



Bureau of Detectives – Area South
Community Alert



Alert# P16-2-043
May 23, 2016

Wanted for Garage Burglary
22nd District (Morgan Park)

About This Crime:

This alert gives notice to residents of the Morgan Park (22nd) District of recent Garage Burglary incidents that occurred in the Auburn Gresham & Washington Heights neighborhoods on beat 2221. Unknown offender(s) entered Garages through the overhead door either by force, or after a homeowner left it open. Once inside, the offenders took tools, and yard equipment from within. Four garages were burglarized in May. Offenders targeted the area between the blocks of 8700-9100 and Marshfield to Laflin.

Locations of Incidents:

- 9000 Block of South Laflin on May 18th
- 8700 Block of South Justine on May 19th
- 8700 Block of South Marshfield on May 22nd (two garages)

Safety Tips:

- Ensure your garage doors are secured and any vehicle within is also locked
- Keep gates locked and yard fences secure
- Consider installing motion activated lighting on your property
- Keep a record of serial number/make/model for your property
- Consider installing alarm system or video surveillance on your property
- Notify a neighbor, friend, or relative, if you are planning to be out of town
- Be aware of this situation and alert neighbors in the area about this crime
- 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 please call:
Area South Property Crimes Unit at 312-747-8273
Reference RD#s: HZ-269883, HZ-270450, HZ-274583, HZ-274791