

VILLAGE OF CLARENDON HILLS
POLICE DEPARTMENT



DATE: April 23, 2021
To: Village Manager Kevin Barr
From: Chief P. Dalen
Subject: Weekly Activity Report

Metra commuters can now report suspicious activity and safety concerns via a convenient phone app.

The advertisement has a red-to-orange gradient background. At the top, it says "Your Safety is our Highest Priority." in white. Below that, it says "You can now report safety and security concerns with the new Metra COPS app, available for Apple and Android devices." There are two buttons: "Download on the App Store" and "GET IT ON Google play". A list of reportable incidents is shown: "Unattended bags or packages", "Safety concerns", "Suspicious activity", "Vandalism", and "Robbery or theft". A smartphone displays the app interface with a "Report a Problem" button and a "Call Metra Police" button. At the bottom, it says "You can also text comments/photos to 312-313-9015. (Text or data rates may apply.) In the event of an emergency, call 911 or Metra Police at 312-322-2800." The Metra logo is at the very bottom.

Recent Training and Meetings

- I attended the DuPage Police Chiefs Association meeting.
- Officers continue to complete Court Smart online training.
- Officers continue to complete mental health awareness training.

Recent events:

April 17, 11:07am, officers responded to the 100blk of Oxford for an identity theft complaint. The victim related that unknown offenders attempted to use his credentials to purchase a vehicle in Texas. Pending.

April 17, 3:18pm, officers responded to the business district for a sexual assault report. Once on scene, officers determined the incident occurred in another town. Officers worked with the victim and the other agency.

April 20, 8:43am, officers were notified by Chicago Police Dept. about a possible sexual abuse incident occurring in town. Pending.

April 22, 8:42am, officers noticed a domestic argument taking place in front of the police station. Upon further investigation, it was determined that one of the parties involved was in violation of a domestic battery bail bond. Pending.