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ARREST RELEASE

DATE & TIME 11/17/11 8:24 PM

Bureau: Investigative Services Bureau

Authorized Supervisor: Lt. Marc Welsh

Phone: (815)967-6976

Incident: Armed Robbery

MESSAGE

On Thursday November 17th, 2011 at approximately 2:30 PM, members of the Rockford Police Department responded to the Subway Sandwich Shop located at 3021 N. Rockton Avenue in reference to an Armed Robbery.

Patrol Officers responding to the scene observed the suspect vehicle in the 3000 block of N. Main Street. The suspect vehicle was involved in a short vehicle pursuit. The suspect vehicle was involved in a traffic accident near the intersection of Searles and Glenwood Avenues. Two suspects from the suspect vehicle were taken into custody in the area.

Rockford Police Detectives conducted follow up investigation on the incident. The suspects were charged as follows:

Daniel Sterkeson, 32 years of age, Rockford, IL
Aggravated Robbery
Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer

Andrew Zick, 29 years of age, Huntley, IL
Aggravated Robbery
Aggravated Assault
Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer
Reckless Driving
Aggravated Fleeing to Elude a Police Officer

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The charges against Sterkeson and Zick are only accusations. They are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Due to the ongoing nature of the investigation, photographs are not available at this time.

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