



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

1-22-2024 thru 1-28-2024

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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MAJOR ARREST REPORT



NAME: ARISBEL LOPEZ

INCIDENT LOCATION: 6600 BLOCK OF CERMAK ROAD

INCIDENT DATE: 01.23.2024

CHARGE: AGGRAVATED BATTERY TO A POLICE OFFICER
POSSESSION OF A STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLE

BERWYN INCIDENT #: 24-00601

ARREST DATE: JANUARY 23, 2024

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

CITY OFFICIAL BRIEFING

1-22-2023 thru 1-28-2023

STATISTICS GLIMPSE

- Number of Calls for Service: 1,295
- Number of Arrests: 25
- Felony Arrests: 5
- Local Ordinance Citations Issued: 12
- Moving Violations Issued: 189
- Use of Force Incidents: 2

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

- 1ST WARD: BURGLARY
- 2ND WARD: NO SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS
- 3RD WARD: SHOTS FIRED (UNFOUNDED); FIGHT/DISTURBANCE (x2)
- 4TH WARD: RECOVERED PROPERTY
- 5TH WARD: FIGHT/BRAWL; AGGRAVATED BATTERY TO A PEACE OFFICER/POSSESSION OF A STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLE ; CRIMINAL TRESPASS TO A RESIDENCE
- 6TH WARD: SHOTS FIRED (UNFOUNDED); STOLEN AUTO (KIA)
- 7TH WARD: FIGHT/DISTURBANCE (JUVENILE)
- 8TH WARD: UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON; CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY/SHOTS FIRED; BURGLARY; RECKLESS DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM

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6401 WEST 31ST STREET



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CALLS FOR SERVICE

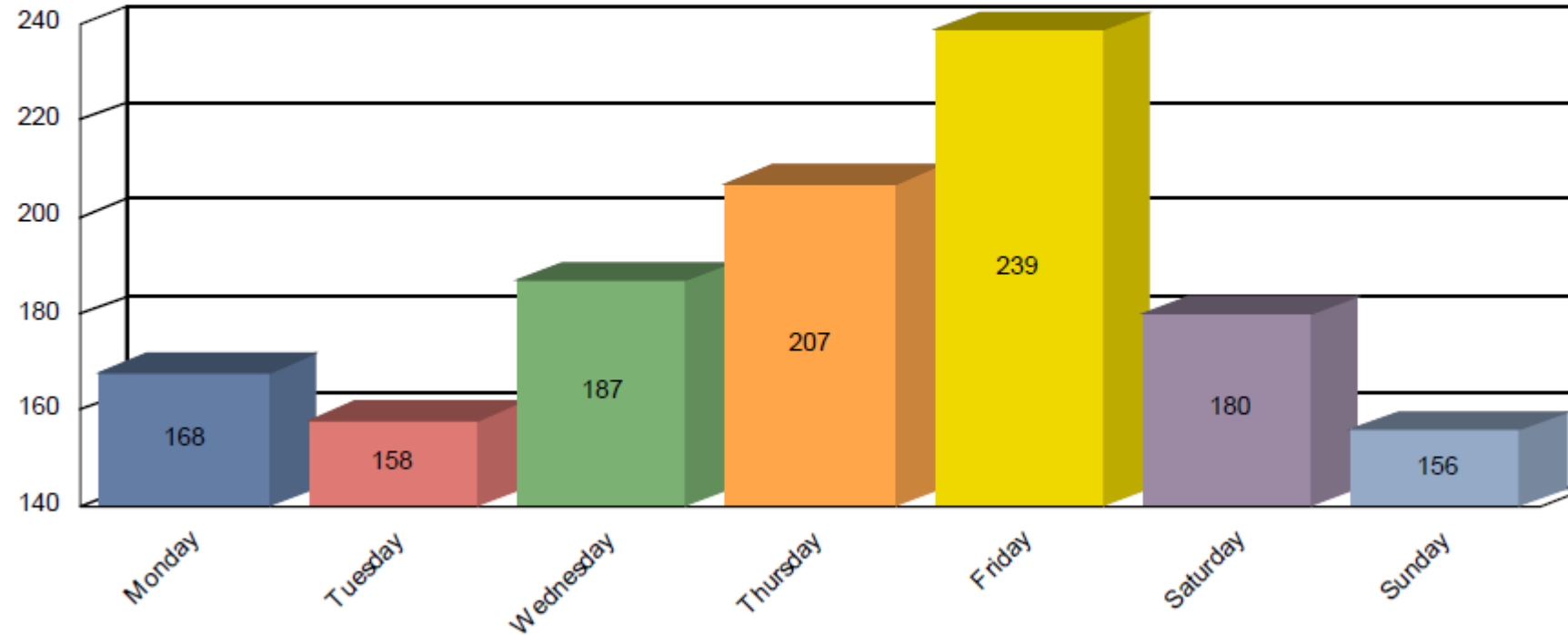
1-22-2023 THRU 1-28-2024

Total Items For Service

1,295

Items For Service Distribution

Total By Day of Week



Significant Incidents 1-22-2024 thru 1-28-2024



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 1ST WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Burglary — 1/25/2024

Moose Lodge (3625 S. Harlem Ave.) – 11:53a.m.

Officers responded to the Moose Lodge in regards to a burglary that occurred sometime overnight. Responding officers ascertained that unknown offenders forced entry through the front entrance door. Approximately \$6,200 was taken from an ATM and unknown amount of money was taken from the slot machines. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 1



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 2ND WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

No Significant Incidents



Ward 2



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 3RD WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Shots Fired (Unfounded) — 1/23/2024

27th Street/Grove Ave. – 10:30p.m.

Berwyn Dispatch received one (1) call reporting multiple shots fired in the intersection of 27th Street/Grove Ave. Responding officers made contact with several residents in the area who related they did not hear anything. A check of the area revealed negative results for any casings, property damage, or victims.

Fight/Disturbance — 1/27/2024

Tipsy's Tap (6802 W. 26th Street) – 2:58a.m.

While on patrol, officers observed two (2) groups of people fighting outside of Tipsy's. Responding officers separated the groups and the subjects cleared the scene. The subjects were uncooperative with police. No victims or offenders were identified at the time. The crowd was dispersed without incident.

Fight/Disturbance — 1/28/2024

Tipsy's Tap (6802 W. 26th Street) – 1:40a.m.

Units were dispatched to Tipsy's Tap for a report of a large fight at the bar. Upon arrival, responding units were met by an employee of the bar who related that the subjects left the scene prior to officer arrival. Officers learned that an altercation took place inside the establishment between two (2) male subjects and bar security when the subjects refused to comply with the bar's dress code (no hats). One of the male subjects struck the security guard in the face. Both subjects then left the scene on foot. After exiting the establishment, the offenders grabbed a table that was outside the entrance and threw it into one of the business windows causing it to shatter. The two (2) subjects then ran Westbound on 26th street where they caused damage to the windshields of four (4) vehicles parked on 26th Street just East of Grove Ave. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 3



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 4TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Recovered Property — 1/22/2024 **2400 block of Clarence – 9:34a.m.**

Berwyn Dispatch received a call from a male subject who related that he was cleaning up the property when he found an artillery shell and took it outside. Upon arrival, responding officers located the shell which had the possibility of being live. The area was taped off, the residence was evacuated, and neighbors were advised. The Cook County Bomb squad arrived on scene and recovered the artillery shell without incident. No other items of concern were located at the residence.



Ward 4



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 5TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Fight/Brawl — 1/23/2024

Mike's Place (6319 W. Roosevelt) – 12:32a.m.

Officers responded to Mike's Place for a report of a disturbance outside the bar involving approximately five (5) Female Black subjects. Upon arrival, officers met with the reporting party/owner who advised that the subjects that were currently outside arguing with each other. The owner further related that the subjects were inside the establishment for a private birthday party and began fighting with each other as they were exiting the establishment. Officers advised the female subjects that the bar was closed and subsequently cleared the area without incident.

Aggravated Battery to a Peace Officer/

Possession of a Stolen Motor Vehicle

Gunderson/Cermak — 1/23/2024 – 8:25a.m.

Berwyn Officers received a FLOCK notification alerting patrol units to a stolen vehicle that was traveling Eastbound on Cermak from Gunderson. Berwyn officers located said vehicle and activated lights and sirens in an attempt to conduct a stop on the stolen vehicle. Said vehicle continued to cross into Cicero where it struck two (2) vehicles before coming to a stop. The passenger successfully fled the scene on foot. While placing the female driver in custody, the female subject resisted and kicked one of the officers. The offender was transported to the Berwyn Police Department and subsequently charged accordingly. Case closed by arrest.

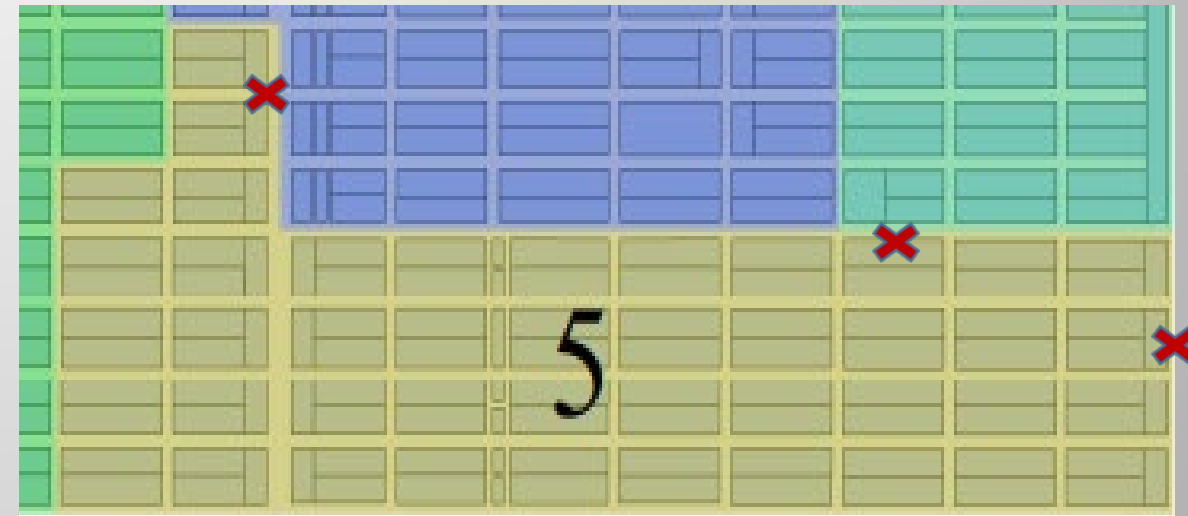
Criminal Trespass to Residence — 1/28/2024

1400 block of Ridgeland – 2:36a.m.

Officers responded to a residence on the 1400 block of Ridgeland for a report from the home owner who stated that he was asleep on the couch when he was awoken by footsteps in the kitchen. The victim further related that as he got up, an unknown person fled out the back door of the residence. Responding officers conducted a check of the area that was met with negative results. Officers believe the offender entered the residence through an unlocked window. The victim did not report anything missing from the residence. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 5



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 6TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Loud Noise Complaint/Shots Fired (Unfounded) — 1/23/2024 **Lincoln Middle School (6432 W. 16th Street) – 8:37a.m.**

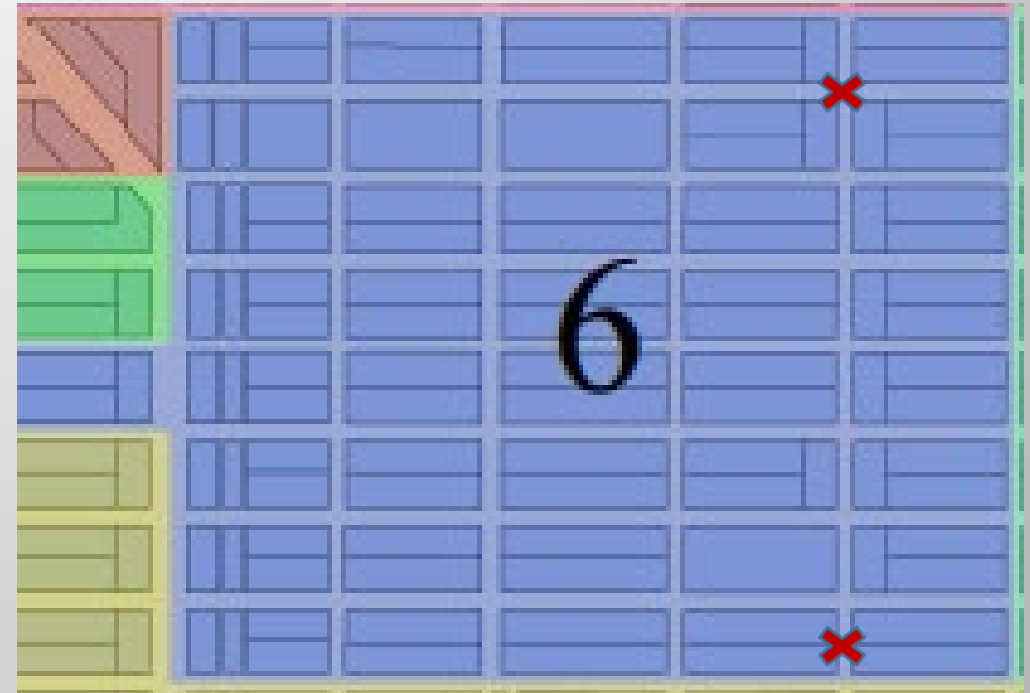
Berwyn Dispatch received a call from Lincoln Middle School of a report of shots fired. Units immediately arrived on scene and obtained information that the noise was heard from outside of the school near 16th Street/Elmwood. A canvass of the area revealed negative results for any shell casings, property damage, or victims. It is believed the noise came from delivery trucks in the area.

Stolen Auto (KIA) — 1/25/2024 **1600 block of Euclid – 8:33p.m.**

Officers responded to the 1600 block of Euclid for a report of a stolen auto (KIA). Responding officers met with the victim who related her husband observed a black in color vehicle pull up next to her parked vehicle and unknown people exited the offending vehicle and entered the victim's vehicle and drove away. Officers observed broken glass on the ground in the space that the victim's car was parked. The vehicle was entered into LEADS as stolen. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 6



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 7TH WARD

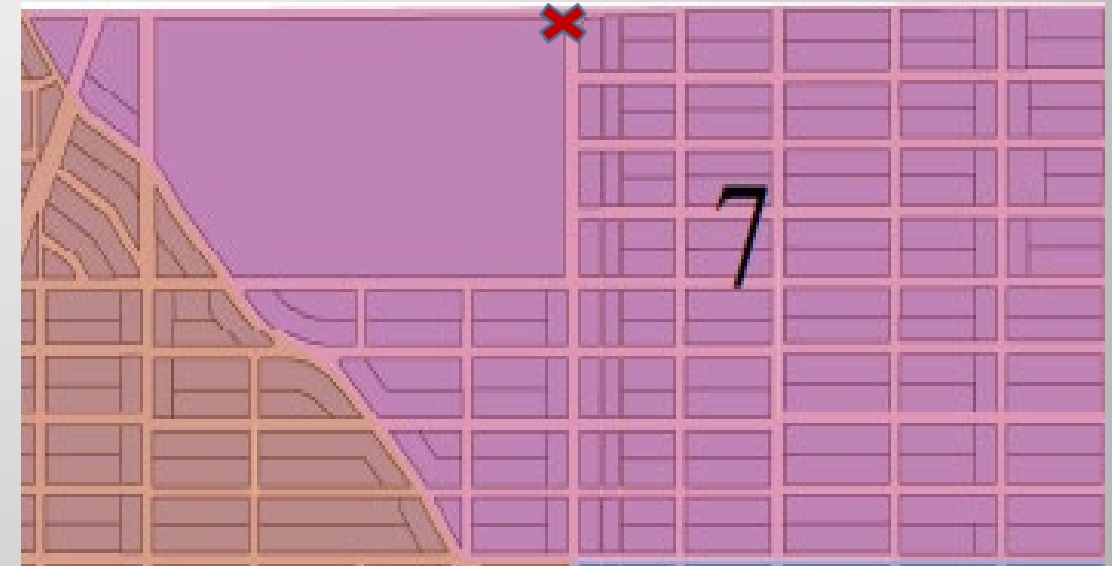
FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Fight/Disturbance (Juvenile Incident) — 1/27/2024 **Mc Donald's (7181 W. Cermak) – 1:42a.m.**

Berwyn Dispatch received a call from McDonald's staff reporting six (6) people from two (2) different vehicles fighting in the drive thru. Upon officer arrival, all involved subjects and vehicles had already left the scene. While officers were still on scene, one female subject returned to the scene because she believed she lost her keys during the altercation. Attempts to locate said keys were met with negative results. The female subject and the other occupants in her vehicle related they were victims of a battery that had just occurred in the drive thru. BFD was summoned to the scene and all subjects signed medical refusals. This investigation is ongoing.



Ward 7



SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Unlawful Use of a Weapon — 1/25/2024
Di Nico’s Pizzeria (6627 W. Roosevelt) – 12:31a.m.

Officers responded to Di Nico’s Pizzeria for a report of a male subject with a gun. Responding officers met with the manager who related he was outside behind the restaurant when an unknown Male Black subject approached him from behind and asked if they were still open while displaying a handgun. The manager related that he quickly went back into the business. The male subject partially entered the business through the rear door after the manager but then exited and fled the scene Eastbound on foot. This investigation is ongoing.

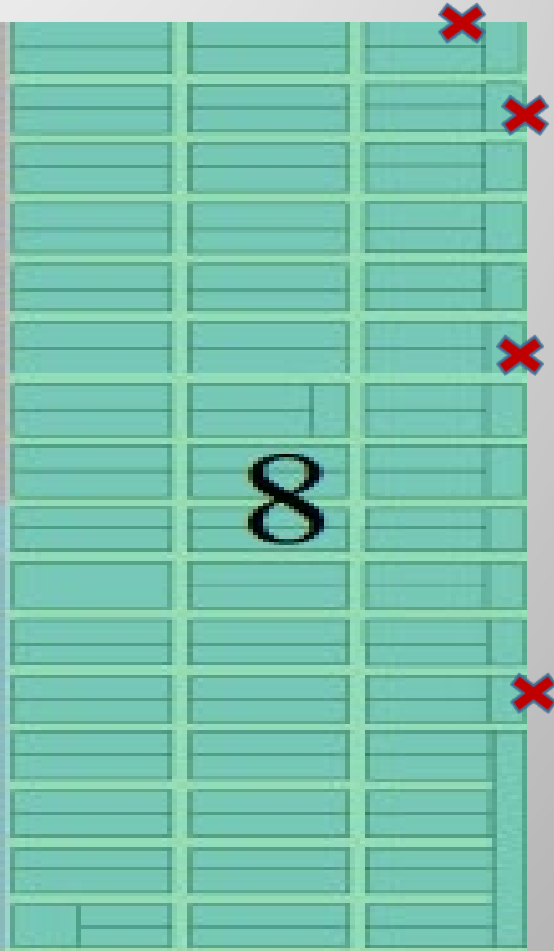
Criminal Damage to Property/Shots Fired — 1/25/2024
1200 block of Harlem Ave. – 11:04a.m.

Officers responded to a residence on the 1200 block of Harlem Ave. for a report of a bullet that came through the window. Responding officers met with the reporting party who related she discovered the bullet hole this morning and believed it came through the Northside window and struck the drywall sometime overnight. There were no reported injuries. This investigation is ongoing.

Burglary — 1/26/2024
Da Man Cave (7103 W. Roosevelt) – 9:13a.m.

Officers responded to a report of an open door at Da Man Cave. Upon arrival, officers noticed forced entry through the rear door. The interior of the business was cleared with no one located inside. No items appeared to be missing or tampered with. Officers observed a large hole in the drywall (East wall) and it appeared entry was made into the adjacent business, Tasty House (7101 W. Roosevelt). A cash register drawer was reported missing from Tasty House. This investigation is ongoing.

Ward 8



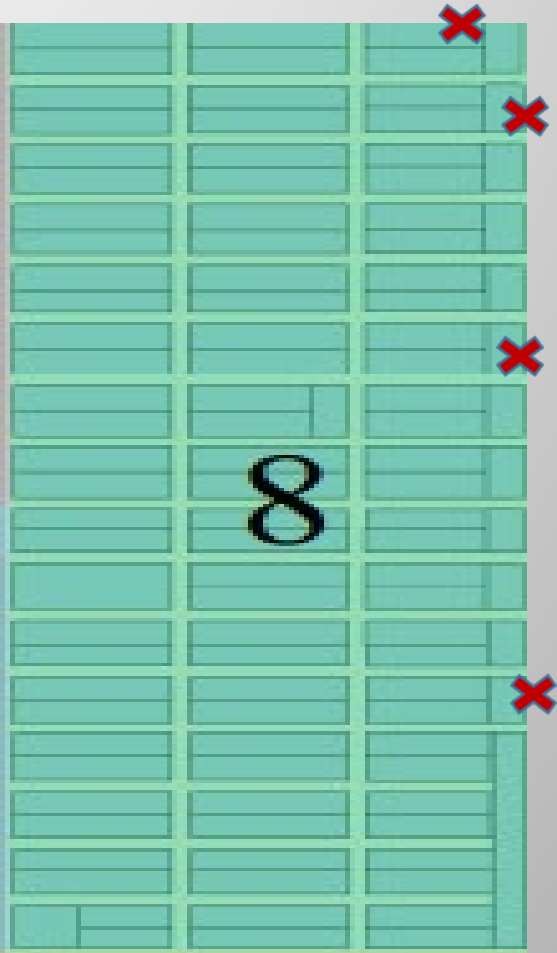
SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS IN 8TH WARD

FOR WEEK OF 1/22/2024

Reckless Discharge of a Firearm — 1/28/2024
On The Rocks (6907 W. Roosevelt) – 1:36a.m.

While on patrol, officers reported hearing 7-8 shots in the area of Roosevelt/Kenilworth. Responding units arrived on scene and learned that there was an altercation that occurred inside On The Rocks bar. Witnesses advised that one of the subjects involved in the altercation exited the bar and discharged a firearm into the air numerous times. Officers recovered four (4) casings at the scene. The offender left the scene prior to police arrival. There were no reported injuries. This investigation is ongoing.

Ward 8



BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY THEFT OF SERVICES

Case 24.00445

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subject depicted in the photograph. This subject is a suspect in an alleged theft of service. This incident occurred in the area of the 6800 block of Cermak Road on 01.18.24



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ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY RECKLESS DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM

Case 24.00780

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subject and vehicle (Chevrolet) depicted in the photographs. This subject is a suspect in an alleged reckless discharge of a firearm. This incident occurred in the area of the 6700 block of 16th Street on 01.28.24



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ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY RETAIL THEFT

Case 24.00200

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subject depicted in the photograph.

This subject is a suspect in an alleged retail theft. This incident occurred in the area of the 7100 block of Cermak Road on 01.06.24



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ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

Case 24.00214

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subject depicted in the photograph.

This subject is a suspect in an alleged motor vehicle theft. This incident occurred in the area of the 6700 block of the Vacin Fairway on 01.08.24



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ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subjects depicted in the photographs. These subjects are suspects in an alleged graffiti. This incident occurred in the area of the 6300 block of Cermak Road.



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BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY THEFT

Information:

The Berwyn Police Department is attempting to identify the subject depicted in the photograph. This subject is a suspect in an alleged theft. This incident occurred in the area of the 6500 block of East Avenue.



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BERWYN POLICE DEPARTMENT

ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY THEFT

Information:

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