



# NEWS RELEASE

## Chicago Police Department

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### Offender Charged with Multiple Felony Counts of Armed Robbery



**Offender:** Bryant Welch, 19  
1600 block of W. Montvale Ave.  
Chicago, Illinois

**Charges:** Six (6) felony counts – Robbery - Armed with Firearm  
Issuance of Warrant

**Court:** Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – January 13, 2026

**Narrative:** The above offender was arrested by the Citywide Robbery Task Force on January 12, 2026, in the 700 block of E. 111<sup>th</sup> St. He was identified as an offender who participated in multiple armed robberies after arranging online marketplace purchases. The incidents occurred in December 2025 in the 22<sup>nd</sup> District:

- December 3 at 1:30 p.m. – 1700 block of W. Steuben St; 20-year-old male victim
- December 4 at 4:15 p.m. – 1700 block of W. Edmaire St.; 18-year-old male victim
- December 10 at 1:37 p.m. – 11300 block of S. Davol St.; 26-year-old male victim
- December 18 at 5:20 p.m. – 1600 block of W. Monterey Ave.; 19-year-old male & 20-year-old male victims
- December 18 at 8:17 p.m. – 11000 block of S. Ashland Ave.; 25-year-old male victim

The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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