NON-VERIFIED BURGLAR ALARM CALLS COMPARISON CHART 2008 TO 2009							
2008				2009			
TOTAL NUMBER OF *B.A. CALLS RECEIVED	DISPATCHED B.A. CALLS	NON-VERIFIED CALLS	% OF NON- VERIFIED B.A. CALLS	TOTAL NUMBER OF *B.A. CALLS RECEIVED	DISPATCHED B.A. CALLS	NON-VERIFIED CALLS	% OF NON- VERIFIED B.A. CALLS
1771	829	942	53%	1527	694	833	55%

*B.A = BURGLAR ALARM

A NON-VERIFIED BURGLAR ALARM OCCURS WHEN AN ALARM MONITORING COMPANY CONTACTS THE MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR POLICE RESPONSE AT AN ALARMED PREMISE WITHOUT FIRST VERIFYING THROUGH A PRIVATE FIRST RESPONDER SERVICE THAT A CRIME HAS BEEN COMMITTED OR IS BEING COMMITTED.

ALARMS CALLED IN DESCRIBED AS "PANIC ALARM," "MEDICAL ALERT ALARM," "DURESS ALARM," "WELFARE CHECK," OR ANY OTHER INCIDENT THAT IS NOT A VERIFIED BURGLAR ALARM FALLS INTO THE NON-VERIFIED ALARM CATEGORY.