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Milwaukee police recover 1,200 pieces of stolen gold jewelry

Stolen gold recovered from several stores on city's south side

December 3, 2009

WITI-TV, MILWAUKEE

Milwaukee police recovered some 1,200 pieces of stolen gold jewelry while serving search warrants. Officials say the jewelry was stolen in burglaries throughout the Milwaukee area and then illegally purchased by gold and precious metal stores on the city's south side.

Milwaukee Police found Carrie Lapointe's stolen class ring in one of Milwaukee's gold resale shops. Lapointe is hopeful she'll find some of what burglars took from her. She says, "All my Jewelry, which I would say is \$5,000 worth of jewelry...I never thought anything would come from this. When they told me they thought they found my ring I was pretty excited about it.



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After an undercover sting, police went back with search warrants. They seized 1,200 pieces of jewelry from Star Jewelers on Lincoln Ave, Cash N Gold on Cesar Chavez, John's on Mitchell, and Reflections on Forest Home Ave. MPD Capt. Donald Gaglione said, "We'll be working with surrounding jurisdictions to identify items taken in our jurisdiction and in surrounding suburbs.

By law stores that buy gold has to keep records of who sold them each piece. The cops went back with search warrants and took rings, bracelets, grills made for teeth, none of which was legally recorded. Capt. Gaglione says, "The items that were purchased illegally were confiscated. We have several items that we've already connected to crimes within the City of Milwaukee. And we believe some of these items may be connected to crimes outside the City of Milwaukee."

The Owner of Star Jewelers told FOX 6 his lawyer told him not to comment at this point, but did say the stores didn't know they were doing anything wrong.

Milwaukee police officers issued more than \$40,000 in citations to the stores involved in these transactions. If you think some of the jewelry that's been recovered is yours, you're encouraged to call 414-235-6633.

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Crime Incidents

Aldermanic District 13

City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin

December 07, 2009

Date of Incident

- Last week
- 3 weeks ago
- 4 weeks ago

Crime Categories

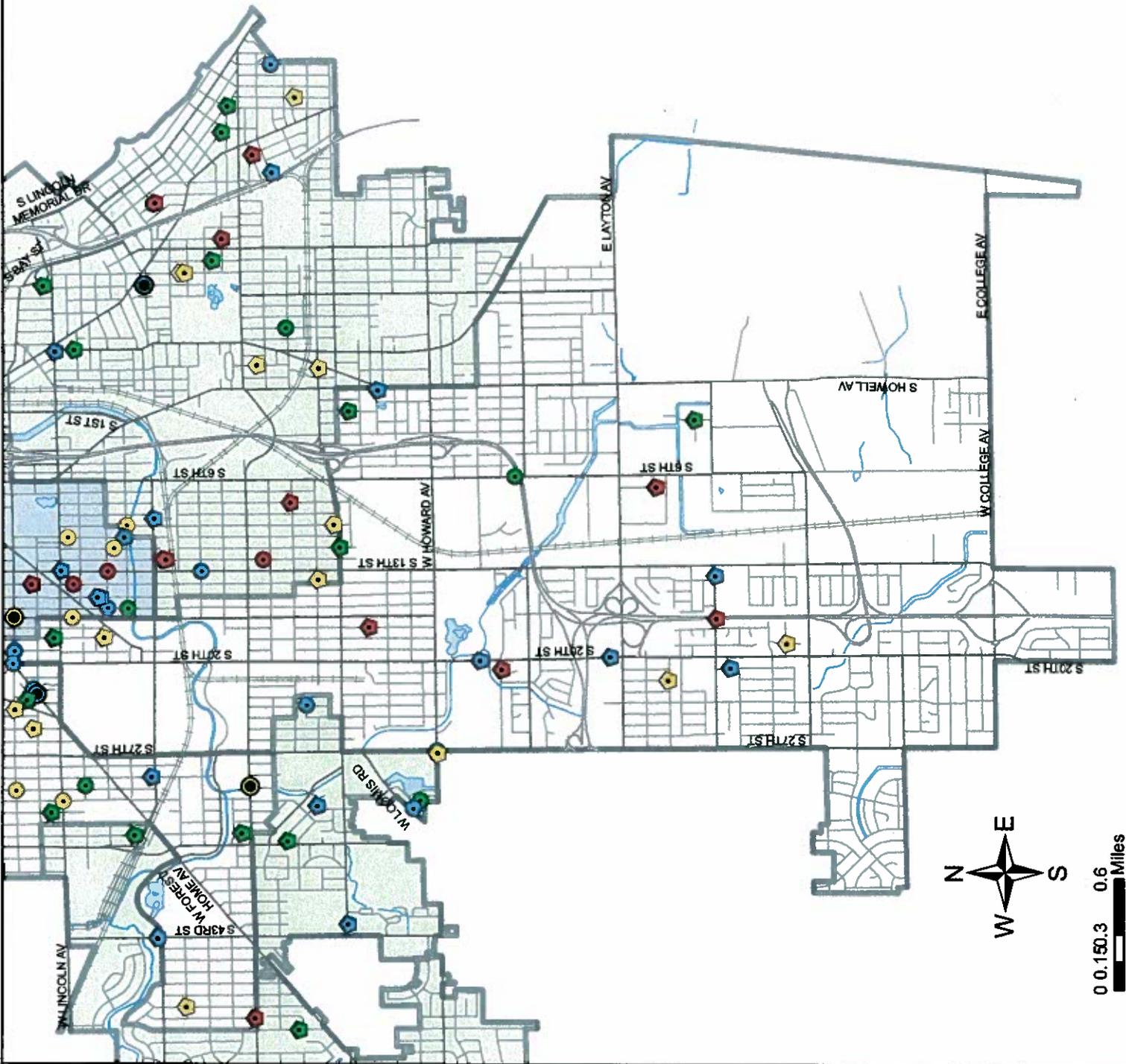
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- Assault
- Sex Offenses
- Robbery
- Burglary
- Vehicle Theft
- Theft
- Arson
- Criminal Damage to Property
- Locked Vehicle Entry
- Shootings
- Shots Fired

Reference Information

- District 13
- Other Districts
- Freeways
- Major Streets
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Crime Incidents

Aldermanic District 13

City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin

June 14, 2010

Date of Incident

- Last week
- 2 weeks ago
- 3 weeks ago
- 4 weeks ago

Crime Categories

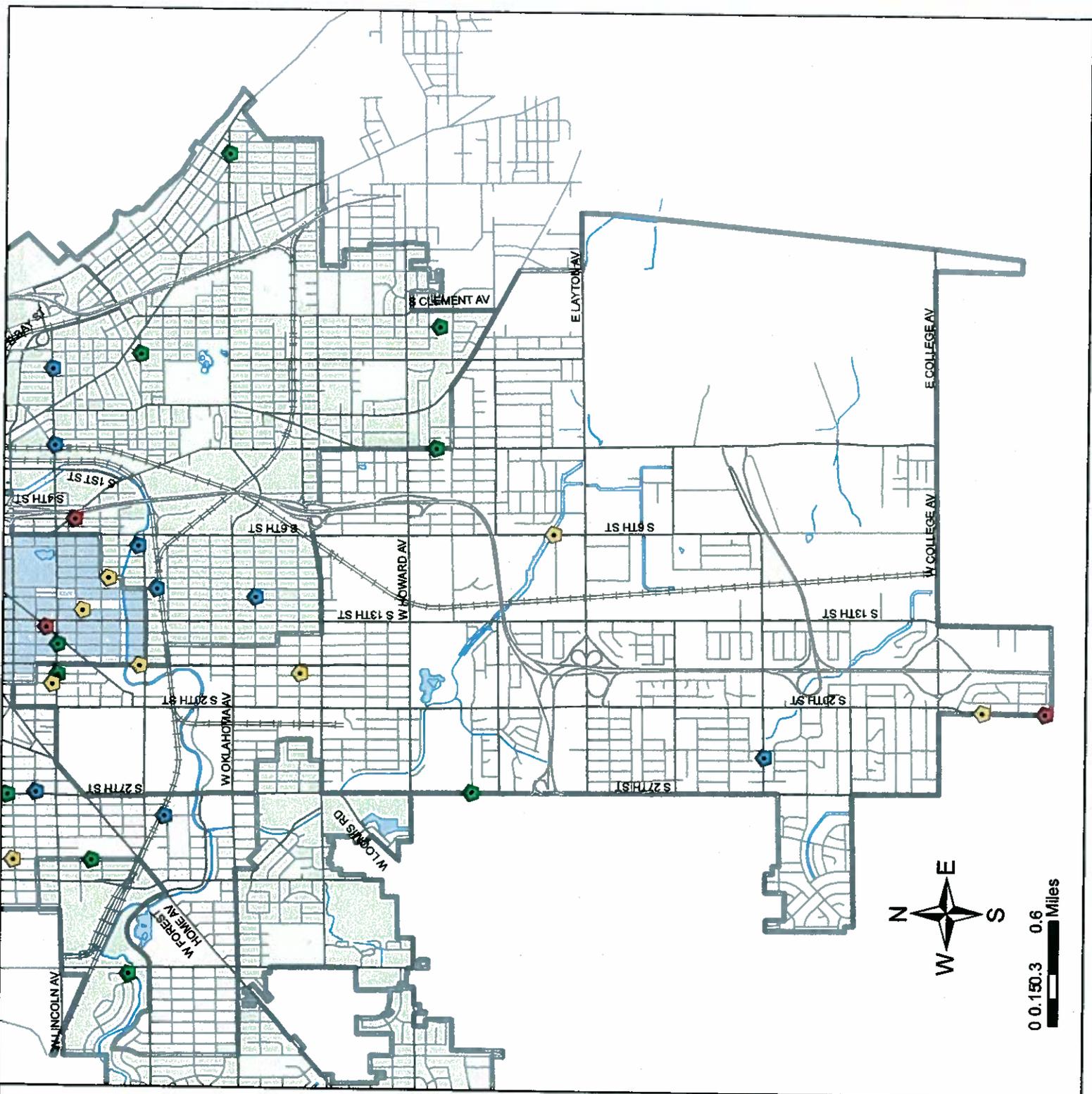
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CITY OF MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE

Edward A. Flynn, Chief of Police

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MILWAUKEE POLICE ANNOUNCE CONTINUED CRIME DROP

Total violent crime decreased nearly 16 percent in the first quarter of 2010 while the total of property crimes decreased 8 percent in the same time period, according to statistics released today by Milwaukee Police Chief Edward A. Flynn.

The violent crime decrease was led by decreases of 10.5 percent in homicide, 33 percent in rape, 20 percent in robbery and 11 percent in aggravated assault. Property crime decreases of 7 percent were achieved for theft and 23.5 percent for stolen cars. Burglary bucked the trend, with an increase of 4.3 percent representing 49 additional such crimes compared to last year. The overall crime decrease was 9 percent.

As impressive as those accomplishments are, even more impressive is the cumulative crime decrease for the quarter compared to the first quarter of 2007. Total first quarter crime has declined 24 percent since then. The most dramatic decreases are in overall violent crime and in car theft. In three years, violent crime has decreased 40 percent in Milwaukee (homicide, rape, robbery, aggravated assault). Stolen cars have decreased by an impressive 58 percent over that period of time.

"These decreases are strong proof that the Milwaukee Police Department's community-based, problem-oriented, data-driven strategies are having a sustained impact on the crime rate," Chief Flynn said. "The improvement in the level of safety in Milwaukee is directly attributable to the dedication of the men and women of this police department working closely with neighborhoods most afflicted by crime, disorder and fear."

The homicide rate continues at a level consistent with 25-year lows established in 2008. "We believe we are having an effect on the pattern of retaliatory violence and murders committed by strangers but we know that crimes of passion will continue to be unpredictable," Chief Flynn said. He pointed out that the homicide unit has achieved a 100 percent clearance rate in the first-quarter of 2010, an extraordinary achievement. He also noted that four homicide incidents accounted for 10 victims.

Although property crime was generally down the burglary increase is frustrating. Chief Flynn reports that significant department resources are being dedicated to this crime, given the negative effect it has on neighborhoods. Arrests of burglars and the number of burglaries cleared by arrest have both increased significantly. He praised Milwaukee County District Attorney John Chisholm for his focus on residential burglaries. "The DA, his assistants, and the community prosecutors have proved to be invaluable resources in dealing with this stubborn problem," Chief Flynn said.

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"We are going to continue to assertively confront the problems of crime, disorder and fear by deploying our officers in the neighborhoods most afflicted and conducting high-quality investigations," Chief Flynn said. "Our officers know that community support is essential in order to achieve our goal of safe public spaces. That means we are mindful to treat the public with courtesy, professionalism and respect." He cited the fact that although investigatory stops of vehicles and persons have increased four-fold, overall complaints remain at their former levels despite the increase of police activity.

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GREENFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Second-Hand Dealer Complaint Summary

DATE	CALL	STORE	CHARGE	OTHER AGENCY	RECOVERED VALUE
05/20/09	09.012458	Mega Media	Burglary, Theft, Receiving Stolen Property, Bail Jumping	West Allis	\$200
05/28/09	09.016348	Mega Media	Receiving Stolen Property, Burglary	New Berlin	\$500
07/28/09	09.018930	Robert Haack	Burglary, Theft of Dog	Milwaukee	\$7,000
08/05/09	09.019695	Robert Haack	Theft	---	\$400
08/12/09	09.020324	Jewelry Center	False Swearing	---	\$300
08/12/09	09.020324	Kessler's	False Swearing	---	\$350
08/12/09	09.020324	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$350
08/12/09	09.020333	Mega Media	Burglary	West Allis	\$500
08/12/09	09.020335	Mega Media	Burglary	Hartford	\$300
08/17/09	09.020749	Jewelry Center	Theft	New Berlin	\$100
08/18/09	09.020857	Jewelry Center	Burglary	Hales Corners	\$1,000
08/18/09	09.020858	Robert Haack	Burglary	Hales Corners	\$900
08/19/09	09.020945	Kessler's	Possession of Heroin	---	\$61
08/31/09	09.022070	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$400
09/09/09	09.022985	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$200
10/06/09	09.025441	Robert Haack	False Swearing (PTAC) (x2)	---	\$50
10/06/09	09.025443	Robert Haack	False Swearing (PTAC)	---	\$200
10/19/09	09.026508	Robert Haack	False Swearing, Possession of Narcotic Drugs	---	\$250
10/19/09	09.026508	Kessler's	False Swearing, Possession of Narcotic Drugs	---	\$200
10/20/09	09.026602	Kessler's	Burglary (x2) - Greenfield, (x2) - Milwaukee	Milwaukee	\$2,500
11/02/09	09.027662	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$2,000
11/02/09	09.027663	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$2,500
11/02/09	09.027664	Kessler's	False Swearing	---	\$100
11/12/09	09.028635	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$300



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11/19/09	09.029290	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$500
11/19/09	09.029303	Robert Haack	Taken during multiple Burglaries/Thefts	East Troy, Oak Creek, Mt. Pleasant, Milwaukee	\$15,000
12/04/09	09.030533	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$3,000
12/07/09	09.030776	Jewelry Center	False Swearing	---	\$130
12/09/09	09.030962	Jewelry Repair Shop	False Swearing	---	\$1,000
12/10/09	09.031037	Robert Haack	False Swearing (x2)	---	\$3,000
12/18/09	09.031671	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$250
12/31/09	09.032574	Robert Haack	Theft	Milwaukee	\$2,000
12/31/09	09.032580	Robert Haack	Taken during a Theft (~\$19,000 worth of jewelry)	Milwaukee	\$3700
12/31/09	09.032581	Robert Haack	Burglary	Muskego	\$5,000
01/07/10	10.000493	Robert Haack	False Swearing (x2)	---	\$2,000
01/15/10	10.001153	Robert Haack	Burglary	West Allis	\$1,500
01/15/10	10.001153	Kessler's	Burglary	West Allis	\$1,000
01/15/10	10.001153	Mega Media	Burglary	West Allis	\$200
01/18/10	10.001394	Robert Haack	Felony Theft (~\$30,000 worth of jewelry)	Waukesha	\$1,000
01/19/10	10.001480	Kessler's	Felony Theft	New Berlin	\$8,000
01/20/10	10.002452	Kessler's	False Swearing	---	\$500
01/21/10	10.001641	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$3,000
02/03/10	10.002625	Genesis	Receiving Stolen Property	---	\$100
02/03/10	10.002626	Genesis	Receiving Stolen Property, Probation Violation	---	\$100
02/03/10	10.002632	GF Coin Exchange, Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$2,000
02/03/10	10.002630	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$3,400
02/04/10	10.002728	GF Coin Exchange	Hindering (x 2), Poss. Drug Paraphernalia	---	\$1,000
02/05/10	10.002830	Jewelry Repair Shop	False Swearing PTAC	---	\$500



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02/08/10	10.003084	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$1000
02/10/10	10.003246	Genesis	Homicide evidence recovered (Germano/Rosio)	Wauwatosa	\$2,500
02/11/10	10.003364	Robert Haack, Jewelry Center	False Swearing	---	\$50,000
02/15/10	10.003701	Mega MediaXchange	Burglary (x2)	Wauwatosa	\$500
02/18/10	10.003928	Kesslers	Obstructing. False Swearing		\$300
02/23/10	10.004403	Jewelry Repair Shop, Robert Haack	Felony Theft	Oak Creek	\$1000
02/25/10	10.004801	Robert Haack	Theft/Receiving Stolen Property	Franklin	\$300
02/11/10	10.003364	Robert Haack, Jewelry Center	False Swearing	---	\$50,000
02/15/10	10.003701	Mega MediaXchange	Burglary (x2)	Wauwatosa	\$500
02/18/10	10.003928	Kesslers	Obstructing, False Swearing	---	\$300
02/23/10	10.004403	Jewelry Repair Shop, Robert Haack	Felony Theft	Oak Creek	\$1000
02/25/10	10.004801	Robert Haack	Receiving Stolen Property/False Swearing	Franklin	\$300
03/02/10	10.004912	Robert Haack	CCW Firearm, Theft, warrant pick up, Receiving Stolen Property, Armed Robbery evidence, Burglaries (over 10)	Milwaukee, Muskego, Mukwanago, West Allis, Greendale, Bayside, Wauwatosa, New Berlin	\$15,850
03/10/10	10.005487	Music go Round	Theft	Greendale	\$550
03/11/10	10.005488	Music go Round	Theft	Milwaukee	\$200
03/12/10	10.005670	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$4,400
03/12/10	10.005675	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$1,000
03/12/10	10.005676	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$700
03/17/10	10.006129	Robert Haack	False Swearing x2	---	\$5,600
03/19/10	10.006270	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$6,500
03/30/10	10.007218	Jewelry Repair Shop	False Swearing (Burglar)	---	---
04/01/10	10.007429	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$800



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04/13/10	10.008397	Robert Haack	False Swearing x2	---	\$1,000
04/19/10	10.008937	Robert Haack	Burglary	Milwaukee	\$2565
04/19/10	10.008936	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$1,000
04/26/10	10.009535	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$500
04/26/10	10.009536	Robert Haack	Theft	---	---
04/26/10	10.009537	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$500
04/26/10	10.009538	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$50
05/17/10	10.011310	Robert Haack, Greenfield Coin	False Swearing x2	---	\$8,500
05/18/10	10.011329	GameStop	Burglary	Wauwatosa	\$170
05/24/10	10.011915	Greenfield Coin	False Swearing		\$200
05/24/10	10.011916	Greenfield Coin	False Swearing	---	\$200
06/01/10	10.012684	Robert Haack	False Swearing		\$500
06/01/10	10.012702	Greenfield Coin	False Swearing	---	---
06/01/10	10.012690	Robert Haack	Warrants x16	---	---
06/01/10	10.012691	Robert Haack	Investigation Pending		
06/01/10	10.012692	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	---
06/01/10	10.012693	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$1,250
06/01/10	10.012699	Robert Haack	False Swearing	---	\$1,000
06/04/10	10.012992	Jewelry Repair Shop	Theft	South Milwaukee	---
06/14/10	10.013785	Jewelry Repair Shop	Investigation Pending		
06/14/10	10.013795	Robert Haack	Investigation Pending		
06/14/10	10.013796	Robert Haack	Investigation Pending		
06/14/10	10.013797	Robert Haack	Investigation Pending		
06/14/10	10.013799	Robert Haack	Felony Theft, False Swearing	Racine County	\$10,000



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