



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

6-19-2023 thru 6-25-2023

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**



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MISSING ENDANGERED PERSON

**ALEXANDER
MALDONADO**

20 YEARS OLD

MALE

6 FEET 0 INCHES

135 POUNDS



***ALEXANDER WAS LAST SEEN ON
JUNE 25, 2023 AT 9:00P.M. IN
THE AREA OF 32ND STREET/OAK
PARK AVE.**

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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: DIEGO HERNANDEZ

INCIDENT LOCATION: 3249 S. OAK PARK

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: JUNE 13, 2023 @ 10:03AM

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED BATTERY

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-05249

ARREST DATE: 06/19/2023

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

4 Juvenile
Offenders
Not
Pictured

NAME: JUVENILE OFFENDER (X4)

INCIDENT LOCATION: 16TH STREET & GUNDERSON AVENUE

INCIDENT DATE/TIME: JUNE 21ST, 2023 @ 8:16PM

CHARGE: BURGLARY

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 23-05512

ARREST DATE: JUNE 21, 2023

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CITY OFFICIAL BRIEFING

6-19-2023 thru 6-25-2023

STATISTICS GLIMPSE

- Number of Calls for Service: 1,376
- Number of Arrests: 34
- Felony Arrests: 8
- Local Ordinance Citations Issued: 29
- Moving Violations Issued: 353
- Use of Force Incidents: 0

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1ST WARD: DISTURBANCE
- 2ND WARD: BURGLARY TO MOTOR VEHICLE
- 3RD WARD: AGGRAVATED DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM
- 4TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 5TH WARD: STOLEN AUTO; HOUSE FIRES
- 6TH WARD: ATTEMPTED STOLEN AUTO; CRIMINAL TRESPASS/WARRANTS x3
- 7TH WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 8TH WARD: RECOVERED STOLEN AUTO; ATTEMPTED STOLEN AUTO; STOLEN AUTO

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CALLS FOR SERVICE

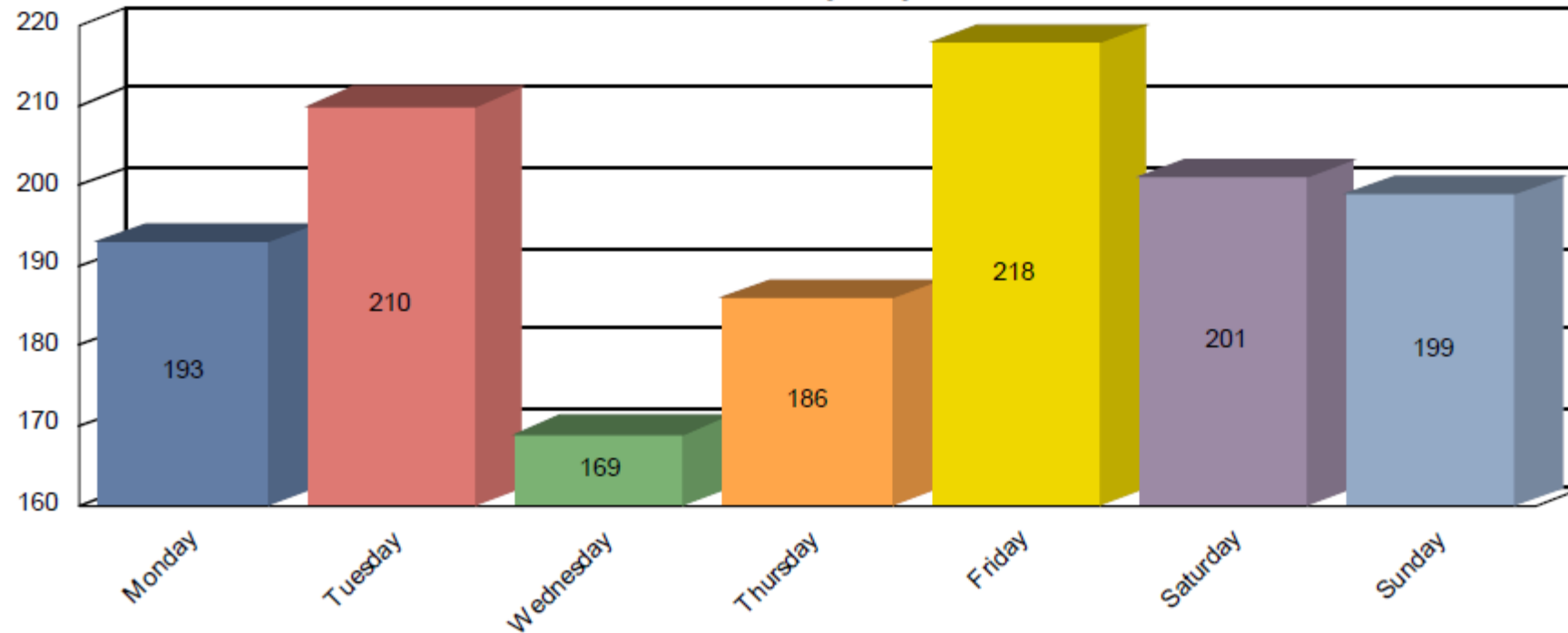
6-19-2023 THRU 6-25-2023

Total Items For Service

1,376

Items For Service Distribution

Total By Day of Week



Significant Incidents 06-19-2023 thru 6-25-2023



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 1ST WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

Disturbance — 6/25/2023

Windsor Café (6834 Windsor) — 9:30p.m.

Officers responded to a report of a disturbance at Windsor Café. Upon arrival, officers were informed that the offender (Male Hispanic subject with face tattoos) left the scene prior to police arrival. Bar staff related that the offender was throwing chairs inside of the establishment. One witness further related that the offender became aggressive and threw a construction horse at the front window but did not cause any damage. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 1



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 2ND WARD

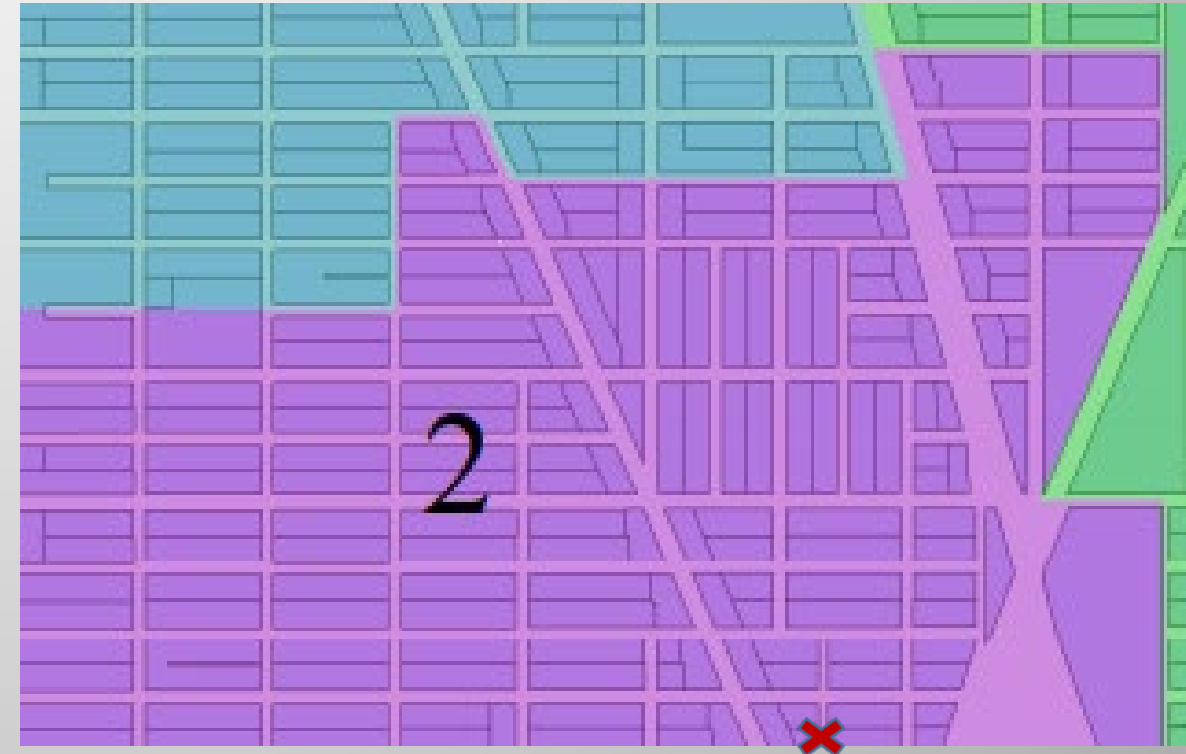
FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

Burglary to Motor Vehicle — 6/20/2023 3300 block of Lombard — 3:50a.m.

Officers responded to a report of a burglary to a motor vehicle. Responding officers met with the victim who reported he heard his vehicle's audible alarm going off. The victim further related that he then went outside to the vehicle and observed the rear window to be shattered and entry made to the vehicle. The victim stated his power tools were stolen. Officers conducted a check of the area which was met with negative results for any offender(s) or missing property. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 2



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

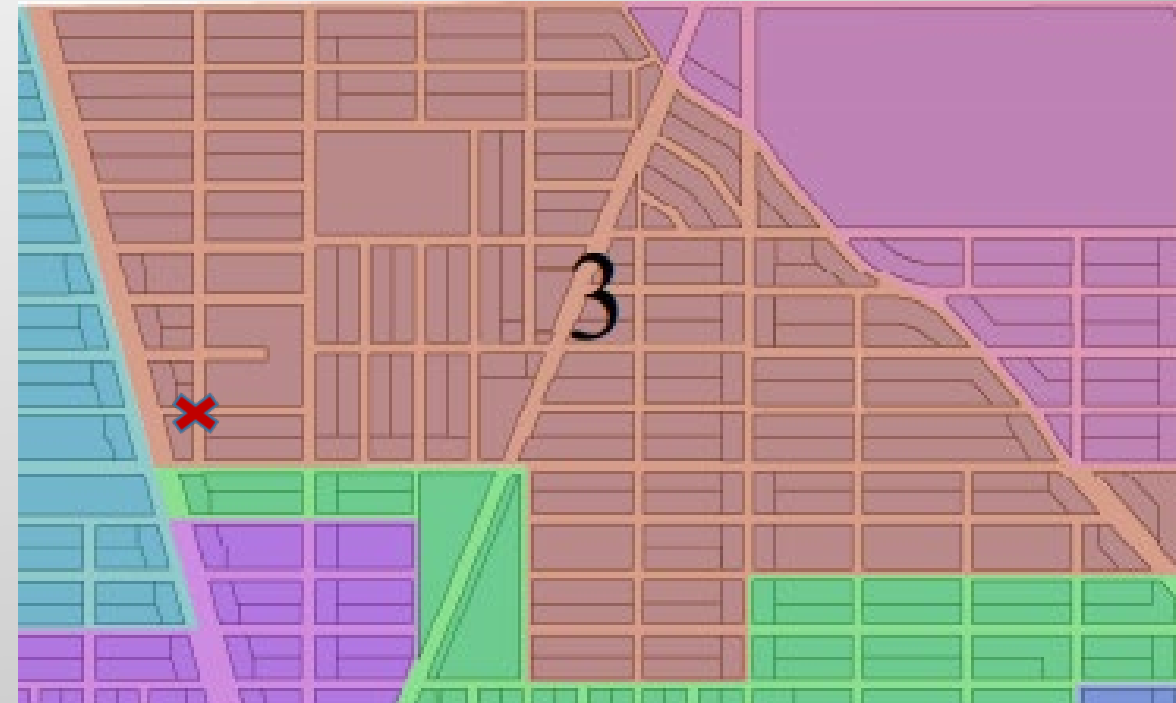
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Aggravated Discharge of a Firearm — 6/24/2023 **The Garage (3202 Grove Ave.) — 12:02a.m.**

Units responded to The Garage in reference to a fight/disturbance. Upon arrival, all parties involved in the fight appeared to have fled the scene. Witnesses related that there was a group of individuals outside the business arguing near the parking lot and gunfire erupted. Officers canvassed the area and found multiple shell casings the street as well as several vehicles in the parking lot that were damaged from gunfire. The search was met with negative results for any victims. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 3



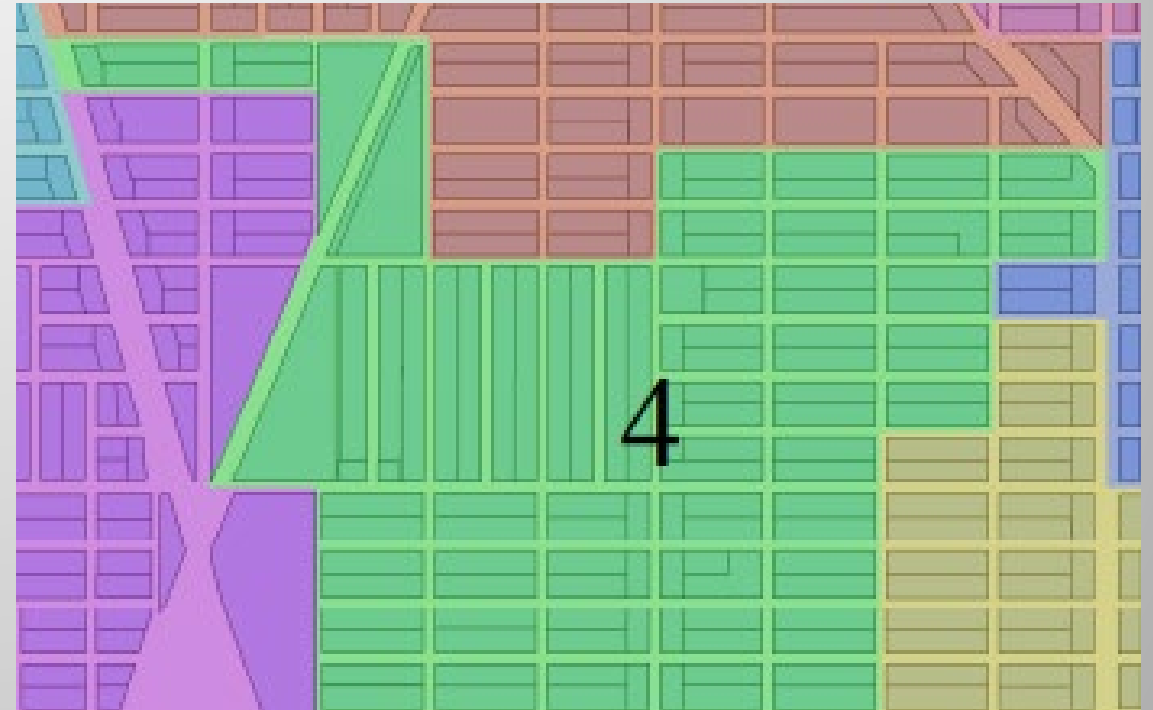
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 4TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 4



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 5TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

Stolen Auto — 6/21/2023

1800 block of Cuyler — 5:17a.m.

Victim reported his vehicle stolen. The victim stated that he last saw his vehicle at 8:00p.m. on 6/20/23 and discovered it missing at 5:10a.m. on 6/21/2023. Officers did not observe any broken glass in the area where said vehicle was previously parked. This investigation is ongoing.

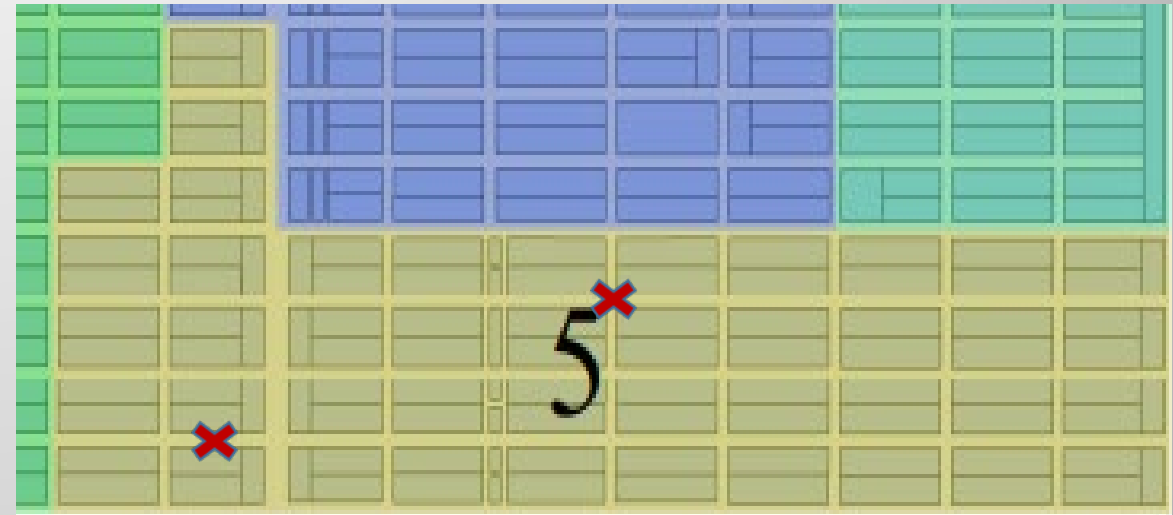
House Fires — 6/24/2023

2200 block of Harvey — 5:36p.m.

Berwyn Police Officers responded to a report of a house fire on the 2200 block of Harvey. Responding Officers Acosta and Swiecionis were the first to arrive on scene at which time they observed a home fully engulfed in flames. A concerned neighbor notified officers that an elderly female was still inside of the affected residence. Due to the severity of the fire and the importance of saving time, Officers Acosta and Swiecionis made forced entry into the home and located the 85 year old female subject in the front room. Officers successfully removed the female from the house fire without incident. The elderly female victim, did not suffer any injuries or smoke inhalation. Officers noted that approximately one minute after they rescued the female from the front room of her home, that same room became fully engulfed in flames. Additional police officers responded to the tragic scene and immediately began knocking on the surrounding residences and evacuated as many occupants as possible. The fire grew at a rapid rate and spread to three neighboring homes. The Berwyn Fire Department arrived on scene, let out their lines, protected the exposed residences, and were ultimately able to extinguish the fires. Additional assistance was received from neighboring Fire Departments. During the course of the fire, the front lawn of one of the homes became engulfed in flames and damaged a vehicle that was parked nearby. Several residents were displaced from their homes due to the fire. All occupants of the four homes escaped without injury. The Red Cross arrived on scene to immediately begin working on providing temporary placement for all of the victims. The cause of the fire is still unknown and is pending an investigation.



Ward 5



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 6TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

Attempted Stolen Auto (Kia) (Juvenile) — 6/21/2023 **1600 block of Gunderson — 8:16p.m.**

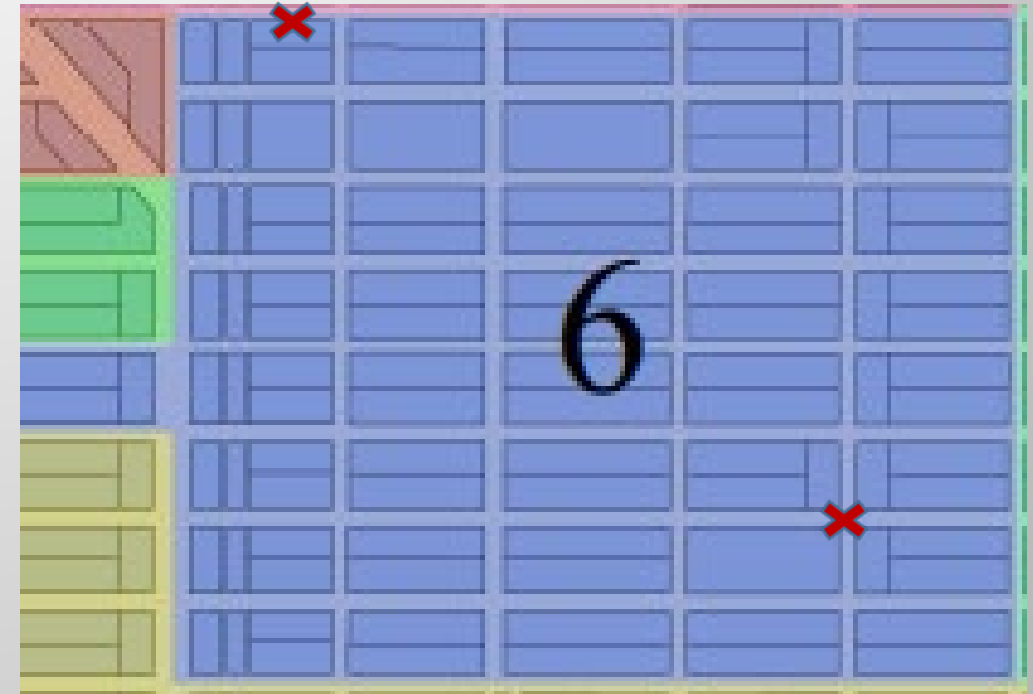
Berwyn Dispatch received a call of four (4) Male Black subjects attempting to steal a white in color Kia. As responding officers approached the area, the offenders fled on foot. A foot pursuit ensued and all four (4) subjects were detained within a several block radius. Burglary tools were located in the stolen vehicle along with several locations within the flight of the offenders. All four subjects were taken into custody and transported to the station. Following an investigation by Juvenile Detectives, all four (4) juvenile subjects were charged with one (1) felony count each of the following: Attempt Burglary (with damage); Possession of Burglary Tools. Case closed by arrest.

Criminal Trespass/Warrant (x3) — 6/25/2023 **2100 block of Oak Park Ave. — 2:31a.m.**

Berwyn Dispatch received a call from a female subject who related she came home and found an unknown male subject, passed out in her apartment. Responding officers arrived and found the subject on the floor of the apartment passed out, heavily intoxicated. The subject was taken into custody and transported to the Berwyn Police Department where it was learned he had three (3) active warrants from surrounding municipalities. The subject was subsequently charged accordingly. Case closed by arrest.



Ward 6



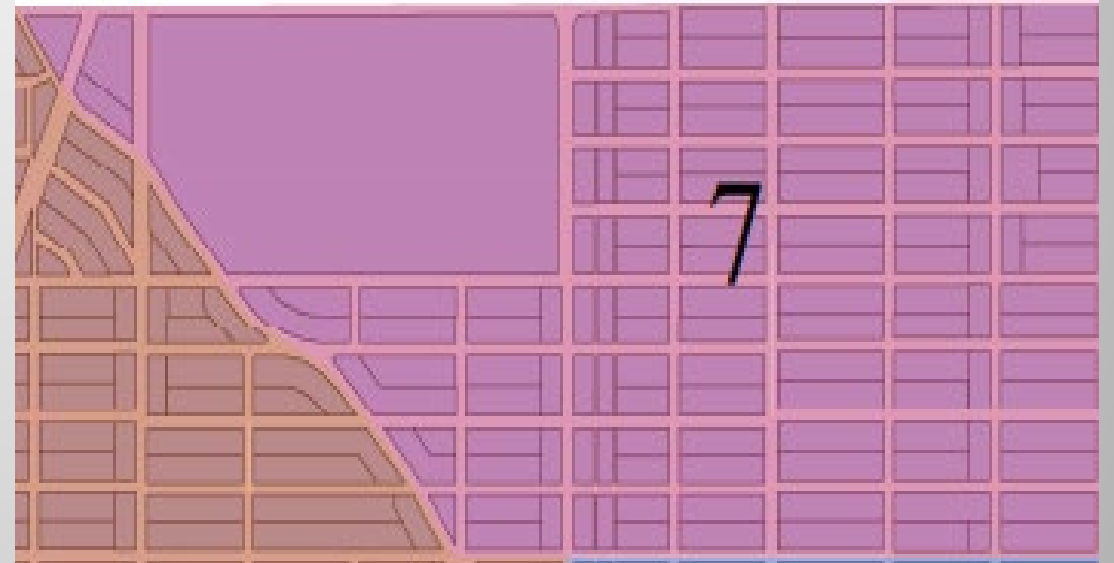
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 7TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

No Significant Incidents



Ward 7



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 6/19/2023

Recovered Stolen Auto — 6/20/2023 **1300 block of Clarence — 1:23a.m.**

Berwyn Police located a vehicle, previously stolen out of Chicago, parked on the 1300 block of Clarence. Said vehicle was recovered by Metro, removed from LEADS, and Chicago PD was notified.

Attempted Stolen Auto (Hyundai) — 6/21/2023 **1200 block of Scoville — 10:40p.m.**

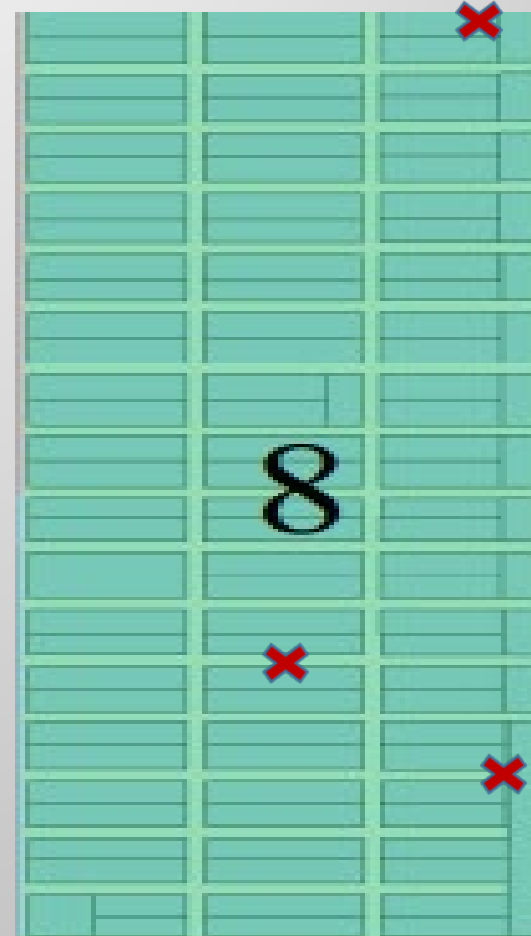
Berwyn Police Officer observed an auto theft in progress on the 1200 block of Scoville. When the officer first approached the Male Black subject near said vehicle, a second Male Black subject exited the driver's seat of the vehicle and both subjects fled Eastbound on foot. Officer's observed damage to the rear passenger window and the steering column was peeled. A search of the area was met with negative results for the offenders. The scene was processed and the vehicle was turned over to the owner. This investigation is ongoing.

Stolen Auto — 6/23/2023 **1200 block of Harlem — 5:21a.m.**

Berwyn Police responded to a call of a stolen auto. The victim stated her vehicle (Kia) was last seen parked in the building's parking lot the previous night and when she returned this morning it was missing. Officers observed broken glass where the vehicle was parked. The vehicle was entered into L.E.A.D.S as stolen. Later that same day at approximately 6:13p.m., Chicago PD located the vehicle and notified the owner. This investigation is ongoing.



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
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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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