

Bureau of Detectives - Area Central

Business Alert



Alert #P17-1-086BA April 7, 2017

Robberies 8th District (Chicago Lawn)

About the Crime:

This alert gives notice to businesses in the 8th District (Chicago Lawn) of robbery incidents which have occurred during the months of **March/April**. In these incidents, the offender(s) enter a store armed with a handgun and demand property from the cash register.

Incident Times and Locations:

4000 Block of W. 79th Street on 20 March, 2017 at approximately 7:05 p.m.

7900 Block of S. Western Avenue on 20 March, 2017 at approximately 7:05 p.m.

3300 Block of W. 87th Street on 26 March, 2017 at approximately 9:22 p.m.

8200 Block of S. Kedzie Avenue on 2 April, 2017 at approximately 9:54 p.m.

7900 Block of S. Cicero Avenue on 3 April, 2017 at approximately 8:55 p.m.

About the Offenders:

- (1) Male/Black, 15-25 years of age, 5'04 to 6'00, 110 to 170 lbs., Dreadlocks hairstyle, wearing various style/color hooded sweatshirts
- (2) Male/Black, 15-25 years of age, 5'04 to 5'08, 130 to 150 lbs.

What you can do:

- Always be aware of your surroundings
- Report suspicious activity immediately
- If you are confronted by an assailant remain calm
- Remember any unique physical characteristics (scars, limp, acne, teeth, etc...)
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide the information to the police
- If video surveillance equipment is present, please save a copy of the incident for investigating detectives
- If approached by a witness to the incident, request contact information
- Dial 9-1-1 immediately and remain on scene when possible

If you have any information Contact the Bureau of Detectives –
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