



NEWS RELEASE

Chicago Police Department

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Offender Charged with False Personation of a Police Officer



Offender: Willie Mathews Jr., 21
3800 block of 217th St.
Matteson, Illinois

Charges: One (1) felony count – False Personation/PC Officer/Weapon
One (1) felony count – Aggravated UPW/Person/Loaded/No FCCA
One (1) felony count – Forgery/Posses W/Intent To Deliver

Court: Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – June 15, 2025

Narrative: The above offender was arrested on June 12, 2025, at 5:10 p.m., in the 200 block of S. Michigan Ave. He was identified as the offender who, minutes earlier, was observed unlawfully wearing police identifiers in the 200 block of S. Michigan Ave. (1st District). The offender was placed into custody, at which time a weapon was recovered. He was subsequently charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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