



Bureau of Detectives - Area South

Community Alert



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AUG 26, 2015

Wanted for Theft of Catalytic Converters 22nd District (Morgan Park)



About these crimes:

On August 26, 2015, there were numerous reports of catalytic converters thefts from vehicles located in the Beverly & Morgan Park neighborhoods (9900-11700 S. Campbell - Washtenaw). Most of the targeted vehicles appear to be small to mid-size SUVs. The thefts occurred between 12:00am and 5:30am. Pictured above is a catalytic converter. After cutting them off of cars, the converters are usually taken to junk yards and could be worth up to several hundred dollars.

About the offenders:

Victims & witnesses reported observing two male African American subjects dressed in hooded sweatshirts committing these thefts. The offenders were driving in a black Mercedes sedan with Illinois Dealer plates.

Safety tips:

- Be aware of this situation and alert neighbors in the area about this crime.
- Offenders use a handheld power saw, look outside if you hear any cutting tools in the early morning hours, and notify police if suspicious activity exists.
- Pay special attention to any subjects loitering in the area.
- Call 911 immediately and provide a detailed description of any suspicious people including any vehicle description and license plate information.

**If you have any information about this incident call
Area South Detectives at (312)747-8273**

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