



Bureau of Detectives – Area North

Community Alert



**Alert # P17-N-284
December 10, 2017**

Motor Vehicle Thefts 015th District (Area North)

About the Crime:

This alert gives notice of recent Motor Vehicle Thefts that have occurred in the 015th District. In these incidents, the victim(s) left their vehicles unattended with the engine running and an unknown offender(s) entered the vehicle and drove away. Offender(s) took vehicles when the victim(s) left them running and unattended. Victim(s) were patronizing in stores, paying for gas, or warming up their vehicles near their residences. Incidents are occurring at all times of day.

Incident times and locations:

- 5000 Block of West Division on November 20, 2017 at 9:00am.
- 700 Block of North Lavergne on November 24, 2017 at 12:30am.
- 5000 Block of West Superior on December 8, 2017 at 7:00am.
- 4800 Block of West Chicago on December 9, 2017 at 6:30pm.

What you can do:

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- Never leave you vehicle running and unattended
- Remember any unique physical characteristics (ie., scars, limp, acne, teeth)
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide the information to the police
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible

**If you have any information Contact the Bureau of
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