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Elmwood Park Man Charged, Vehicle Used as Weapon



Name: Christopher Ramirez
7300 block of W. North Ave.
Elmwood Park, IL

Charges: Two felony counts of Aggravated Battery/Use Deadly Weapon
One misdemeanor count of Street Gang Contact/Parole
Issuance of Warrant

Bond: Central Bond Court, 2600 S. California – April 15, 2015

Narrative: The above offender was arrested and charged in connection to an incident that occurred on April 13, 2015, at approximately 4:20 am on the 3200 block of N. Ozark where the offender intentionally struck two victims with his vehicle while they were standing on the sidewalk. The offender then fled the scene and was subsequently apprehended a short time later by Elmwood, Illinois police, who were armed with information about the incident from Chicago Police. Victim #1, a 31-year-old male, was transported to Loyola Hospital and listed in critical condition. Victim #2, a 30-year-old male, was transported to Lutheran General Hospital where he was listed in serious condition. There were three passengers in the vehicle, a male and two females, who were not charged. The offender and the male passenger were transported to Our Lady of Resurrection Hospital in stable condition. The two female passengers were not transported to a hospital. There is no further information.

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