



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 1ST WARD

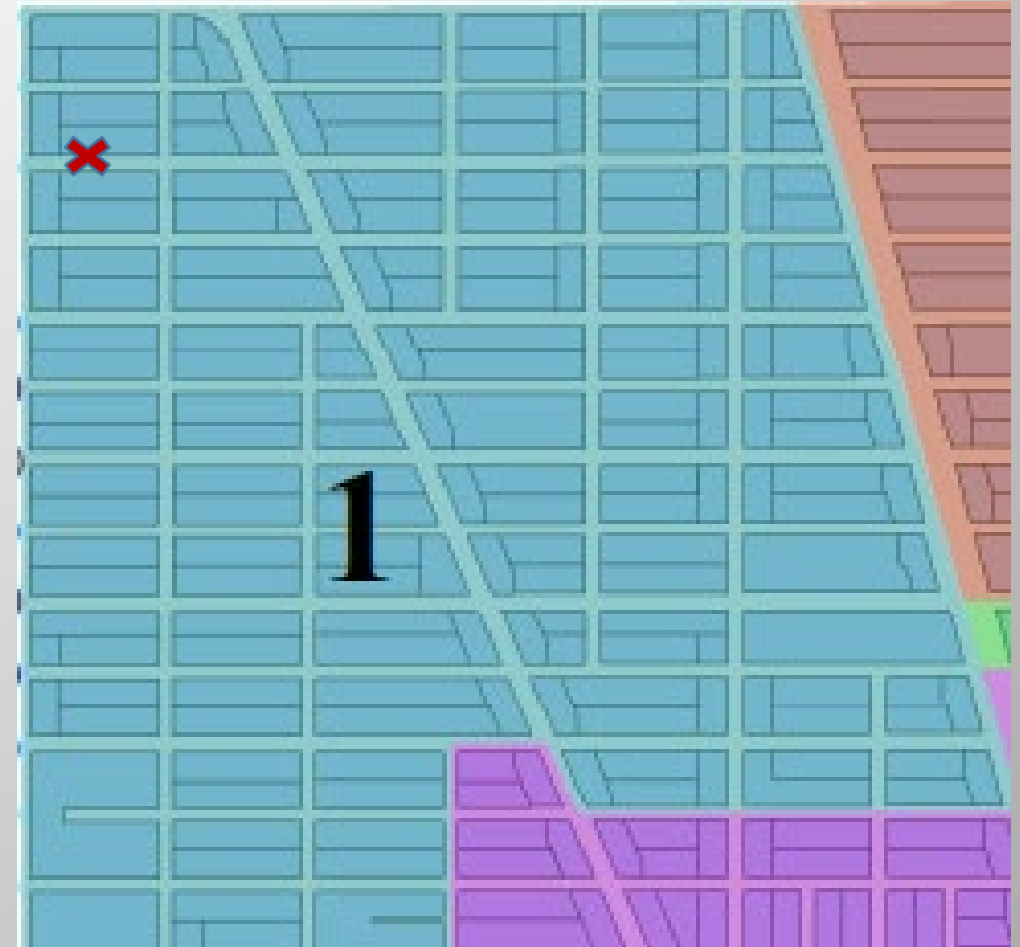
FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon — 5/17/2023 3800 block of Wisconsin — 10:38p.m.

Tactical Units were conducting a stolen vehicle investigation when they encountered three subjects in a garage. The officers noticed a possible stolen vehicle in the garage and approached the subjects to conduct a field interview. As the officers approached the subjects, the subjects fled on foot and a discarded pistol was immediately observed. Two (2) subjects were apprehended and one (1) fled. Officers met with the homeowner who related that they were unaware of any stolen vehicles or weapons being stored in their garage and gave the officers consent to search the garage. Officers confirmed that the vehicle inside the garage was stolen and made contact with the registered owner of the vehicle who gave consent to search inside the vehicle. Officers located two (2) rifles inside the vehicle and one (1) pistol on the ground. Two (2) of the offenders were transported to the Berwyn Police Department where one (1) offender was charged with one (1) count Class A Misdemeanor Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer and the other offender was charged with one (1) count Class 4 Felony Aggravated Resisting a Police Officer, one (1) count Class 4 Felony Aggravated Unlawful Use of Weapon, and one (1) count Class A Misdemeanor Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer. Berwyn Detectives continue to search for the third offender as the investigation continues.



Ward 1



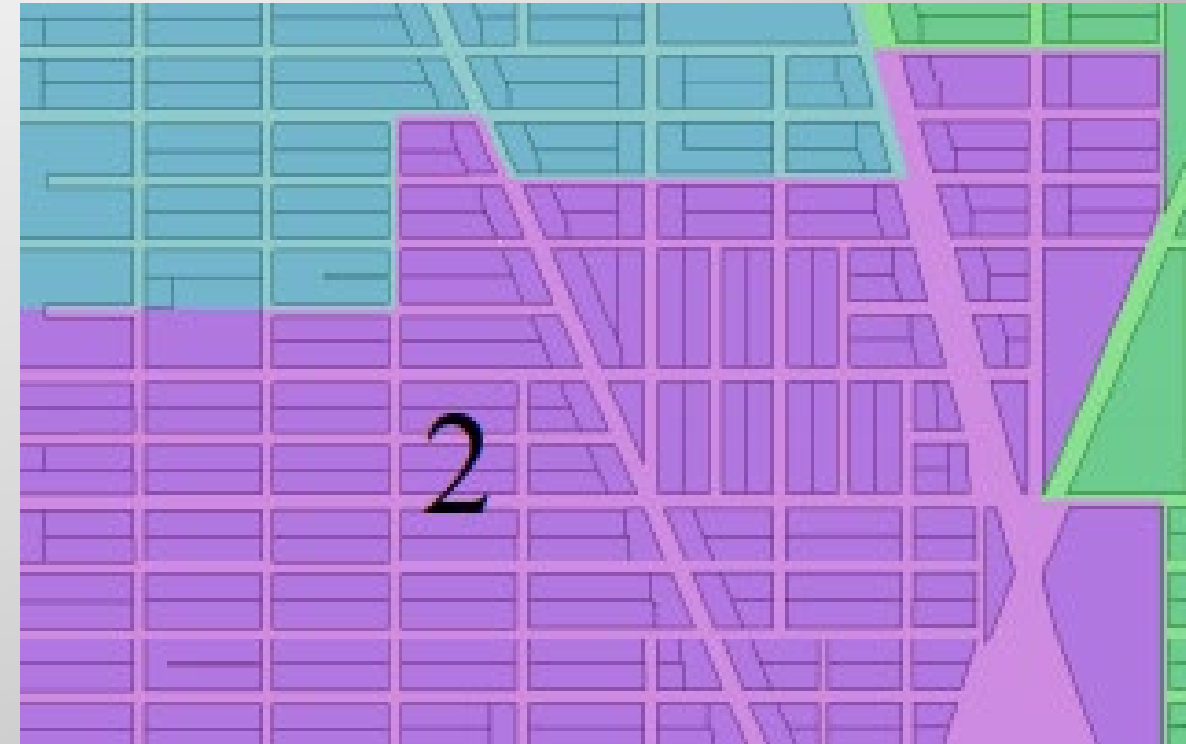
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 2ND WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 2



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 3



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 4TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

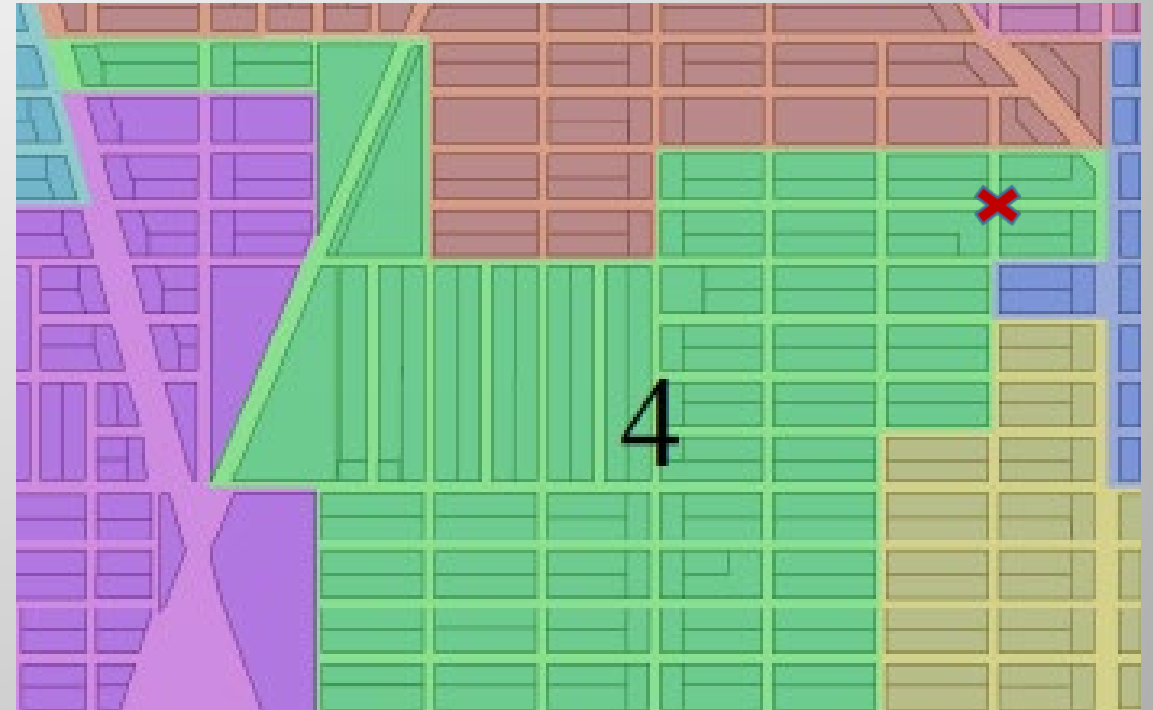
Attempted Murder — 5/20/2023

Clarence/23rd Street — 10:10a.m.

Officers responded to the area of Clarence/23rd Street for a call of shots fired. Upon arrival, officers met with the victim who related he was inside his vehicle when the vehicle was shot at. Officers located damage to the vehicle which was consistent with one round entering through the passenger side window and one round entering the rear windshield. The victim was not struck by any bullets and was not injured. Officers did not locate any other damage or victims in the area. Officers learned that the incident stemmed from a verbal argument between the two (2) male subjects. The offender left the scene prior to police arrival. One (1) projectile was located under the passenger seat of the victim's vehicle. The victim's vehicle was towed to the station for processing. On 5/24/2023, subsequent to an investigation, the offender was taken into custody and subsequently charged with one (1) felony count of Attempted Murder and one (1) felony count Possession of Cannabis with Intent to Deliver. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 4



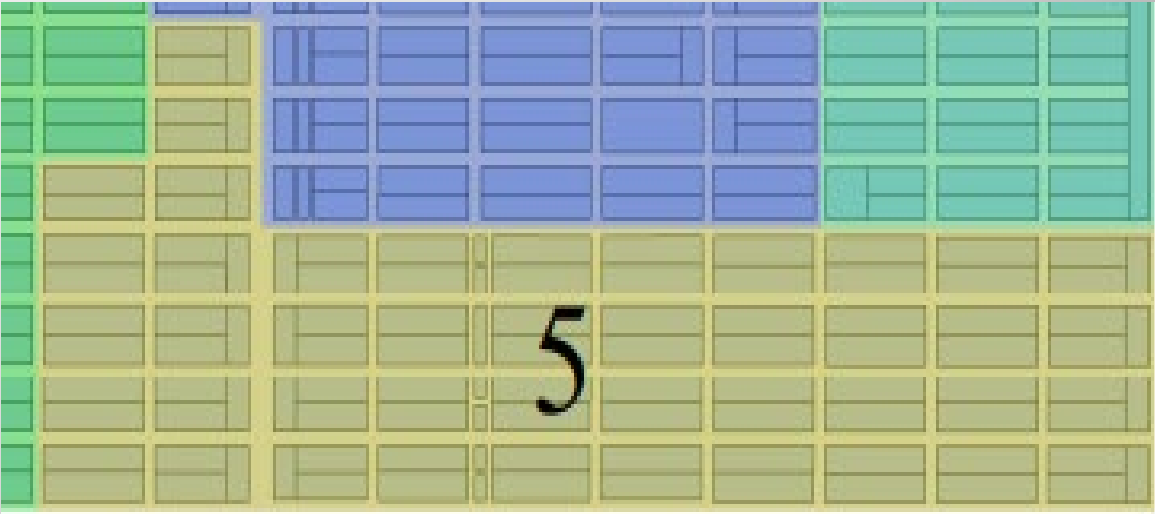
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 5TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 5



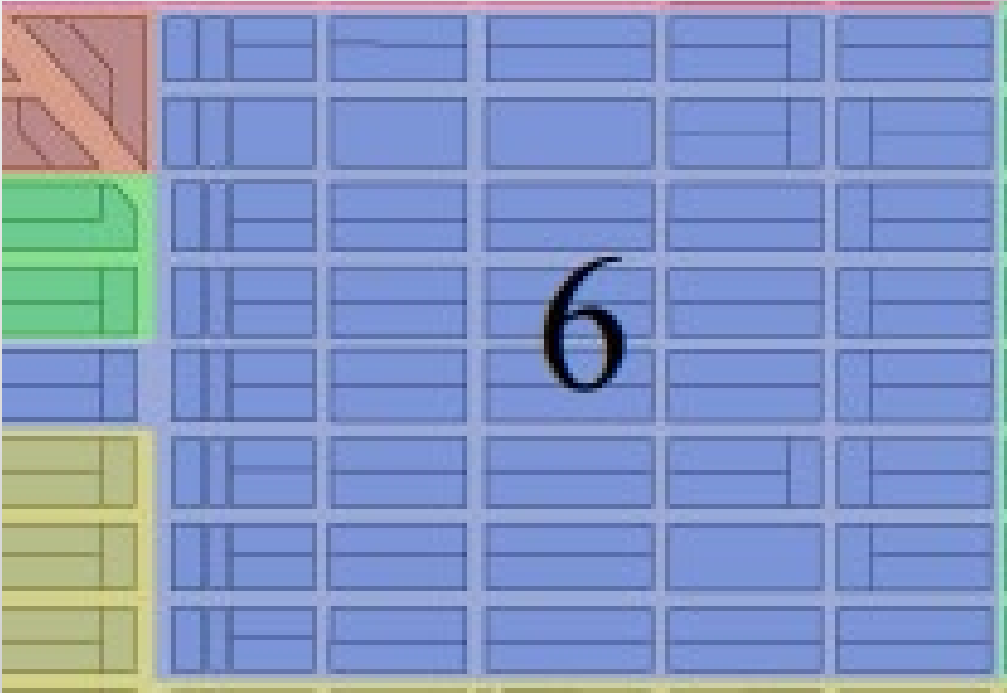
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 6TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 6



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 7TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

Burglary — 5/16/2023

Buffalo Wild Wings (7130 W. Cermak) — 1:58a.m.

Berwyn Dispatch received a call from the manager at Buffalo Wild Wings advising that two (2) subjects just broke into the business and she (caller) locked herself in the office. Berwyn Dispatch received an additional call from a delivery driver at Starbucks (7124 W. Cermak) reporting the burglary in progress. As units were en route, Berwyn Dispatch related that the manager of BWW advised that she could see the subjects on the store surveillance cameras and it appeared they had left the business. The witness advised that the offenders left Northbound Harlem Ave. in a red in color sedan. Responding officers cleared the business and then made contact with the reporting party. A brief review of the exterior store video surveillance footage was conducted at which time it revealed 3 subjects wearing hoods, masks and gloves approached the rear door of the business. The offenders made entrance into the business after striking the door glass with a brick. After gaining access into the establishment, the offenders spent approximately 3 minutes inside the establishment before fleeing the area. Nothing was reported missing from the business. This investigation is ongoing.

Aggravated Battery of a Police Officer — 5/19/2023

1800 block of Kenilworth — 5:56p.m.

Officers responded to the 1800 block of Kenilworth for a report of a domestic disturbance between a male and a female subject. While attempting to de-escalate the situation, officers asked the male subject to leave the premises multiple times, however, the subject did not comply. The male subject became combative and threw a bag of his belongings at one of the officers and then proceeded to push the other officer in the chest while making verbal threats towards all officers on scene. Officers placed the subject in custody and transported him to the Berwyn Police Station for processing. The subject was subsequently charged with one (1) felony count of Aggravated Battery to a Police Officer, two (2) felony counts of Aggravated Resisting a Police Officer, and two (2) misdemeanor counts of Resisting a Peace Officer. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 7



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 5/15/2023

Reckless Discharge of a Firearm — 5/16/2023

1200 block of Gunderson/Elmwood Alley — 7:38p.m.

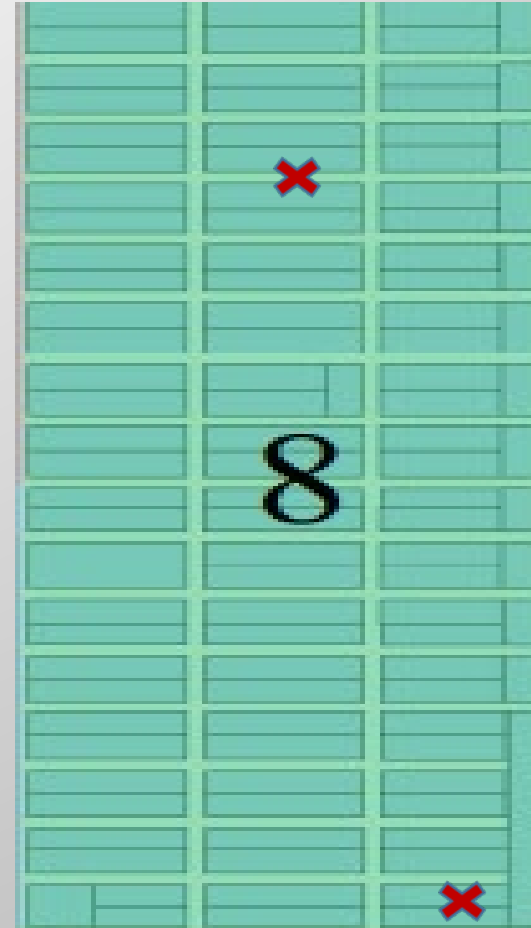
Officers responded to multiple calls of shots fired in the area of the 1200 block of Ridgeland. Responding officers met with one of the reporting parties who stated she heard multiple shots fired and then looked out her window where she observed a tall Black Male subject (wearing a white, black, red, and yellow jacket) run from the location of the shots Northbound through the 1200 block of Ridgeland/Elmwood alley. The witness further related that shortly after, she observed two (2) more Black Males go into the alley and look around in what she believed to be an attempt to find any spent rounds. Officers conducted a canvass of the 1200 block Ridgeland/Elmwood alley which revealed four (4) spent rifle rounds. There was no reported property damage or victims. This investigation is ongoing.

Aggravated Battery — 5/17/2023

1300 block of Wenonah — 9:48p.m.

Officers responded to a report of a victim that related he was pistol whipped. Upon arrival, units made contact with the victim who was bleeding heavily from the forehead. Officers located a large amount of blood outside on the stairs and sidewalk. Contact was made with the homeowner who related that her boyfriend was defending himself from the victim who was attempting to break into their residence. The homeowner further related that her boyfriend was no longer on scene. Officers entered the residence to verify no other involved parties were inside that needed medical assistance. Officers located a small amount of blood inside the foyer but no other subjects/victims were located inside. The victim was transported to Mac Neal Hospital for treatment. This investigation is ongoing.

Ward 8



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
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ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY

FORGERY INCIDENT

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the suspect depicted in the following photograph. This subject is suspected in the alleged forgery incident that occurred on May 15, 2023. This incident occurred at 7001 Cermak Road.



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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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