



# NEWS RELEASE

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### Four Men Charged in Attempted Vehicular Hijacking



**Name:** **Jenkins, Carl, 26** 1000 block of Lowe Av Chicago Heights, IL  
**Christian, Jodie, 22** 2000 block of W. 70<sup>th</sup> St Chicago, IL  
**Male Juvenile, 17** Chicago, IL  
**Elbert, Traveon, 26** 15200 block of Chicago Rd Dolton, IL

**Charges:** **Jenkins and Christian:** One felony count of Aggravated Attempted Vehicular Hijacking/Discharge of a Firearm, Four felony counts of Aggravated Assault/Discharge of a Firearm and Four felony counts of Attempt Robbery – Armed w/Firearm

**Juvenile:** One felony count of Attempt Robbery – Armed w/Firearm **and** Four felony counts of Aggravated Assault/Discharge of a Firearm

**Elbert:** One felony count of Aggravated Attempted Vehicular Hijacking with a Firearm, Four felony counts of Attempt Robbery – Armed w/Firearm, Four felony counts of Aggravated Assault/Discharge of a Firearm, One felony count of Possession of a Controlled Substance, One felony count of Aggravated Fleeing, One felony count of Aggravated DUI/License Susp or Revoked **and** various traffic violation citations

**Bond:** Central Bond Court, 2600 S. California Ave. – July 30, 2015

**Narrative:** Officers responded to a call of “shots fired” on July 27, 2015, at approximately 10:30 p.m. and observed a minivan travelling erratically southbound on Kedzie Ave. An occupant of the minivan then fired shots at another vehicle before becoming involved in a traffic crash on the 5900 block of S. Western. The above four offenders were then placed in custody by responding officers and the offenders were identified as the subjects who approached a 28 year old male, produced a handgun, and announced a robbery on the 3200 block of W. Carroll Ave. Upon being placed into custody offender Elbert was discovered to be in possession of a controlled substance. The four offenders were charged accordingly. **###**