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IN REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

Mr. Eric Myers
3434 N. Oketo Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60634

EP-1

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Mr. Myers:

The Village of Elmwood Park is in receipt of your August 20, 2013 Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*) (hereinafter referred to as "FOIA") request for the following records:

ARREST RECORD OF ALEXANDER MYERS PICKED UP BY ELMWOOD PARK POLICE AUGUST 19-AUGUST 20, 2013 WAS NOT SENT TO BOND COURT TODAY.

Enclosed are records responsive to your request. However, certain information in the records being provided has been determined to be exempt from disclosure under FOIA, and that information has been redacted from the records being provided.

Section 7(1)(b) of FOIA provides that "private information" is exempt from disclosure. "Private information" is defined in FOIA as, "unique identifiers, including a person's social security number, driver's license number, employee identification number, biometric identifiers, personal financial information, passwords or other access codes, medical records, home or personal telephone numbers, and personal email addresses. Private information also includes home address and personal license plates, except as otherwise provided by law or when compiled without possibility of attribution to any person." 5 ILCS 140/2(c-5). Consequently, certain unique identifiers, including driver's license numbers, employee identification numbers, home or personal telephone numbers, home addresses, personal license plates, and signatures, have been redacted from the records being provided.

Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA provides that, "[p]ersonal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy

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..." is exempt from disclosure. Consequently, birthdates and other personal information, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, have been redacted from the records being provided.

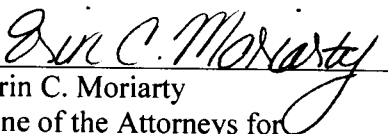
Section 7(1)(d)(iv) of FOIA provides that, "[r]ecords in the possession of any public body created in the course of administrative enforcement proceedings, and any law enforcement or correctional agency for law enforcement purposes ..." are exempt from disclosure, "but only to the extent that disclosure would: ... unavoidably disclose the identity of a confidential source, confidential information furnished only by the confidential source, or persons who file complaints with or provide information to administrative, investigative, law enforcement, or penal agencies" Consequently, information that would reveal the identity of persons who have filed complaints with or who have provided information to the Village of Elmwood Park Police Department has been redacted from the records being provided.

The person responsible for the decision to deny a portion of your request is the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer, Gina Pesko. In accordance with Section 9(a) of FOIA, you are hereby notified that you have the right to file a request for review regarding the decision made by the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer with the Public Access Counselor at the Illinois Attorney General's Office. You can file your request for review with the Public Access Counselor by writing to:

Sarah Pratt, Acting Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
Phone: 312-814-5526
Fax: 217-782-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

Also, you are notified that you have the right to judicial review regarding the decision made by the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer pursuant to Section 11 of FOIA.

Sincerely,


Erin C. Moriarty
One of the Attorneys for
the Village of Elmwood Park

Enclosures

ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT
ARREST REPORT
 (For use by Police Department Personnel Only)

FINAL APPROVAL

CB #: **18727256**
 IR #: 2218817
 YD #:
 RD #: 13-7821

ARREST REPORTING

OFFENDER	Name: MYERS, Alexander J Res: 5037 W Cornelia Ave Chicago, IL 60641 [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] AGE: 20 years POB: Illinois DLN: [REDACTED] ARMED WITH Unarmed IL 24352151 : SID 30008WHD : FBI	Beat: 1634	Male Black 5' 08" 140 lbs Black Eyes Black Hair Short Hair Style Black Complexion	
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INCIDENT	Arrest Date: 20 August 2013 01:46 Location: 7200 W Armitage Elmwood Park, IL 60707 304 - Street Holding Facility: Elmwood Park Lockup Resisted Arrest? No	TRR Completed? No Beat: 3100	Total No Arrested: 1 Dependent Children? No	Co-Arrests DCFS Ward ? No	Assoc Cases
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CHARGES	1 Offense As Cited 720 ILCS 5.0/19-1-A 20 AUG 2013 01:29 BURGLARY Class 2 - Type F	Victim
	2 Offense As Cited 720 ILCS 5.0/21-1-1-A 20 AUG 2013 01:29 CRIM DAMAGE PROP-KNOWINGLY DAMAGE <300 Class A - Type M	

FELONY REVIEW	Felony Review : Approved 20 AUG 2013 04:10 Steak, Rick	State's Attorneys's Office
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RECOVERED NARCOTICS	NO NARCOTICS RECOVERED
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IR #2218817
CB #: 18727256

[REDACTED]



ARREST REPORTING

WARRANT

NO WARRANT IDENTIFIED

NON-OFFENDER(S)

ARRESTEE VEHICLE

Vehicle: **VEHICLE IMPOUNDED:**
 2002 Automobile - Chevrolet - Impala - Hardtop, 4-Door **VIN#:** 2G1WF52E029251777 **Lic#:** [REDACTED] IL
Color: Aluminum Or Silver (Top) / Aluminum Or Silver (Bottom) **Inv#:**
Pound#:
Towing Agency: VILLAGE TOWING **Tow Report No.:** 13-7821
Disposition: Vehicle Seized According Epmc 32-80.

PROPERTIES

Confiscated Properties :
 All confiscated properties are recorded in the e-Track System. This system can be queried by the inventory number to retrieve all official court documents related to evidence and/or recovered properties.
 PROPERTIES INFORMATION FOR MYERS, Alexander, NOT AVAILABLE IN THE AUTOMATED ARREST SYSTEM.

INCIDENT NARRATIVE

(The facts for probable cause to arrest AND to substantiate the charges include, but are not limited to, the following)
 SEE CONNECTING REPORTS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

COURT INFO

Desired Court Date: 21 August 2013 9:00
Branch: MAYW1500 MAYBROOK DR - Room 104
Court Sgt Handle? No

BOND INFO

BOND INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE

ARREST REPORTING

REPORTING PERSONNEL

ATTESTING OFFICER:

I hereby declare and affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the facts stated herein are accurate to the best of my knowledge, information and/or belief.

ARRESTING OFFICER(S):

1st Arresting Officer: # [REDACTED] SCHAK, K E (IL01631ACB)

2nd Arresting Officer: # [REDACTED] ROSA, E (IL01631ABD)

Beat

APPROVING SUPERVISOR:

ARREST PROCESSING REPORT

LOCKUP KEEPER PROCESSING

Holding Facility: Elmwood Park Lockup
 Received in Lockup: 20 August 2013 02:15
 Prints Taken: 20 August 2013 04:39
 Palmprints Taken: No
 Photograph Taken: 20 August 2013 05:00
 Released from Lockup:

Time Last Fed:
 Time Called: Phone#:
 Cell #: - Placed in one person cell
 Placed under close observation
 Transport Details : 1PO

VISUAL CHECK OF ARRESTEE

Is there obvious pain or injury?	No
Is there obvious signs of infection?	No
Under the influence of alcohol/drugs?	No
Signs of alcohol/drug withdrawal?	No
Appears to be despondent?	No
Appears to be irrational?	No
Carrying medication?	No

ARRESTEE QUESTIONNAIRE

Presently taking medication? (if female)are you pregnant?	No
First time ever been arrested?	Yes
Attempted suicide/serious harm?	No
Serious medical or mental problems?	No
Are you receiving treatment?	No
Transgender/intersex/gender non-conforming?	No

RETURN TO HOLDING FACILITY COMMENTS:

QUESTIONNAIRE REMARKS:

Subjects First Time Being Arrested.

LOCKUP KEEPER COMMENTS:

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Name : REFUSED

Res: Beat:

INTERVIEW LOG

NO INTERVIEWS LOGGED

VISITOR LOG

NO VISITORS LOGGED

ARREST PROCESSING REPORT

MOVEMENT LOG

MOVEMENT LOG INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE

WC COMMENTS

Watch Commander Comments:

REL w/o CHARGING

DOES NOT APPLY TO THIS ARREST

PROCESSING PERSONNEL

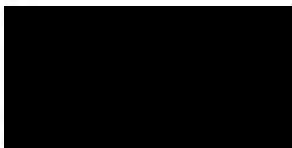
ARRESTEE PROCESSING PERSONNEL:

Beat

Searched By: # [REDACTED] LOMBARDI, C (IL01631AAN)
 Lockup Keeper: # [REDACTED] GIOVENCO, J M (IL01631ACA)
 Assisting Arresting Officer: # [REDACTED] LOMBARDI, C (IL01631AAN)
 Assisting Arresting Officer: # [REDACTED] MARCHI, J A (IL01631ABV)
 Assisting Arresting Officer: # [REDACTED] GIOVENCO, J M (IL01631ACA)

APPROVAL PERSONNEL:

Beat



ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

OFFENSE REPORT

REPORT NUMBER

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METHOD CODE

PLACE CODE

CASE STATUS

(1) OCCURRED ON OR BETWEEN	Mo. 08	Date 20	Yr 13	Day TUE	Time 0045	(2) BEAT 0003	(3) REPORT NUMBER
	08	20	13	TUE	0131	SUB BEAT 3130	13-7821
(4) REPORTED	08	20	13	TUE	0129	(5) INCIDENT CLASSIFICATION Burglary	
(6) LOCATION OF INCIDENT 2247 N 72 Ct						(7) FIRM NAME IF BUSINESS N/A	
(8) VICTIM'S NAME (last, first, middle)						(9) RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS ADDRESS	
[REDACTED]						[REDACTED]	
(10) RESIDENCE PHONE	(11) BUSINESS PHONE	(12) SEX	RACE	AGE	(13) DOB	(14) SOCIAL SECURITY OR PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
[REDACTED]	N/A	F	W	44	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
(15) REPORTED BY (last, first, middle)						(16) RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS ADDRESS	
[REDACTED]						[REDACTED]	
(17) RESIDENCE PHONE	(18) BUSINESS PHONE	(19) SEX	RACE	AGE	(20) DOB	(21) SOCIAL SECURITY OR PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
[REDACTED]	N/A	M	W	35	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
(22) NATURE AND EXTENT OF INJURY	(23) HOSPITALIZED / WHERE TREATED						
INJURY	N/A				[REDACTED]		
(24) ATTENDING/PRONOUNCING PHYSICIAN	(25) TRANSPORTED BY	(26) PRONOUNCED DOA			(27) M.E. NAME	(28) DATE & TIME NOTIFIED	
N/A	N/A	Mo. N/A	Date N/A	Yr. N/A	N/A	N/A	
(29) WEAPON	(30) DESCRIBE WEAPON				(31) BLUE STEEL		
[REDACTED]	N/A				[REDACTED]		
(32) WAS THERE A WITNESS TO THE OFFENSE?							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A
W	(32) ADDRESS CHECKED	PERSON INTERVIEWED (last, first, middle)			DOB	TELEPHONE NO.	
NC	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]			Mo. [REDACTED]	RES. [REDACTED]	
W					Mo. [REDACTED]	BUS. N/A	
NC					Mo. [REDACTED]	TELEPHONE NO.	
W					Mo. [REDACTED]	RES.	
NC					Mo. [REDACTED]	BUS.	
W					Mo. [REDACTED]	TELEPHONE NO.	
NC					Mo. [REDACTED]	RES.	
W					Mo. [REDACTED]	BUS.	
NC					Mo. [REDACTED]	TELEPHONE NO.	
W					Mo. [REDACTED]	RES.	
NC					Mo. [REDACTED]	BUS.	
(34) CAN THE SUSPECT BE DESCRIBED?							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B
SUSPECT NAME (ARRESTED YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		RACE	SEX	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR
Owens-Thompson, Ricardo R		B	M	20	507	181	BLK
CLOTHING WORN BY SUSPECT				OTHER DISTINGUISHING FEATURES			
BLK shirt, BLK pants							
SUSPECT NAME (ARRESTED YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		RACE	SEX	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	HAIR
Meyers, Alexander J		B	M	20	508	140	BLK
CLOTHING WORN BY SUSPECT				OTHER DISTINGUISHING FEATURES			
BLK shirt, BLK pants							
(35) CAN SUSPECT BE NAMED?							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C
(36) CAN SUSPECT BE LOCATED?							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D
SUSPECT		NAME/NICKNAME/AKA			ADDRESS/FREQUENTS		
[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]		
(37) CAN SUSPECT BE IDENTIFIED?							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E
NAME WITNESS/VICTIM THAT CAN IDENTIFY SUSPECT (last, first, middle)							
[REDACTED]							
(38) HAS SUSPECT BEEN PREVIOUSLY SEEN?							<input type="checkbox"/> F
(39) REPORTING OFFICER		STAR	SUPERVISOR APPROVING		STAR	REPORT REVIEW	C.A.
[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]			[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]



Continuation Report

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ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT PATROL DIVISION



Report: 13-7821
Title: Burglary
Officer: Schak # [REDACTED]
Date: 08/20/13

Continuation:

Upon arrival, I searched the area for subjects. I observed two subjects in black clothing exit the garage of [REDACTED] and flee southbound in the alley. The resident, [REDACTED] (F/W [REDACTED]), yelled, "They went down the alley." I pursued the subjects on foot and observed them enter a silver Chevrolet Impala which was parked on 2200 block Harlem. The vehicle fled southbound. I advised dispatch of the description and the direction of travel. Units stopped the vehicle at the intersection of Harlem and Armitage. (See Officer Lombardi's Investigative Action)

I went back to [REDACTED] and spoke with [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated the subjects took a brown barrel of bottle caps from her garage. [REDACTED] said a baton was missing from her white 2010 Nissan Altima (IL reg [REDACTED]) which was parked in the garage.

I transported [REDACTED] to the corner of Harlem and Armitage. [REDACTED] positively identified the two subjects detained. [REDACTED] also identified the bottle caps which were on the street next to the vehicle. I positively identified the vehicle the subjects were in as the vehicle the subjects initially fled in. The subjects, Ricardo R Owens-Thompson (M/B [REDACTED]) and Alexander J Meyers (M/B [REDACTED]), were taken into custody.

Sergeant Rieger was on scene and located approximately 140 grams of cannabis in the vehicle. It was packaged in four separate plastic bags. All four bags were inside a bigger plastic bag. A baton was also recovered in the vehicle.

Evidence Technician Officer Marchi was on scene and photographed the vehicle and items recovered. Officer Marchi and I transported Linda back to her residence. There was damage to the door frame of the side door. Officer Marchi photographed the garage. The photographs are attached to the report.

[REDACTED] son, [REDACTED] (M/W [REDACTED]), was on scene and confirmed he stores his cannabis inside the barrel with the bottle caps.

Officer Rosa spoke with the caller, [REDACTED] (M/W [REDACTED]). (See Officer Rosa's Investigative Action)

[REDACTED]
Officer Schak # [REDACTED]

RIEGER

[REDACTED]
Supervisor



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**ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT
PATROL DIVISION**



At 0228 hours, Officer Rosa and Officer Giovenco informed Ricardo of his Miranda rights. Ricardo understood his rights and provided a written statement. The statement is attached to the report.

At 0234 hours, Officer Rosa and Officer Lombardi informed Alexander of his Miranda rights. Alexander understood his rights and provided an oral statement. (See Officer Lombardi's Investigative Action)

I spoke with Assistant State's Attorney Rick Stake via telephone [REDACTED]. Rick approved felony charges at 0410 hours.

Nothing further.

[REDACTED]
Officer Schak # [REDACTED]

RIEGER [REDACTED]
Supervisor

ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

VEHICLE TOW/IMPOUND REPORT

(1) OCCURRED	MO. 8	DAY 20	YR. 13	DAY WK TUE	TIME 0129	(2) BEAT 3	SUB-BEAT	(3) PAGE OF 1-1	(4) REPORT NUMBER 13-7821
(5) TOW: IMPOUND <input type="checkbox"/> TRAFFIC HAZARD <input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> EVIDENCE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARREST <input type="checkbox"/> THEFT/RECOVERY <input type="checkbox"/> RECOVERY FOREIGN								(6) VEHICLE STATUS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICE HOLD <input type="checkbox"/> RELEASE	
(7) LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE								(8) VEHICLE MILEAGE 160719	
(9) VEHICLE DESCRIPTION		YEAR 2002	MAKE CHEVROLET	MODEL IMPALA	BODY 4DR	LICENSE	STATE IL	YEAR 07-2014	COLOR SILVER
(10) VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 2G1WF52E02925777					(11) VEHICLE STICKER NUMBER EJ3ZC4J		CITY CHICAGO	YEAR 2014	
(12) REGISTERED OWNER MYERS, ALEXANDER					ADDRESS 3434 N. OKETO, CHICAGO				
(13) RESIDENCE PHONE			BUSINESS PHONE			(14) OWNER NOTIFIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		(15) LEADS MESSAGE DATE / / NO.	
(16) VEHICLE OPERATOR SAME					RESIDENCE ADDRESS CITY				
(17) RESIDENCE PHONE			BUSINESS PHONE			(18) OPERATOR ARRESTED/CITED? <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES SEE NARRATIVE			
(19) VEHICLE INVENTORY					(21) PERSONAL PROPERTY IN VEHICLE?				
KEY IGNITION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RADIO AM/FM <input type="checkbox"/> BATTERY <input type="checkbox"/> MAG WHEELS				
DOORS LOCKED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO					<input type="checkbox"/> RADIO CB <input type="checkbox"/> MIRRORS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPARE TIRE				
TRUNK LOCKED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					<input type="checkbox"/> TAPE DECK <input type="checkbox"/> HUB CAPS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER				
(20) METHOD OF THEFT/EVIDENCE OF STRIPPING NA					<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES SEE PROPERTY INVENTORY REPORT				
(22) TOWED BY: Signature BRIAN					TOWED TO: COMPANY VILLAGE TOWING				
					LOCATION 9344 W. BYRON				
(23) EVIDENCE PROCESSING: RELATED OFFENSE: BURGLARY					PROCESS FOR: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FINGERPRINTS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER PRINTS				
					<input type="checkbox"/> BLOOD/SEMEN <input type="checkbox"/> STAINS <input type="checkbox"/>				
(24) EVIDENCE OBTAINED: TYPE SEE E.T. REPORTS					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WEAPONS/TOOLS <input type="checkbox"/> HAIR <input type="checkbox"/>				
(25) NARRATIVE: Summarize details of incident and include any additional information not covered in blocks above. List citations issued, damage to vehicle and any missing parts. IF VEHICLE SEIZED UNDER ARTICLE 36, INDICATE DATE AND TIME COOK COUNTY SHERIFF NOTIFIED.									
BLOCK NO. 25	ON 8/20/13, ABOVE DESCRIBED AUTO WAS TOWED SUBSEQUENT TO ARREST OF THE OWNER/OPERATOR FOR BURGLARY.								
6	AUTO ELIGIBLE FOR ARTICLE 36 SEIZURE/FORFEITURE.								
(26) REPORTING OFFICER RIEGER	(27) SUPERVISOR APPROVING RIEGER			(28) REPORT REVIEW			C.A.		

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