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ARREST RELEASE

DATE & TIME **04/06/12 3:04 PM**

Bureau: **Investigative Services Bureau**

Authorized Supervisor: **Lt. Welsh**

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Incident: **Narcotics Search warrant at 1522 Clifton Ave. Upper apartment.**

MESSAGE

Members of the Rockford Police Department's Narcotics Unit have been investigating the sale of illegal narcotics which had been reported to be taking place at 1522 Clifton Ave. As a result of this investigation a search warrant was obtained and executed on 04/06/12 by the Rockford Police Department's Narcotics Unit. One adult male and one adult female were located inside the upper apartment. Detectives discovered the exterior of the apartment was being monitored by a camera surveillance system. During a search of the residence detectives located over 24 grams of crack cocaine, cannabis, United States currency, a loaded 9mm handgun, and other items associated with drug trafficking. The male occupant was identified as Eric Kelly. He was charged with multiple criminal offenses and is being held in the Winnebago County Jail. Kelly is a convicted felon. The female was released and not charged.

Arrested: Kelly, Eric L. 27, Rockford

Charges: Possession with intent to deliver 15-100 grams of cocaine, Unlawful Use of Weapon by a Felon, Armed Violence, Resisting / Obstructing a peace officer.

Bond: To be set by Judge (Felony charge)

Kelly is presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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