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IN REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

Ms. Paulina Algarin
7415 W. Diversey Avenue, Apt. 2E
Elmwood Park, Illinois 60707

EP-1

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Ms. Algarin:

On October 27, 2015, the Village of Elmwood Park received your Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*) ("FOIA") request for "15-4541[.]"

Please be advised that certified copies of the records responsive to your FOIA request are available for pickup at the Village of Elmwood Park Village Hall, 11 Conti Parkway, Elmwood Park, Illinois 60707. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of FOIA, the Village of Elmwood Park charges One (\$1.00) Dollar for certifying documents. Therefore, when you pick up the records responsive to your FOIA request, please remit payment to the Village of Elmwood Park in the amount of One (\$1.00) Dollar. However, please be advised that certain information in the records responsive to your FOIA request has been determined to be exempt from disclosure under FOIA. Accordingly, such 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, home or personal telephone numbers, home addresses, and personal license plates, 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 ..." is exempt from disclosure. Consequently, birthdates and other personal information, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, such as a

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victim's name and identifying information, the names of third-parties who incidentally appear in police reports, and the race of individuals, 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 FOIA 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
Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
Fax: 217-782-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

If you choose to file a Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this letter. Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this letter when filing a Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor.

You are also 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,

STORINO, RAMELLO & DURKIN
Attorneys for the Village of Elmwood Park


Erin C. Tinaglia

ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT

OFFENSE REPORT

REPORT NUMBER

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BIO

METHOD CODE

PLACE CODE

CASE STATUS

(1) OCCURRED ON OR BETWEEN		Mo.	Date	Yr	Day	Time	(2) BEAT ZN 2	(3) REPORT NUMBER 15-4561	
(4) REPORTED		05	15	15	FRI	1330	SUB BEAT 32N		
(6) LOCATION OF INCIDENT 2741 N. 74TH COURT						(7) FIRM NAME IF BUSINESS NA			
(8) VICTIM'S NAME (last, first, middle)						(9) RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS ADDRESS			
(10) RESIDENCE PHONE		(11) BUSINESS PHONE NA		(12) SEX F	RACE	AGE 48	(13) DOB Mo. Date Yr.	(14) SOCIAL SECURITY OR PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
(15) REPORTED BY (last, first, middle)						(16) RESIDENCE OR BUSINESS ADDRESS			
(17) RESIDENCE PHONE		(18) BUSINESS PHONE NA		(19) SEX M	RACE	AGE 33	(20) DOB Mo. Date Yr.	(21) SOCIAL SECURITY OR PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
INJURY		(22) NATURE AND EXTENT OF INJURY NA				(23) HOSPITALIZED / WHERE TREATED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO NA			
(24) ATTENDING/PRONOUNCING PHYSICIAN NA			(25) TRANSPORTED BY NA			(26) PRONOUNCED DOA Mo. Date Yr. Time N O N E		(27) M.E. NAME NA	
WEAPON		(29) <input type="checkbox"/> USED <input type="checkbox"/> DISPLAYED <input type="checkbox"/> IMPLIED				<input type="checkbox"/> HANDGUN <input type="checkbox"/> SHOTGUN <input type="checkbox"/> RIFLE		(30) DESCRIBE WEAPON NA	
		<input type="checkbox"/> KNIFE OR CUTTING INSTRU.						<input type="checkbox"/> BLUE STEEL <input type="checkbox"/> CHROME PLATED <input type="checkbox"/> NICKEL PLATED <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
(31) WAS THERE A WITNESS TO THE OFFENSE?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX A	
X		(32) ADDRESS CHECKED		PERSON INTERVIEWED (last, first, middle) #15			DOB Mo. Date Yr.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
(34) CAN THE SUSPECT BE DESCRIBED?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX B	
X		(32) ADDRESS CHECKED		PERSON INTERVIEWED (last, first, middle) #15			DOB Mo. Date Yr.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
NC							TELEPHONE NO. RES.		
W							BUS.		
(35) CAN THE SUSPECT BE NAMED?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX C	
(36) CAN SUSPECT BE LOCATED?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX D	
SUSPECT NAME (ARRESTED YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN				RACE W/H		SEX F		AGE 30-35	
CLOTHING WORN BY SUSPECT WHITE TSHIRT/PAJAMA PANTS		OTHER DISTINGUISHING FEATURES SHOULDER LENGTH HAIR, LIGHT COMPLEXION						SCARS/MARKS UNKNOWN	
SUSPECT NAME (ARRESTED YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN				RACE W/H		SEX F		AGE 30-35	
CLOTHING WORN BY SUSPECT WHITE TSHIRT/PAJAMA PANTS		OTHER DISTINGUISHING FEATURES SHOULDER LENGTH HAIR, LIGHT COMPLEXION						SCARS/MARKS UNKNOWN	
(37) CAN SUSPECT BE IDENTIFIED?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX E	
(38) HAS SUSPECT BEEN PREVIOUSLY SEEN?								IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX F	
NAME WITNESS/VICTIM THAT CAN IDENTIFY SUSPECT (last, first, middle) NONE									
(39) REPORTING OFFICER BARRICE 6791		STAR		SUPERVISOR APPROVING [Signature]		STAR		REPORT REVIEW 16 May 2015	
								C.A.	

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(40) CAN SUSPECT VEHICLE BE IDENTIFIED? IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX G

(41) VEHICLE STATUS		VEHICLE DESCRIPTION	YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	BODY	COLOR
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SUSPECT <input type="checkbox"/> STOLEN <input type="checkbox"/> VICTIM VEHICLE			UNK	UNK	UNK	VAN	RED
LICENSE NUMBER	STATE	EXPIRES	VIN	DESCRIBE DAMAGE TO VEHICLE			
UNKNOWN	IL	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN			

LIEN HOLDER NAME AND ADDRESS

IDENTIFYING FEATURES	KEYS IN IGNITION	TOWED	LEADS MESSAGE	INVENTORY
	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Mo. Date Yr.	#

(42) IS STOLEN PROPERTY TRACEABLE? IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX H

(43) NO.	ARTICLE	BRAND/MODEL	SERIAL NUMBER	LEADS NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
	NA					

(44) HAS EVIDENCE TECH. WORK BEEN REQUESTED? IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX I

(45) WILL VICTIM/COMPLAINANT PROSECUTE IF ARREST IS MADE? IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX J

(46) IS THERE SIGNIFICANT M.O. PRESENT? IF YES PLACE AN X IN BOX K

(47) PLACE OF ATTACK	TYPE OF STRUCTURE	POINT OF ENTRY	METHOD AND SUSPECT ACTIONS
<input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> School <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Street <input type="checkbox"/> Alley <input type="checkbox"/> Park <input type="checkbox"/> Yard <input type="checkbox"/> Parking Lot <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Apartment <input type="checkbox"/> Apartment/Com. Area <input type="checkbox"/> Office <input type="checkbox"/> Business <input type="checkbox"/> Garage <input type="checkbox"/> House <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Storage Locker <input type="checkbox"/> Basement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Front Door <input type="checkbox"/> Rear Door <input type="checkbox"/> Window <input type="checkbox"/> Roof/Skylight <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead Door <input type="checkbox"/> Garage Side Door <input type="checkbox"/> Wall <input type="checkbox"/> Transom <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Jimmy <input type="checkbox"/> Brute Force <input type="checkbox"/> Smash/Grab <input type="checkbox"/> Vice Grip <input type="checkbox"/> Cut Lock <input type="checkbox"/> Lock Pulled <input type="checkbox"/> Key <input type="checkbox"/> Slip Lock <input type="checkbox"/> Broke/Damaged Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Unlocked/Open <input type="checkbox"/> Kid in Building <input type="checkbox"/> Purse Snatch <input type="checkbox"/> Chain Snatch <input type="checkbox"/> Home Invasion <input type="checkbox"/> Smash/Grab Auto <input type="checkbox"/> Theft From Person <input type="checkbox"/> Ransacked/Vandalized <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
OCCUPANCY	If residence, where were occupants?	ALARM SYSTEM	
<input type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Abandoned/Vacant	NA	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Struck/Injured Victim <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Battery <input type="checkbox"/> Slim Jim <input type="checkbox"/> Peeled Column <input type="checkbox"/> Ignition Pulled <input type="checkbox"/> Punched Trunk <input type="checkbox"/> Asked Directions <input type="checkbox"/> Offered USC/Candy <input type="checkbox"/> Approached From Rear <input type="checkbox"/> Took into Concealment <input type="checkbox"/> Made Threats <input type="checkbox"/> Used Victim's Name <input type="checkbox"/> Took Only <input type="checkbox"/> Concealables <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Needed

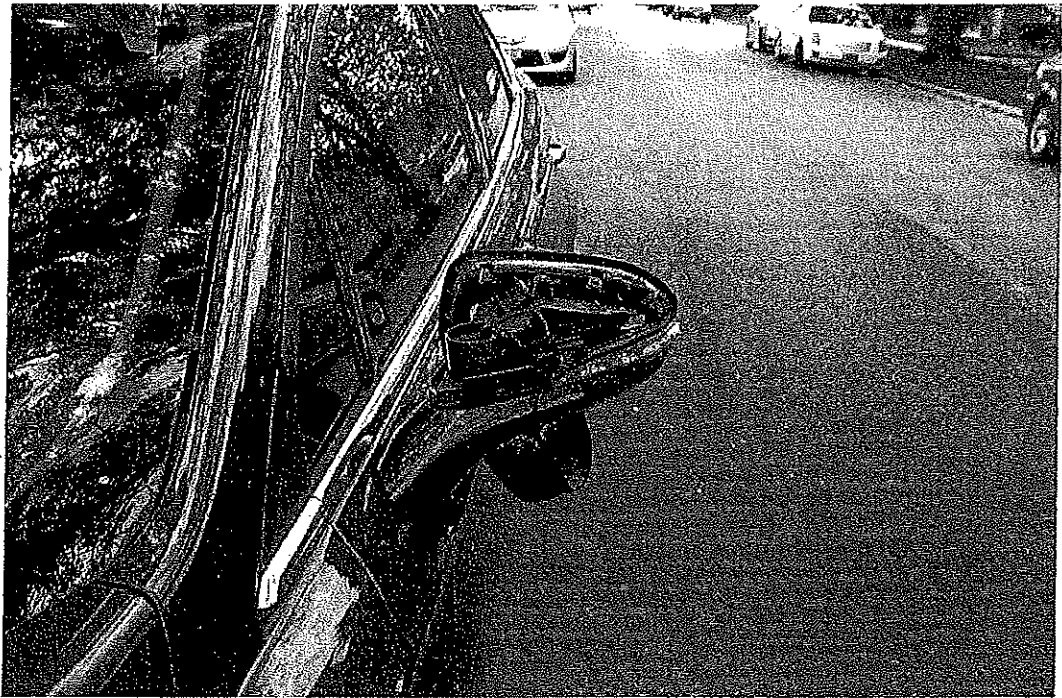
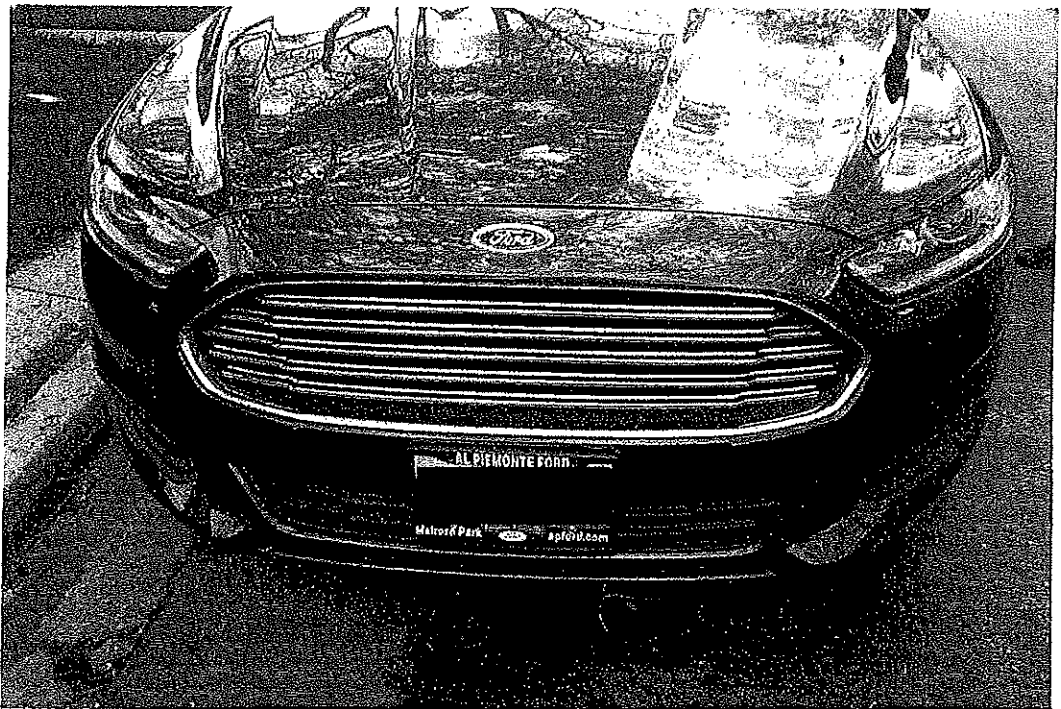
(48) CASE SUMMARY: PROVIDE BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE EVENTS AS THEY OCCURRED

On 05/15/15, at 1331 hours, Sergeant Rosa and I responded to 2741 N. 74th Court for a criminal damage to vehicle report. Upon arrival, I spoke to [redacted] told me in summary: [redacted] parked his personal vehicle near 2730 N. 74th Court around 1325 hours. [redacted] saw a red older mini van with the license plate beginning with the letter "V" park near 2740 N. 74th Court. A Hispanic female exited the driver side with an object like a crowbar and smashed the driver side mirror to a parked red Ford Fusion [redacted]. Sergeant Rosa took photographs. [redacted] said he told dispatchers the plate of the van was [redacted] but he could have been wrong. [redacted] registers to a Chevrolet Coupe. The female got back into her van and drove westbound on Diversey Ave. The Ford registered to [redacted] at [redacted]. I made contact with [redacted] daughter [redacted] (f [redacted] [redacted] said [redacted] was on vacation in Puerto Rico but returning home today. [redacted] said [redacted] lives near Austin and Elston Avenue but thought it would be safer to park her car in Elmwood Park while she was out of town. [redacted] said she does not know who would have done the damage to her vehicle.

(49) CAN OFFENSE BE SOLVED WITH REASONABLE AMOUNT OF INVESTIGATIVE EFFORT? IF YES PLACE X IN BOX L

(50) IS THERE A REASON TO BELIEVE THAT INVESTIGATION CANNOT BE COMPLETED AT THIS TIME? IF YES PLACE X IN BOX M

BLOCK #	(51) ENTER DETAILED INFORMATION RELATED TO THE BLOCK ABOVE WITH CORRESPONDING BLOCK NUMBER AT LEFT
	[redacted] said last summer she had issues with her uncle's girlfriend, [redacted] (unknown last name), said [redacted] may fit the description the witness gave. [redacted] had no knowledge of driving a red van. [redacted] said she would not be surprised if the offender was [redacted] said she believes [redacted] is approximately 24 years old, 5'7", medium build (not fat), light complexion, dark brown hair and possibly has a mental disorder. [redacted] said [redacted] lives at [redacted] in [redacted]. No contact was made with [redacted] to advise her of the incident and to determine if she wanted to sign complaints because she was traveling.







Investigative Action

15-4561

ELMWOOD PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT
PATROL DIVISION




Report: 15-4561
Title: Criminal Damage to Vehicle
Officer: Schak #2963
Date: 05/19/15

Case Action:

On 05/19/15 at 1551 hours, I was dispatched to a Suspicious Incident on the 2800 74th Ct block.

Upon arrival, I spoke with [REDACTED] (F. [REDACTED] said her uncle's girlfriend, [REDACTED] was standing next to her mother's vehicle (IL reg [REDACTED]). When [REDACTED] saw [REDACTED] she laughed and fled northbound 74th Ct in a Maroon Ford van (IL reg [REDACTED]). There was no damage to [REDACTED] mother's vehicle but [REDACTED] believes [REDACTED] is responsible for damaging the vehicle on 05/15/15.

Nothing further.


Officer Schak #2963

CMR.D. Busd 214
Supervisor