



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

6-12-2023 thru 6-18-2023

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: QUENTREL HALL

INCIDENT LOCATION: 6900 ROOSEVELT ROAD

INCIDENT DATE: 06.01.2023

CHARGE: ROBBERY

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23.04848

ARREST DATE: JUNE 14, 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: LAVARIS KIMBLE

INCIDENT LOCATION: 7100 BLOCK OF CERMAK ROAD

INCIDENT DATE: 06.15.2023

CHARGE: ATTEMPT MURDER/KIDNAPPING

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23.05346

ARREST DATE: JUNE 16, 2023

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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: LUKE STRINGER

INCIDENT LOCATION: 2400 BLOCK OF EAST AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE: 06.17.2023

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23.05387

ARREST DATE: JUNE 17, 2023

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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: CHRISTIAN RIOS

INCIDENT LOCATION: 6800 BLOCK OF 26TH STREET

INCIDENT DATE: 06.17.2023

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED BATTERY OF A POLICE OFFICER

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23.05360

ARREST DATE: JUNE 17, 2023

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CITY OFFICIAL BRIEFING

6-12-2023 thru 6-18-2023

STATISTICS GLIMPSE

- Number of Calls for Service: 1,381
- Number of Arrests: 23
- Felony Arrests: 9
- Local Ordinance Citations Issued: 24
- Moving Violations Issued: 231
- Use of Force Incidents: 2

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1ST WARD: RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY
- 2ND WARD: CATALYTIC CONVERTER THEFT
- 3RD WARD: POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; CATALYTIC CONVERTER THEFT; FIGHT/BRAWL
- 4TH WARD: AGGRAVATED UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON
- 5TH WARD: STRONG ARMED ROBBERY
- 6TH WARD: RECOVERED STOLEN AUTO
- 7TH WARD: ATTEMPTED ROBBERY; STOLEN AUTO; ATTEMPTED MURDER/AGGRAVATED KIDNAPPING/AGGRAVATED DOMESTIC BATTERY
- 8TH WARD: STOLEN AUTO

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CALLS FOR SERVICE

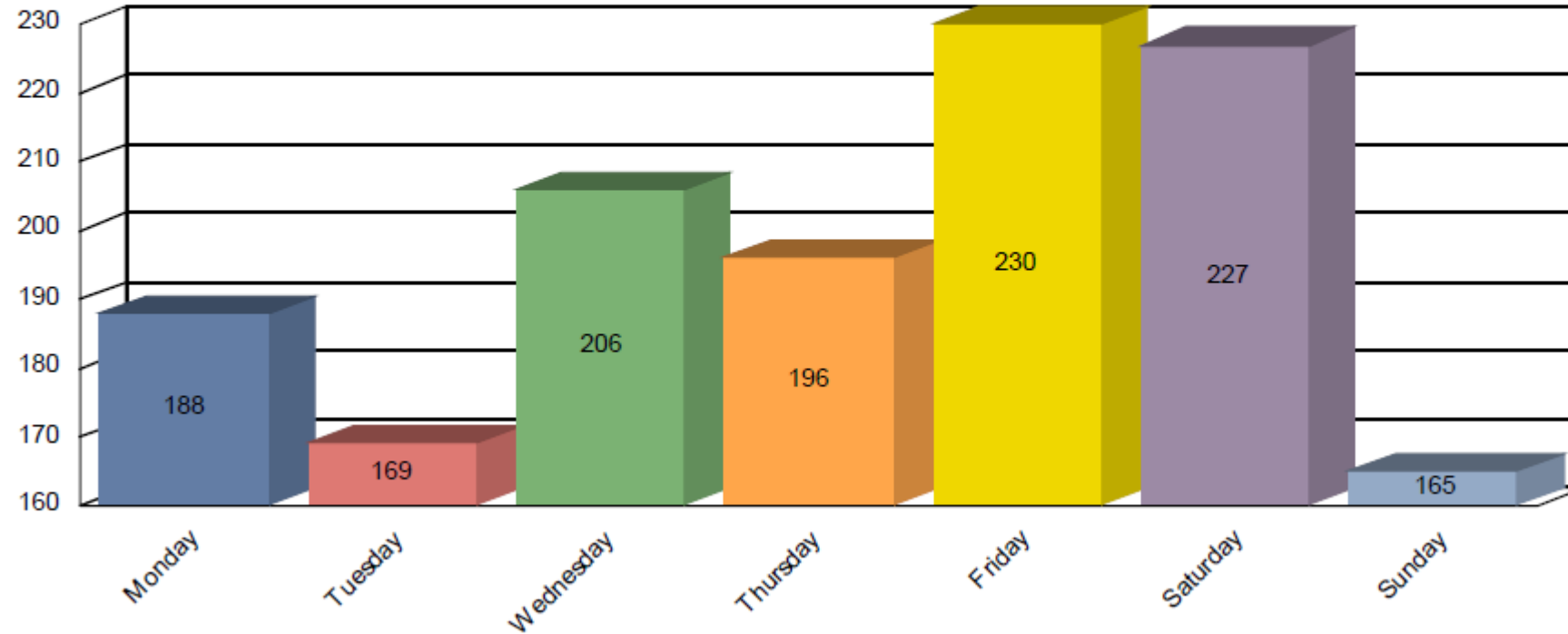
6-12-2023 THRU 6-18-2023

Total Items For Service

1,381

Items For Service Distribution

Total By Day of Week



Significant Incidents 06-12-2023 thru 6-18-2023



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 1ST WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Residential Burglary — 6/13/2023 3600 block of Kenilworth — 7:23a.m.

Officers responded to the 3600 block of Kenilworth for a possible residential burglary in progress called in by the cashier of the Mobil Gas Station (6856 W. Ogden). Upon arrival, officers discovered that forced entry had been made to the garage and residence of said address. Officers cleared the garage and residence without incident. Responding officers made contact with the reporting party who indicated that that he (cashier) observed (via the business's security camera) two subjects force entry into the garage/residence, enter the garage/residence, and remove items from the garage/residence. The subjects then placed the stolen items into a tan-in-color vehicle. The reporting party further related that the subjects were parked in the gas station's parking lot prior to the residential burglary and that he (cashier) had made contact with the subjects and asked them to leave. The incident was turned over to the Detective Bureau for further investigation.



Ward 1



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 2ND WARD

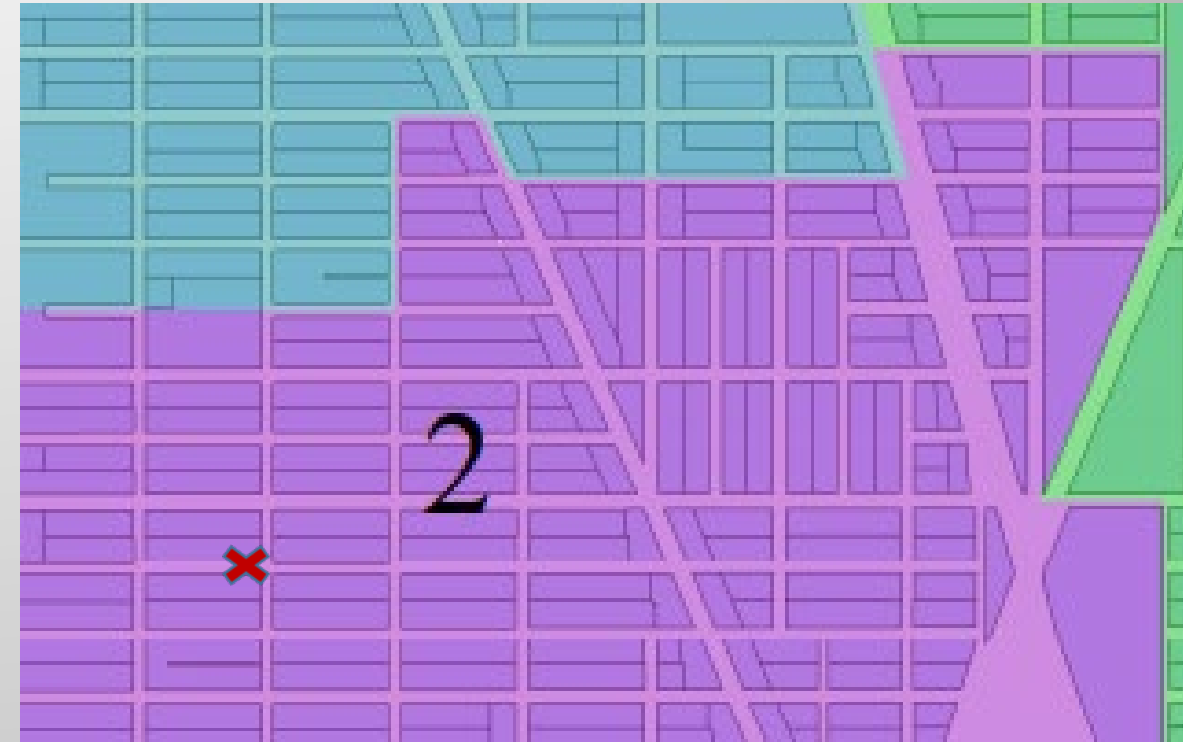
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Catalytic Converter Theft — 6/15/2023 **3700 block of Cuyler — 2:59a.m.**

Berwyn Dispatch received a call from a male victim who witnessed three (3) subjects in a black-in-color pick-up truck pull up next to his vehicle. The victim further related that he observed a masked subject exit the suspicious vehicle and go underneath his (victim's) vehicle. The offenders fled Eastbound on Cuyler prior to officer arrival. Responding officers conducted a search of the area and were met with negative results for the offenders. The victim related he wished to sign criminal complaints against the offender(s) should they be apprehended. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 2



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Possession of a Controlled Substance — 6/13/2023 **Cermak/Wesley — 12:25a.m.**

Berwyn Police conducted a traffic stop at Cermak/Wesley. Upon making contact with the driver, the officer observed open alcohol inside the vehicle in plain view. Officers subsequently conducted a search of the vehicle and recovered a firearm as well as small amounts of Cannabis and Cocaine. The vehicle was impounded and the driver was taken into custody. Officers learned the driver did not have a valid FOID or CCL. The subject was subsequently charged with one (1) felony count of Possession of a Controlled Substance. Case closed by arrest.

Catalytic Converter Theft — 6/14/2023 **3100 block of Wenonah — 3:17a.m.**

Units responded to a report of a catalytic converter theft in progress. The witness advised that three (3) Male subjects (possibly Black) stole the Catalytic Converter off of a parked vehicle before fleeing the scene in a blue in color sedan. A canvass of the area for other potential victims was met with negative results. Officers made contact with the vehicle's owner who stated they did not wish to sign a complaint. Nothing further at this time.

Fight/Brawl — 6/17/2023 **Tipsy's Tap (6802 W. 26th Street) — 2:28a.m.**

While patrolling the area, officers observed a disturbance between security and several patrons in front of Tipsy's Tap. While officers were attempting to disperse the crowd, one (1) Male Hispanic subject spat in an officer's face. Officers subsequently attempted to arrest the offender and the subject spat in the faces of two (2) additional officers. The offender was subsequently taken into custody and charged accordingly. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 3



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 4TH WARD

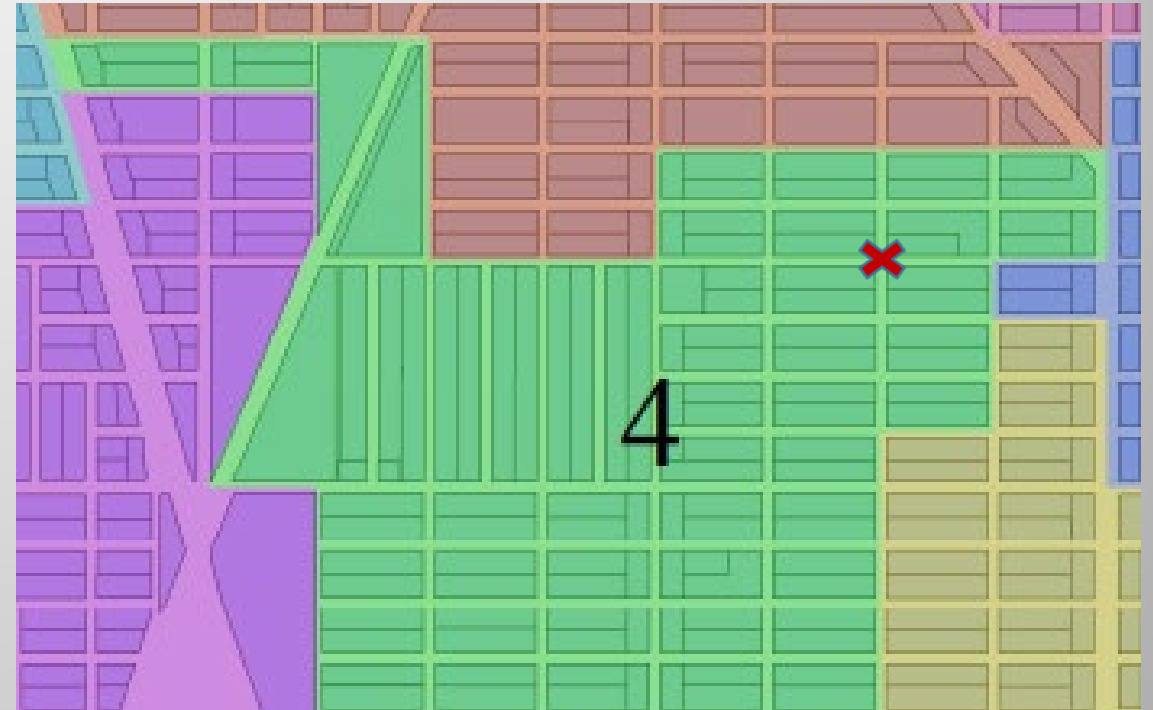
FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon — 6/17/2023 **24th Street/East Ave. — 11:22p.m.**

Officers conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of 24th Street/East Ave. During the course of the investigation, two (2) loaded firearms and ammunition were recovered. Five (5) grams of Cannabis was also recovered. The driver was taken into custody and subsequently charged with two (2) felony counts of Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 4



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 5TH WARD

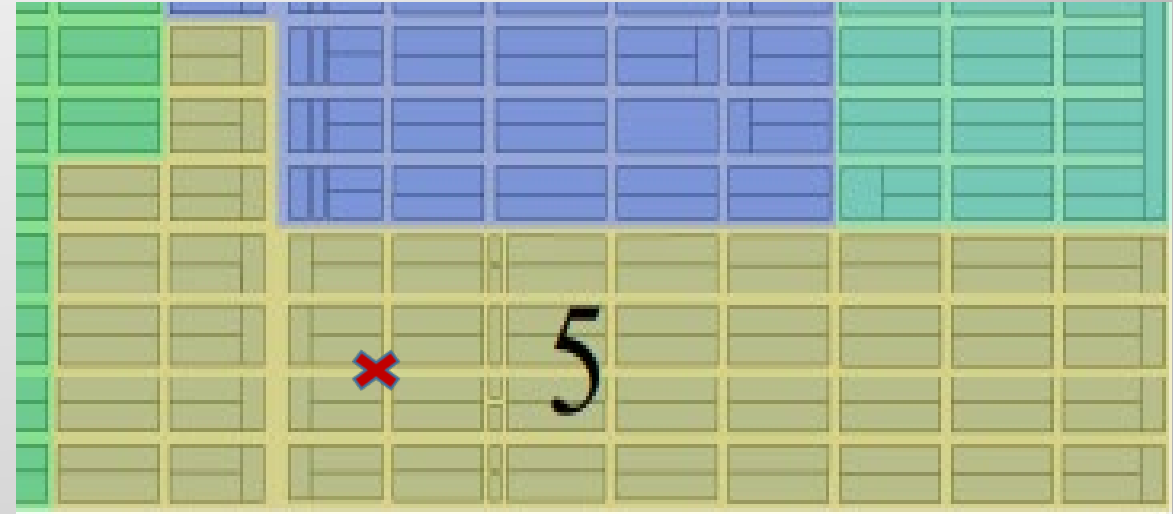
FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Strong Armed Robbery — 6/13/2023
2100 block of Highland — 11:43p.m.

62 year old male victim related he was walking up to his apartment building when he observed an unknown Male Hispanic subject, approximately 25 years old standing in front of the entrance. As the victim proceeded forward towards the door, the offender punched the victim in the face, knocking him to the ground. The offender then took the victim's house keys and fled on foot Northbound towards the Vacin Fairway and then Eastbound through the Vacin. A canvas of area was conducted and met with negative results for a possible offender. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 5



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 6TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/05/2023

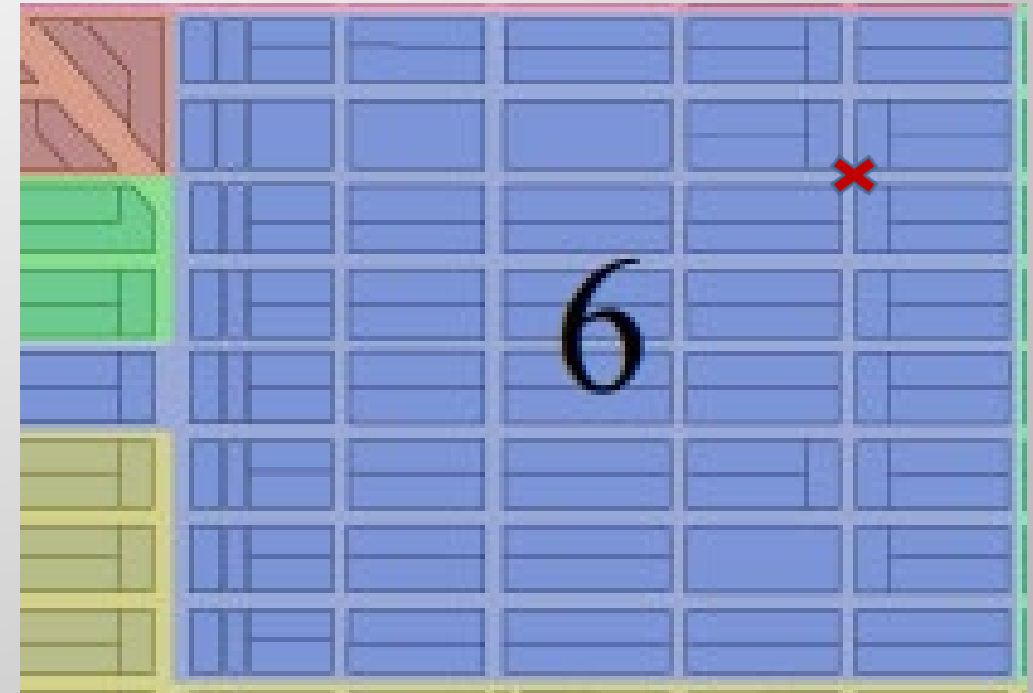
Recovered Stolen Auto — 6/17/2023

Wesley/16th Street — 4:02p.m.

Units responded to a Flock hit of a stolen vehicle. Officers located the vehicle and conducted a traffic stop at Harlem/16th Street. Said vehicle was reported stolen out of Stone Park from an Enterprise Rental Agency (it was a vehicle that had been rented and not returned). The occupants (1 male and 1 female subject) advised officers that they did not rent the vehicle and could not find the rental agreement. Both subjects were taken into custody for investigation. Officers discovered PCP in the female subject's property. The female subject initially provided a false name and officers later learned of her real name. The female subject refused to be fingerprinted and subsequently complained of pain and requested medical treatment. The female victim was subsequently transferred to Mac Neal Hospital for treatment. Berwyn Police learned that the female subject had several outstanding warrants from multiple counties. Once released from the hospital, the female subject will be charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance, Criminal Trespass to Vehicle, Obstructing I.D., and resisting. The male subject was charged with Criminal Trespass to Vehicle. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 6



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 7TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Attempted Robbery — 6/15/2023

2100 block of Oak Park Ave. (Oak Park/Euclid alley) — 11:22p.m.

Officers responded to a call of a robbery in Oak Park/Euclid alley. The victim related that two (2) Male Black subjects (wearing all black clothing and face masks) demanded the victim's vehicle keys after he parked his vehicle. The victim further related that one (1) of the subjects implied a firearm, but no firearm was observed. The victim fled on foot into the secured vestibule of his apartment building. The offenders fled the scene prior to officer arrival. The victim stated nothing was taken from him and he was not injured. This investigation is ongoing.

Stolen Auto — 6/16/2023

Maple Ave/19th Street — 10:57p.m.

Officers responded to a report of a stolen auto that occurred in the area of Maple/19th Street. Responding officers met with the victim who related that he was delivering food as a Salerno's Pizza employee and parked his vehicle at Maple/19th Street. The victim stated left his keys in the vehicle as he made his delivery. The victim further related that he witnessed five (5) Male Black subjects enter his vehicle and drive off with it. The vehicle was entered into LEADS as stolen. On 6/17/23 the vehicle was located by Chicago PD and returned to the victim. The victim did not wish to sign a complaint and the case was subsequently closed.

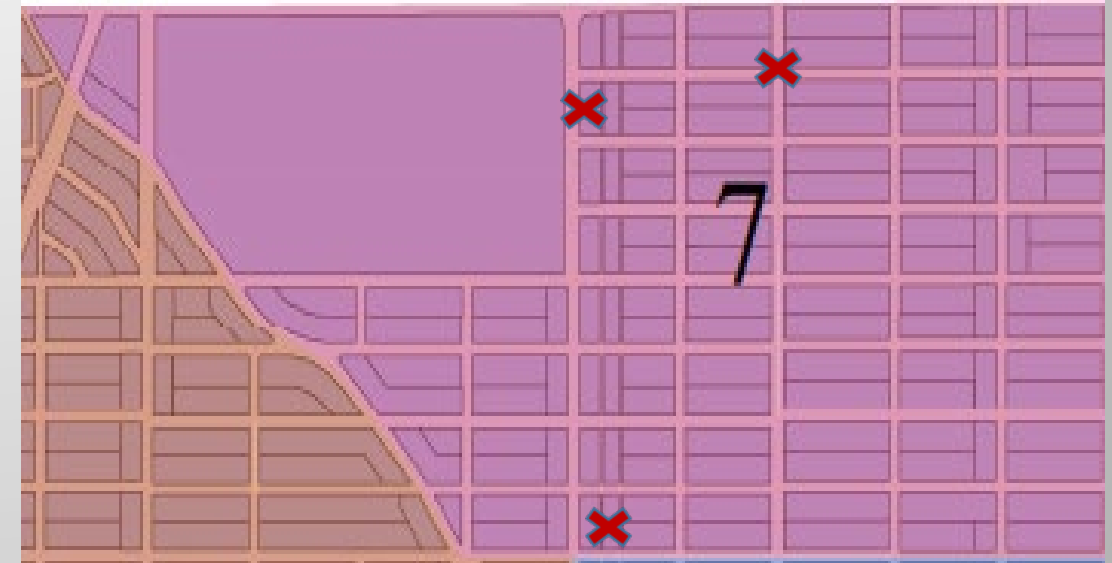
Attempted Murder/Aggravated Kidnapping/Aggravated Domestic Battery — 6/15/2023

7100 block of Cermak & 1900 block of Highland — 8:00p.m.

Officers responded to a report of a Domestic Battery that occurred around 5:00p.m. The initial battery occurred on the 7100 block of Cermak when the male & female subjects were inside their vehicle parked outside of a restaurant. The male subject then drove the female subject to his residence on the 1900 block of Highland. The female subject sustained multiple bruises and lacerations to her face and body. Officers learned that the offender held her at gunpoint, struck her with the firearm, and choked her. Following an investigation, the male subject was taken into custody and was subsequently charged with Attempted Murder (Class X Felony), Aggravated Kidnapping (Class X Felony), and Aggravated Domestic Battery (1 Felony count). Case closed by arrest.



Ward 7



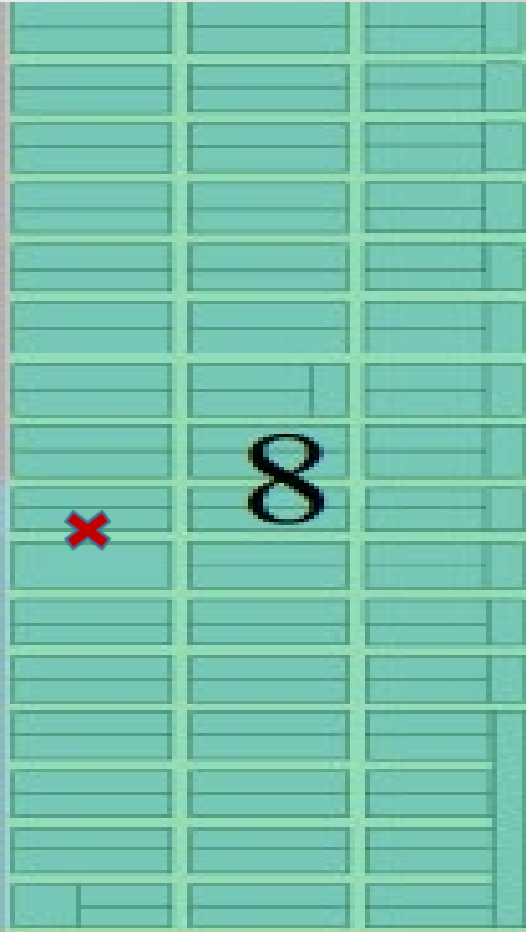
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/12/2023

Stolen Auto — 6/17/2023
1400 block of Euclid — 4:24p.m.

Officers responded to the 1400 block of Euclid for a report of a stolen auto. The victim related that her vehicle was parked in front of her residence when she observed several male subjects exit a grey in color Hyundai and enter her vehicle. The offenders fled the scene prior to officer arrival. Officers entered the stolen vehicle into LEADS. While on scene, officers located the offenders' vehicle which was left behind. The offenders' vehicle was a grey in color Hyundai Elantra with no license plates. Officer's conducted a check of the VIN which revealed said car was reported stolen out of Chicago. Berwyn Police notified Chicago PD who subsequently recovered the stolen auto. The victim's vehicle was located by Chicago PD on 6/21/23 and returned to the victim. Case closed.

Ward 8



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY

RETAIL THEFT

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the persons depicted in the photographs. These subjects are suspects in the alleged retail theft that occurred on May 29, 2023. This incident occurred in the 7100 Block of Cermak Road.



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CALL OUR CRIME TIP HOTLINE @ (708) 749-6564 OR
CRIME TIP FORM LINK @ BERWYNPD.ORG**

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ATTEMPT TO LOCATE/ATI

Information:

BURGLARY TO MOTOR VEHICLE

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to locate the vehicle depicted in the photograph (IL-DQ76410). This vehicle was used in the alleged Burglary to Vehicle that occurred on June 13, 2023. This incident occurred in the 3600 Block of Kenilworth Avenue. Also attempting to identify the suspect depicted in the photograph.



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ATTEMPT TO LOCATE

CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to locate the vehicle depicted in the photograph. This vehicle was used in the alleged criminal damage to property that occurred on May 6, 2023. This incident occurred at 2627 S. Ridgeland Avenue. The rear passenger tail light is damaged and the vehicle is missing its rear passenger hubcap.



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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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