



Bureau of Detectives – Arson Section

Community Alert



Alert P16-N-088CA
April 27, 2016

Fires Occurring in the 19th District (Town Hall)

About the Crime:

Fires are occurring in the alleyways within the 19th district, specifically beats 1934 and 1933. Available materials contained within the garbage cans are being ignited. In some cases, the fire has communicated to the garages.

Incident times and locations:

2800 Block of N. Cambridge Ave on April 25th at approx. 4:28 am
1100 Block of W. Oakdale Ave on April 25th at approx. 5:04 am
2900 Block of N. Seminary Ave on April 25th at approx. 5:09 am
700 Block of W. Oakdale Ave on April 25th at approx. 5:16 am
1100 Block of W. Wolfram St on April 25th at approx. 5:24 am
2700 Block of N. Racine Ave on April 25th at approx. 5:28 am

What you can do:

- Be aware of this situation and alert your neighbors.
- Secure your city garbage cans and leave bulky items out on pick up days only.
- Call 911 to report any suspicious persons, vehicles or activity in the area.
- Call 911 and provide a description of the person or vehicle involved.
- If video surveillance is available, save and make a copy of the incident for investigating detectives.
- Keep the perimeter of your property well lit.

**If you have any information
Contact the Bureau of Detectives – Arson Section
(312) 746-7618**

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