

# **Bureau of Detectives – Area Central**

# **Community Alert**

# Motor Vehicle Thefts 018<sup>th</sup> District Near North



P17-1-082 (CA) April 4, 2017

#### **About the Crime:**

This alert gives notice to residents of the 018th District of motor vehicle thefts that are occurring in Beat 1834. In two of the incidents, offenders are entering garages and gaining access to unlocked vehicles containing keys and stealing them. In one incident a vehicle was left running and unattended. In two other incidents, the vehicles were legally parked on the street.

#### **Incident times and locations:**

- 400 block of East Ohio St., Tuesday, March 28, 2017, at 8:45pm.
- 500 block of North Michigan Ave., Wednesday, March 29, 2017 in the late evening to early morning hours.
- 100 East Huron St., Sunday, April 2, 2017 at 12:30am
- 300 block of East North Water St., Sunday, April 2, 2017 at 2:10am
- 0-100 block of Grand Ave., Monday, March 27, 2017 at 9:30pm

### **About the Offenders:**

Four (4) male, African Americans, described as being approximately 20-25 years of age.

# What you can do:

- Do not leave your keys in your vehicle and turn off engine.
- Report suspicious activity immediately.
- Keep your doors and windows locked.
- If video surveillance is available, save and make a copy of the incident for investigating Detectives.
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information

If you have any information, contact Bureau of Detectives – Area Central (312) 747-8382

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