



## ROCKFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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# ARREST RELEASE

**DATE & TIME**            **05/21/13 2:34 PM**

**Bureau:**                    **Investigative Services Bureau**

**Authorized Supervisor:**    **Marc Welsh**

**Phone:**                    **(815)967-6976**

**Incident:**                    **Burglary suspect arrest**

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### MESSAGE

On Monday May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2013 shortly before 7:00 AM, members of the Rockford Police Department responded to an address in the 2400 block of Wyoming Drive in reference to an in progress Burglary. A watchful neighbor provided information observing the suspect gain entry into a residence by forcing a door. Upon arrival to the scene, the officer observed the suspect flee on foot from the residence. After a foot chase and struggle the suspect was taken into custody with the assistance of a Winnebago County Sheriff's Police Deputy. The suspect's vehicle was located and a stolen license plate was recovered in the vehicle. The following charges were authorized:

**Kenneth J. Devaul, 25 years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Aggravated Battery to a Police Officer**  
**Burglary**  
**Criminal Damage to Property**  
**Possession of Burglary Tools**  
**Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer**  
**Possession of Stolen Property**

The charges against Devaul are merely accusations. He is presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. A photograph of Devaul is attached to this media release.

Devaul is currently on Parole in Winnebago County for Burglary

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