

City of Cincinnati



Interdepartmental
Correspondence Sheet

Date: 9 Nov 06

To: Colonel Thomas H. Streicher, Jr., Police Chief
From: Lt. Joseph Williams, District 2
Copies to:
Subject: Third QUARTER District 2 PROBLEM SOLVING REPORT – Patrol BUREAU

Category: CPOP Case Case #: pending District: 2 Neighborhood:
Pleasant Ridge

Coordinating Personnel: PO Kathy Horn

Description of Problem: Thefts from autos in and around Lunken Play field

Phase of SARA: Assessment

SARA Documentation

Scanning (state problem): Thefts from autos

Analysis (identify factual support): The crimes are occurring primarily when park goers leave to walk or jog the course. The suspects are breaking into vehicles, mainly SUVs, between the hours of 0700-1000 on nice days.

Response (define action taken): Periodic staggered plainclothes surveillance has been established to try to catch the suspects during the targeted hours. Since the implementation of the surveillance patrols, 7 arrest have been made for breaking into cars.

Assessment (document measurement): The frequency of thefts has decreased significantly, but they do still occur. We are currently monitoring the reports in order to detect other trends for the area and adjust our strategy accordingly..

Police Participation Bureau

Specific Feedback: **This problem is expected to increase as the Holiday season approaches.**

City Department Participation

Specific Feedback

- Buildings and Inspections
- Community Development & Planning
- Fire Department
- Health
- Metropolitan Sewer District
- Parks
- Public Services

Recreation

They are monitoring the area for suspicious persons

Transportation & Engineering

Water Works