Wilmette Police Department

September 18 – September 24, 2020



The following incidents were reported to the Wilmette Police Department during the previous week and some subjects were charged with a crime. Readers are reminded that an arrest by the police does not constitute a finding of guilt and that the defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

## Possession of a Controlled Substance

#### 300 Block of Wilshire West.

9/16/20 at 10:32pm Officers responded to a suspicious vehicle call. The driver and one of the passengers were in possession of a small amount of cannabis. They were cited under the local ordinance and released at the scene. The other passenger was in possession of a controlled substance. She was taken into custody, transported to the station, processed and held for a Thursday bond hearing.

20-12531

Arrested:

Isabelle Goode

320 Richmond – Kenilworth

F/W, 18 years old

#### **Stolen Vehicle**

#### 2000 block of Washington Ave.

09/16/20 at 4:30am. The victim reported that sometime overnight unknown offender stole his vehicle which was parked, unlocked with the fob inside, on the driveway of his residence. The offender also caused approximately \$1000 in damage to a retaining wall while backing out of the driveway.

20-12595

#### **Burglary**

#### 1000 Block of Central Ave.

09/16/20 at 7:45am The victim reported that sometime overnight an unknown offender entered her unlocked vehicle and rummaged through the center console. Nothing appeared to be missing.

20-12504

#### Harassment

### 1200 Block of Central Ave.

On 9/16/20 at 11:00am

The victim reported that his ex-girlfriend had made a number of harassing phone calls. **20-12520** 

#### **Assault/Resisting Arrest**

#### 300 block of Linden Ave.

9/17/20 at 9:30am Wilmette Police Officers responded for a report of a male subject who had assaulted a bus driver. The offender resisted being taken into custody. The offender was transported to the police station, processed, and released on Bond. 20-12546

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Arrested:

Anthony Allen

707 E. 92<sup>nd</sup> Pl. #2 – Chicago

M/B, 44 years old

**Retail Theft:** 

### 411 Green Bay Rd. (Jewel).

9/18/20 at 9:01AM Jewel employees observed two subjects attempting to steal OTC medication. A Wilmette Police Officer stopped two subjects matching the offenders' description walking in the 200 block of 10<sup>th</sup> St. They were positively identified by the Jewel employee. The property was recovered. Both subjects were charged with misdemeanors, bonded out, and transported to the CTA.

20-12585

Arrested:

William C. Benion Jr.

LKA: 3349 W. 19<sup>th</sup> St., Chicago, IL 60623

M/B, 42 Years Old

Darcie M. Kelso

LKA: 703 3<sup>rd</sup> St. SE, Little Falls, MN 56345

F/W, 30 Years Old

#### **Recovered Stolen Auto:**

#### 3000 Block of Barclay Ln.

9/19/20 at 2:16AM. A Wilmette Police Officer observed two vehicles driving west on Lake Ave at a high rate of speed, but lost site of the them. While searching the area one of the vehicles was discovered in the driveway in the 3000 block of Barclay Ln. It appeared the driver lost control of the vehicle and left the roadway. The vehicle struck several trees and a parked vehicle on the property. The occupants of the vehicle had fled the scene prior to the officer's arrival. The vehicle was reported stolen from Evanston.

20-12630

### **Stolen Vehicle:**

### 1400 block of Ashland Ln.

9/19/20 at 7:42AM a Skokie Police Officer took a report of a suspicious vehicle that had been parked at 1000 block of Frontage Rd in Skokie. The vehicle was registered to 1400 block of Ashland in Wilmette. A Wilmette Police Officer responded to the address and found that the homeowner's vehicle was missing from the driveway. The vehicle had been parked unlocked in the driveway with a key fob inside as of 10:00PM on 9/18/20.

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Theft:

Arrested:

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Burglary to MV: 200 block of Woodbine Ave.

09/20/20 8:00AM The victim reported that overnight unknown offender(s) entered her unlocked vehicle and stole personal items. **20-12677** 

Theft: 600 Block of Central Ave.

09/20/20 11:00AM to 6:40PM the victim reported two-yard signs were taken from his front yard. **20-12694** 

Assault: 3232 Lake Ave., (Eden's Plaza Parking Lot).

9/20/20 at 8:18PM The victim reported he was confronted in a threatening manner by the husband of a female coworker. The victim did not want to pursue criminal charges and the offender was advised to stay off the property.

20-12700

**208 Lawndale Ave.** The victim reported that on 09/19/20

between 12:00AM and 1:00PM unknown offender(s) stole

a political sign from his front yard.

20-12733

Arrest: 600 Block of 15<sup>th</sup>.

On September 21, 2020 at approximately 10:46 pm Wilmette Police Officers stopped a vehicle for traffic offenses in the 1700 block of Lake Avenue. The vehicle fled from the stop and subsequently crashed a short distance later after striking a tree and fence in the 600 block of 15<sup>th</sup> Street in Wilmette. The subject fled on foot and was located hiding in nearby shrubs. During the search of the vehicle, officers found individual packages of marijuana totaling 91 grams and approximately \$500 in cash. Due to minor injuries sustained from crash, the subject received medical treatment. The subject was released on bond for misdemeanor charges

and additional charges are pending.

Fredo Demart

M/B, 25 YOA 518 Douglas Ave Waukegan, IL

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### **Charges**:

One (1) Count Fleeing and Eluding, (1) Count Criminal Trespass to Auto, (1) Count Possession of Cannabis

#### **Court Information:**

Initial Court Date October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 2<sup>nd</sup> Municipal District Room 101 5600 Old Orchard Road, Skokie, IL

**Criminal Damage:** 

## 1600 block of Washington Ave.

09/22/20 4:00PM The victim reported unknown offender(s) damaged a yard sign in his front yard. **20-12733** 

**Residential Burglary:** 

### 100 Block of Maple Ave.

9/24/20 at 3:22am. The resident called 911 approximately 20 minutes after two offenders entered his attached garage and stole his bicycle. **20-12854** 

**Arrest:** 

Wilmette Police Officers responded to a delayed call of a burglary to the attached garage in the 100 block of Maple Ave. At approximately 4:20AM, a Wilmette Officer observed a dome light on in a parked car in the 800 block of Oakwood Ave. and two subjects fleeing the scene. After a foot pursuit, one of subjects was arrested in the 100 block of Green Bay Rd. The second subject was not located. Several additional burglaries to autos were then discovered. The arrested subject was charged with one Felony count of Residential Burglary for the burglary to the attached garage.

#### **Arrested:**

Perionne Walker M/B,18YOA

LKA: 1939 Jackson Ave

Evanston, IL

Charges: One (1) Residential Burglary

#### **Court Information:**

Initial Court Date TBD 2<sup>nd</sup> Municipal District 5600 Old Orchard Road, Skokie, IL

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Unlawful Use of Credit Card: 3000 Blk of Indianwood Rd.

9/21/20 at 12:00PM The victim reported two unauthorized charges to her credit card. **20-12806** 

Criminal Damage: 800 blk. of Prairie Ave.

Between 9/21/20 at 9:00pm and 9/22/20 at 8:00am an unknown offender(s) destroyed a yard sign. **20-12825** 

Auto Burglary: 200 block of Greenleaf Ave.

9/23/20 at 9:30am. The victim reported that sometime overnight unknown offender(s) entered her unlocked, detached garage. Her unlocked vehicle was rummaged through but nothing appeared missing. **20-12802** 

700 block of Washington Ave.

9/23/20 at 12:41pm. The victim reported that sometime overnight unknown offender(s) entered her unlocked vehicle that was parked on the street. Taken was \$5.00 USC and vehicle documents. 20-12813

1400 block of Gregory Ave.

9/23/20 at 9:00am. The victim reported that overnight his unlocked vehicle that was parked on the street was rummaged through by unknown offender(s). No property was missing.

20-12823

700 block of Michigan Ave.

9/23/20 at 12:30pm. The victim reported that overnight her three unlocked vehicles that were parked in her driveway were rummaged through by unknown offender(s). No property was missing.

20-12833

Unlawful Use of Credit Card: 3000 block of Indianwood Rd.

9/21/20 at 12:00pm. The victim reported two unauthorized charges to their credit card. **20-12806** 

Identity Theft: 1000 block of New Trier Ct.

9/22/20 at 3:30pm. The victim reported that he was notified by his employer that unknown offender(s) attempted to use his identity to file a fraudulent

unemployment claim. **20-12809** 

Criminal Damage: 800 Block of Prairie Ave.

9/22/20 at 8:00am. The victim reported that overnight

unknown offender(s) destroyed his yard sign.

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Cannabis Activity: Green Bay Rd. / Isabella St.

9/23/20 at 9:24pm. An officer conducted a traffic stop for an IVC violation. Upon approach to the vehicle the odor of cannabis was detected. Approximately 22 grams of cannabis was recovered that was not properly packaged for transport in a vehicle. The cannabis was seized, and the driver was cited for the IVC violation. **20-12839** 

**Auto Burglaries:** In response to the above residential burglary arrest, officers

identified the additional burglary to autos:

**800 block of Oakwood Ave.** 20-12858 **900 block of Oakwood Ave.** 20-12856 **900 block of Linden Ave** 20-12857