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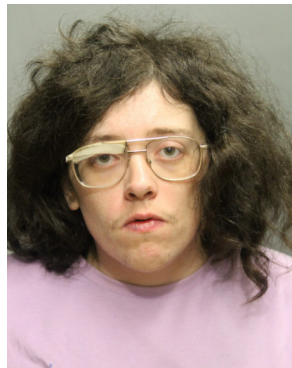
## Chicago Police Department

Larry Snelling  
Superintendent

For Immediate Release  
December 30, 2023

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### Offender Charged with Hate Crime & Criminal Defacement



Mariana Lynch, 30

**Offender:** Mariana Lynch, 30  
7300 block of N. Sheridan Road  
Chicago, IL

**Charges:** Three (3) felony counts – Hate Crime  
One (1) felony count – Hate Crime/School  
Four (4) misdemeanor counts – Criminal Defacement Property <\$500  
Two (2) felony counts – Criminal Damage/Government Property >\$500

**Court:** Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – December 30, 2023

**Narrative:** The above offender was arrested by members of the Chicago Police Department on December 28, 2023, at approximately 12:57 p.m., in the 7300 block of N. Sheridan Road. She was identified as the offender who, within an hour, defaced multiple businesses, an apartment building, and park property (24th District). The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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