

Bureau of Detectives – Area Central

Community Alert



Alert #P17-1-256CA September 23, 2017

Motor Vehicle Thefts 002nd District (Wentworth)

About the Crime:

This alert gives notice to resident in the 002nd District (Wentworth) of Motor Vehicle Theft related incidents that have occurred during the month of September. In these incidents, the victim(s) left their vehicles running and unattended while patronizing local gas stations. An unknown offender(s) then entered the vehicles and fled with the vehicle in an unknown direction. In of the incidents, small children are left in the stolen vehicle and are recovered, unharmed, a short distance later.

Incident times and locations:

- 3900 Block of S. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive on September 12, 2017 at approximately 3:20 P.M.
- 3100 Block of S. Michigan Ave. on September 18, 2017 at approximately 6:54 A.M.
- 400 Block of E. Pershing Rd. on September 20, 2017 at approximately 7:21
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- 400 Block of E. Pershing Rd. on September 21, 2017 at approximately 7:45 A.M.

About the Offender:

 Male(s), black, 16-30 years of age, 5'06-5'08, 130-160 lbs, with either dreadlocks or a fade hairstyle.

What you can do:

Do not leave your keys in your vehicle or your vehicle running unattended.

- Do not leave children or valuables in your vehicle.
- Pay special attention to any suspicious people loitering in the area.
- Call 911 immediately and provide a detailed description of the offender(s) including any vehicle description and license plate information.

If you have any information Contact the Bureau of Detectives – Area Central (312) 747-8380

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