



## ROCKFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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# ARREST RELEASE

**DATE & TIME**      **04/19/13 11:17 AM**

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

**Authorized Supervisor:**    **Lt. Marc Welsh**

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

**Incident:**              **Burglary from Vehicle arrests**

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### MESSAGE

During the evening hours of April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2013, numerous Burglary from Vehicle incidents occurred in northwest Rockford. The incidents were reported to the Rockford Police Department. The vehicles that were entered were vehicles that were left unlocked with valuables in sight.

Rockford Police Detectives conducted follow up investigation into the Burglary from Vehicle incidents. The facts of the investigation were reviewed by the Winnebago County State's Attorney's Office. The following charges were authorized:

**Juvenile male 15, years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Burglary from Vehicle (3200 Gilbert)**  
**Burglary from Vehicle (2400 N. Rockton)**

**Juvenile male, 12 years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Burglary from Vehicle (3200 Gilbert)**  
**Burglary from Vehicle (2400 N. Rockton)**

**Juvenile female, 14 years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Burglary from Vehicle (3200 Gilbert)**  
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During the investigation all 4 juveniles were placed under arrest. The charges against the juveniles are merely accusations. The juveniles are presumed innocent until being proven guilty in a court of law.

The below listed Burglary from Vehicle incidents were cleared as a results of the 4 arrests:

600 Garfield Ave  
2000 N. Church St.  
2400 N. Rockton Ave (2 incidents)  
2100 N. Court St (2 incidents)  
1200 Grant Ave  
3200 Sunnyside Dr  
1600 N. Court St  
1200 Garrison Ave  
2600 Auburn St.  
2100 Lawndale Ave  
1700 N. Court St.

Please remember when leaving your vehicles unattended, keep your valuables locked up and out of sight.

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