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ARREST RELEASE

DATE & TIME 06/27/13 5:41 PM

Bureau: Field Services Bureau

Authorized Supervisor: Sergeant Carla Redd

Phone: 815-987-5041

Incident: Tobacco Compliance Checks

MESSAGE

On Tuesday, June 25, 2013 and Wednesday, June 26, 2013, the Rockford Police Department Community Services Unit combined efforts with the Winnebago County Health Department to conduct tobacco compliance checks at retailers in the City of Rockford. During the checks, revenue from the Winnebago County Health Department and minors employed by the Winnebago County Health Department were utilized to make controlled purchases of tobacco products from these businesses.

One-hundred and one stores were checked in the City of Rockford. The following stores sold tobacco products to minors and the clerks at the following businesses were issued citations for "Sale of Tobacco Products to Minors".

- 1) Ferris Food Store, 1102 Ferguson St.
- 2) Almart 3, 922 Kilburn Ave.
- 3) Cigarettes and More Store, 3816 Auburn St.
- 4) On the Way, 2627 Auburn St.
- 5) West State Food Mart, 2907 W. State St.
- 6) Day Food Mart, 2704 W. State St.
- 7) Summit Mobil, 1344 E. State St.

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