

EPOD

Weekly Report



February 21,

2022

Through

February 27,

2022

EAST PATROL OPERATIONS DIVISION

A weekly summary of targeted crimes that have occurred in the East Patrol Operations Division of the Dayton Police Department.

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POLICE STATS:

	COMPARED TO 2020	COMPARED TO 2021
PART 1 VIOLENT	-39%	-32%
PART 2 VIOLENT	-3%	-15%
PART 1 PROPERTY	-19%	-23%
PART 2 PROPERTY	-19%	-16%
TOTAL CRIME	-16%	-17%

PART 1 VIOLENT MURDER RAPE ARMED ROBBERY UNARMED ROBBERY AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	PART 2 VIOLENT KIDNAPING SIMPLY ASSAULT MENACING	PART 1 PROPERTY ARSON BURGLARY BREAKING & ENTERING MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE	PART 2 PROPERTY RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY CRIMINAL DAMAGING COUNTERFEITING EXTORTION BAD CHECKS
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Weapons Violations Arrests	3
Drug Arrests	21
Felony Arrests	25

POLICE INFORMATION:

Visit the website: daytonohio.gov

Under Government, click Police. From here, you will be able to sign up for crime alerts, view an incident report (via report number), get crime tips, and other useful information.

OBTAIN A TRAFFIC CRASH REPORT:

<https://ext.dps.state.oh.us/CrashRetrieval/OHCrashRetrieval.aspx>

CRIME REPORTING:

Citizens can file reports online for certain crimes by following the guidelines on the website:

<https://www.daytonpolicereports.com/apps/citizenreporting>

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
2/21/2022	1830	1032 S SMITHVILLE RD	EASTERN HILLS

SYNOPSIS: The victim and the female agreed to meet so the female could return the victim's keys. The female and the victim exchanged words. The male suspect in the female's vehicle got out, hit the victim in the head with a baseball bat, and then attempted to stab the victim. The baseball fell under the victim's vehicle. The suspect and female fled the scene. The victim retrieved the baseball bat and went directly to Miami Valley Hospital for treatment.

CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim and had the victim write out a statement. McDonalds advised they would provide video footage if they had any. The detective has yet to be contacted by McDonalds. Detective attempted to make contact with the suspect, but was met with negative results.

2/23/2022	2135	1341 FLORENCE ST	EASTERN HILLS
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SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect shot the victim in genitals. When officers asked him who shot him, he advised he was shot outside, but would not say who did it. The resident at the noted address did not know the victim, but provided him with a rag until police arrived.

CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with witness, whose car was processed as it was involved in this incident. The witness had no new information to provide.

2/24/2022	2145	419 PRITZ AV	LINDEN HEIGHTS
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SYNOPSIS: Known suspects got into an argument with the female victim. The female victim's son came outside to see what was going on as the victim was picking them up. The suspects began swinging a machete that struck the victim's son in the finger after the female suspect assaulted the female victim, causing a laceration to her nose. The male suspect was given a summons arrest as he had a possible broken leg and was admitted to the hospital. A broadcast was made for the female suspect.

CASE STATUS: Charges were presented to the Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office and were refused. This case was referred to the city prosecutor's office.

AGGRAVATED ROBBERY

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
2/24/2022	1537	219 WYOMING ST	SOUTH PARK

SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the business, walked straight to the office with a black handgun pointed out, and demanded the money in the register from the victim in the office. The suspect then broke the victim's cellphone before fleeing the scene. This incident was caught on video.

CASE STATUS: Detective was able to identify the suspect via video footage that was provided. Charges were presented to the Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office and approved.

RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
2/22/2022	1758	919 WELLMEIER AV	LINDEN HEIGHTS

SYNOPSIS: Known suspect broke into the victim's residence and set the house on fire. This was the arson case that is showing for EPOD too. The suspect was located at the Red Roof Inn and taken into custody without incident. He was then transported to the Montgomery County Jail.

CASE STATUS: Detective attempted to make contact with the victim, but was met with negative results.

2/22/2022	0000	1314 EPWORTH AV	WALNUT HILLS
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RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
<p>SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect kicked in the rear basement window, entered the victim's residence, ransacked her mudroom, and stole a yoga statue. The camera system was unplugged. None of the neighbors appeared to have cameras that would have caught this incident on video.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who advised she noticed more items missing and was in the process of compiling a list for the detective.</p>			
2/24/2022	1806	123 SPRINGFIELD ST	SPRINGFIELD
<p>SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect forced entry into the victim's residence and punched her in the face after breaking one of her windows. When the victim began yelling for her son, he entered the room with a handgun and the suspect fled the scene. The suspect was later identified.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Charges were presented to the Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office and approved.</p>			
2/24/2022	2015	1871 FIELDSTONE DR	DEWEESE
<p>SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the victim's residence through the unsecured kitchen window and stole miscellaneous household items, tools, pictures, etc.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim and had no new information to provide.</p>			

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
2/21/2022	2220	1556 HUFFMAN AV	EASTERN HILLS
<p>SYNOPSIS: Known suspect stole the victim's vehicle that was left unlocked and running at the gas pump.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Charges were presented to the Montgomery County Prosecutor's Office and approved.</p>			
2/23/2022	2200	1 WYOMING ST	SOUTH PARK
<p>SYNOPSIS: Possible known suspect stole the victim's vehicle by unknown means. The vehicle was later recovered on the west side of Dayton.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who advised that he wanted to pursue charges against the suspect.</p>			
2/24/2022	0715	155 INDIANA AV	WALNUT HILLS
<p>SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect stole the victim's vehicle that was left warming up, unlocked and running with the keys in the ignition. It was recovered a short time later.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who stated there was no video footage of this incident. He also advised that the spare key was in the vehicle as well.</p>			
2/24/2022	2330	2000 E THIRD ST	HISTORIC INNER EAST
<p>SYNOPSIS: The victims and an unknown suspect drove to an alley behind a bank near the noted address where the victims were pushed out of the vehicle and the suspect drove off. The victim had left his cellphone and there was \$40 in cash in the glovebox.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with one of the victim's and they advised they recovered the vehicle and no longer wished to pursue charges.</p>			
2/25/2022	1757	2221 FAUVER AV	BELMONT
<p>SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect stole the victim's vehicle that was left warming up, unlocked and running with the keys in the ignition. Officers checked various neighboring ring doorbell cameras for video, but were met with negative results.</p>			
<p>CASE STATUS: Detective attempted to make contact with the victim, but was met with negative results.</p>			
2/25/2022	2127	28 SEMINARY AV	EASTERN HILLS

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
SYNOPSIS: Possible known suspect took the victim's vehicle after an argument. The victim left his keys and phone in the vehicle.			
CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim and has been trying to get in contact with the possible suspect, but has been met with negative results.			
2/27/2022	2300	1400 TROY ST	OLD NORTH DAYTON
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect stole the victim's vehicle that was parked in the grass at the noted location with two flat tires. When the victim returned this morning to fix the tires, the vehicle was gone.			
CASE STATUS: No detective supplementary report has been entered at this time.			

THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
2/21/2022	2357	1300 WYOMING ST	WALNUT HILLS
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect stole the victim's rear license plate off his vehicle.			
CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who advised no one had permission to use his license plate.			
2/21/2022	1600	3331 STANLEY AV	OLD NORTH DAYTON
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect broke out the front passenger window of the victim's work van. There is no surveillance footage of this incident.			
CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who advised that his work belt was stolen too. Detective searched the area for cameras, but was met with negative results.			
2/22/2022	0000	24 HENRY ST	HISTORIC INNER EAST
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the victim's unlocked vehicle and stole her workbag.			
CASE STATUS: Detective attempted to make contact with the victim, but was met with negative results.			
2/23/2022	0600	1749 STANLEY AV	MCCOOK FIELD
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the rear lot by cutting holes in the fence line and cut the catalytic converter off the victim's vehicle.			
CASE STATUS: Detective advised there is no video footage of this incident.			
2/23/2022	0000	4414 BRANDT PI	OLD DAYTON VIEW
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the victim's vehicle that was at the noted location being worked on and stole his 10 inch speakers that were in the trunk. There are cameras at the business, but no one would be able to access the video footage until February 28 th .			
CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who advised they would have to contact the corporate office to retrieve the video footage.			
2/24/2022	1600	210 N CHERRYWOOD AV	WRIGHT VIEW
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the victim's unsecured vehicle through the unlocked driver side door and stole numerous bags of clothing items along with the victim's debt cards. The victim advised that the residence does not have cameras, but the neighbors across the street do.			
CASE STATUS: Detective made contact with the victim, who had no new information to provide. Detective searched the area for cameras, but was met with negative results.			
2/26/2022	2300	1119 HOLLY AV	WALNUT HILLS
SYNOPSIS: Unknown suspect entered the victim's vehicle through an unsecured window and stole some bags of clothing items.			

THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	NEIGHBORHOOD
CASE STATUS: Detective attempted to make contact with the victim, but was met with negative results.			

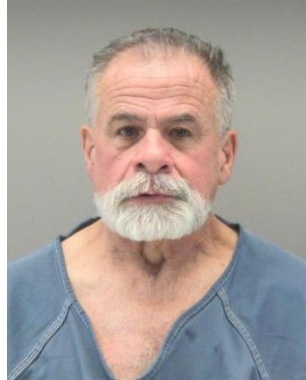
WEEKLY ARRESTS



Dustin Butler
11/30/1989
Motor Vehicle Theft



Ronald Pitts
01/07/1984
Residential Burglary



Roberto Flores
03/05/1959
Theft



Robert Kennedy
06/29/1967
Theft



Donnie Ritchie
03/16/1976
Aggravated Assault



Brandie Justice
09/17/1974
Theft

Police and Youth Together



Police and Youth Together (PAYT) is an intensive, week-long day camp with a year of follow-up activities for students ages 10-13. PAYT is offered in collaboration with local area law enforcement agencies to intentionally build bridges between police and youth. At PAYT, we teach respect and foster the appreciation of differences. PAYT helps to create inclusive, peaceful communities and build future leaders.

NCCJ sources funding to allow all students the opportunity to attend PAYT FREE.



Who:

Youth aged 10-13

When:

March 21 - 25, 2022

April 12 - 14, 2022

July 25 - 29, 2022

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Press Release

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Combat Catalytic Converter Theft Prevention Marking

Catalytic Converter theft is on the rise! Thousands are stolen across the country per day. To combat this alarming trend, the Catalytic Converter Theft committee of the International Association of Auto Theft Investigators (IAATI) in cooperation with the Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries (ISRI) suggests marking your converter.

Thieves are stealing converters from all types of vehicles and will make between US\$50-US\$875 per converter depending on the type and the precious metals content. Many lower emission/hybrid vehicles contain higher amounts of precious metals that are currently trading at all time high prices which is the catalyst for the increase in this crime. Some larger vehicles have multiple catalytic converters which make them prey for the theft. The cost to the vehicle's owner to repair can be several thousand dollars.

A catalytic converter is an EPA exhaust emission control device that reduces toxic gases and pollutants in exhaust gas from an internal combustion engine into less-toxic pollutants. Converters are typically found beneath the vehicle as part of the exhaust system.

Most catalytic converters do not have serial numbers, making it difficult for law enforcement to prove a catalytic converter is stolen. IAATI and ISRI believes starting a vigorous public education and information campaign to encourage vehicle owners to uniquely identify their catalytic converters, so they can be associated with a vehicle will have a substantial effect on deterring the theft.

We have compiled two ways for consumers to protect their valuable property by clearly marking their catalytic converter on their vehicle. While a consumer may do this, there are also many shops that can provide this marking as well.

Step One

Option One: Engraving Marking

Engrave a number, such as the VIN or at least the last 8 of VIN or alternatively the vehicle's license plate number with the state/province. Engravers can be purchased at most local hardware stores for around US\$20.00. Caution must be used to not damage the catalytic converter while etching.



Option Two: Catalytic Converter Safe Label Solution

Vehicle owners and fleets may benefit from purchasing commercially produced markers kits that provide:

- An ultra-destruct label (that will break into pieces if an attempt is made to remove them) that provides an identification number onto each catalytic converter.
- Includes metal etching fluid that applies the same unique code into the metal.
- Includes a secure free registration database.

Even if the label is removed, the etched number information will remain clearly readable for catalytic converter ownership to quickly be verified.



The above photos are sample images of catalytic converter labels produced by RETAINAGROUP – IAATI does not endorse specific products, the above examples are for illustration purposes only.

Step Two:

Make your catalytic converter stand out.

Purchase some high-temperature (1300-2000 °F), automotive exhaust spray paint in a bright color, and spray a generous amount onto the converter.

By adding bright paint, you can create a visible deterrent to alert thieves to move on.

This paint also signals law enforcement and recyclers to look deeper for serial numbers or identification marks.



By clearly marking your catalytic converter you will be deterring the theft from happening in the first place. Other ways to protect your car from this vehicle crime are as follows:











- Park in a garage or secured parking area
- Install a bright motion sensor light to discourage potential thieves.
- Install an anti-theft device.
- Always lock vehicle and set the alarm.
- Fleet vehicles and minimally used vehicles should be parked in a secured, alarmed, well-lit yard.

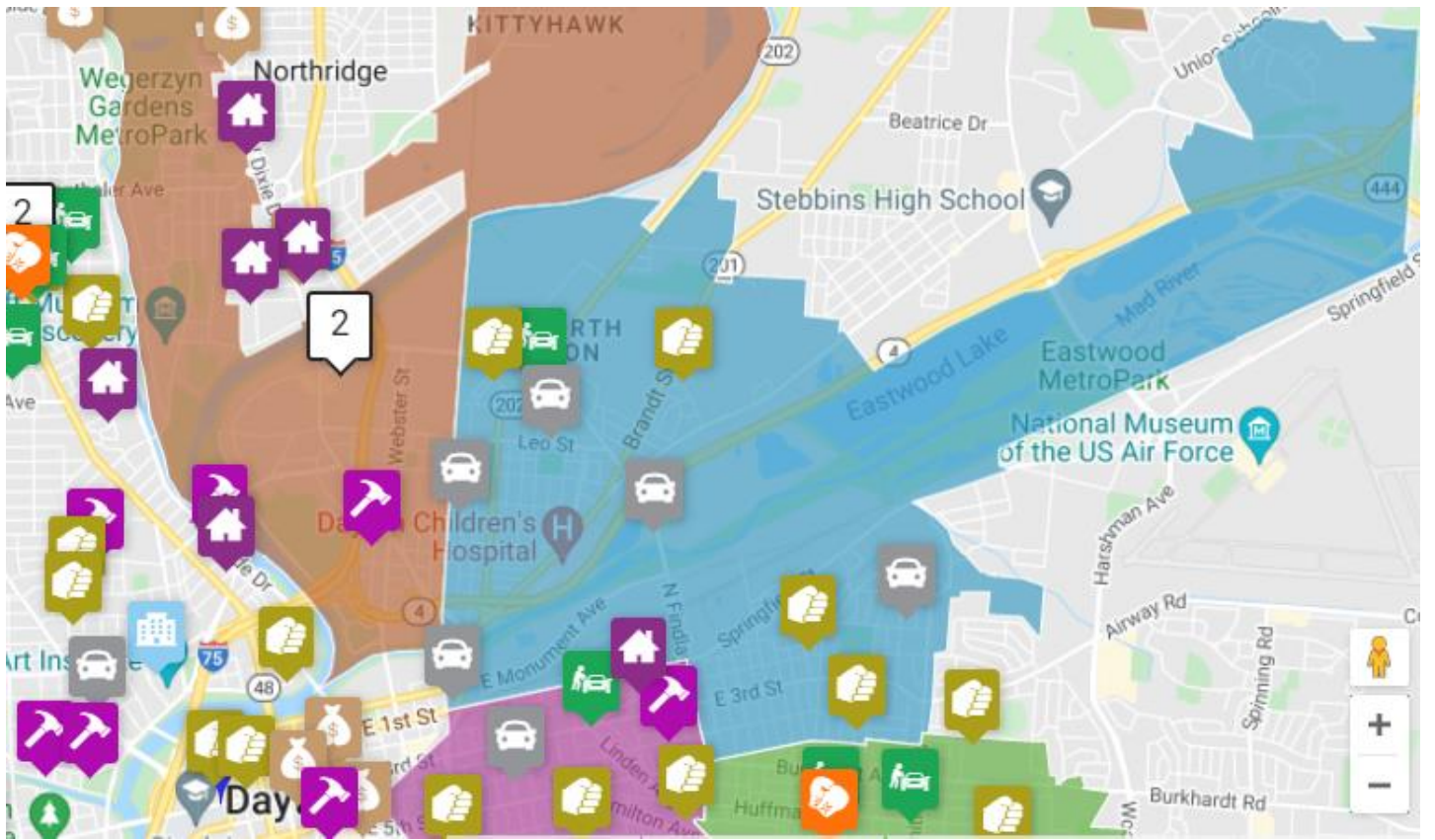
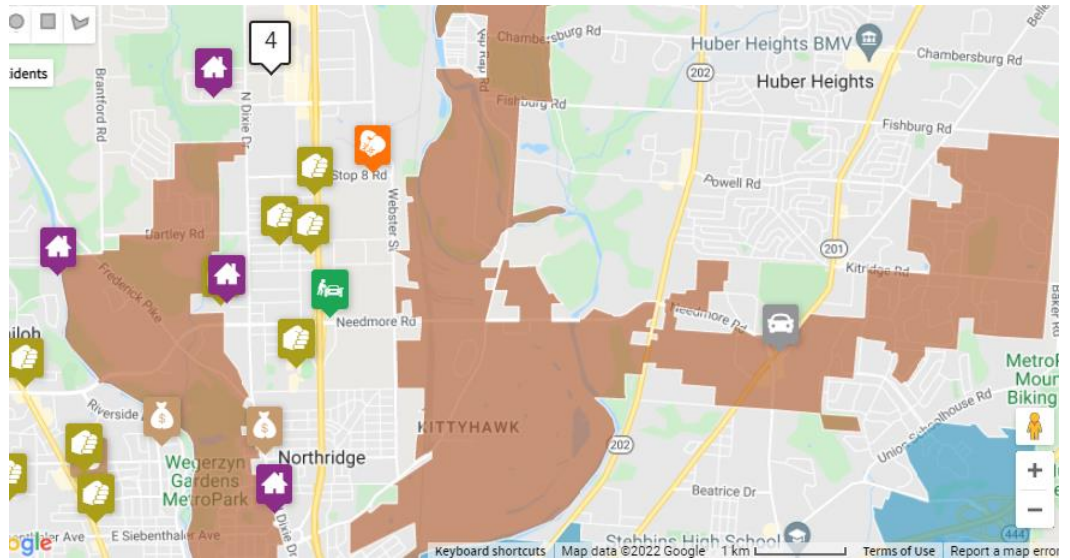
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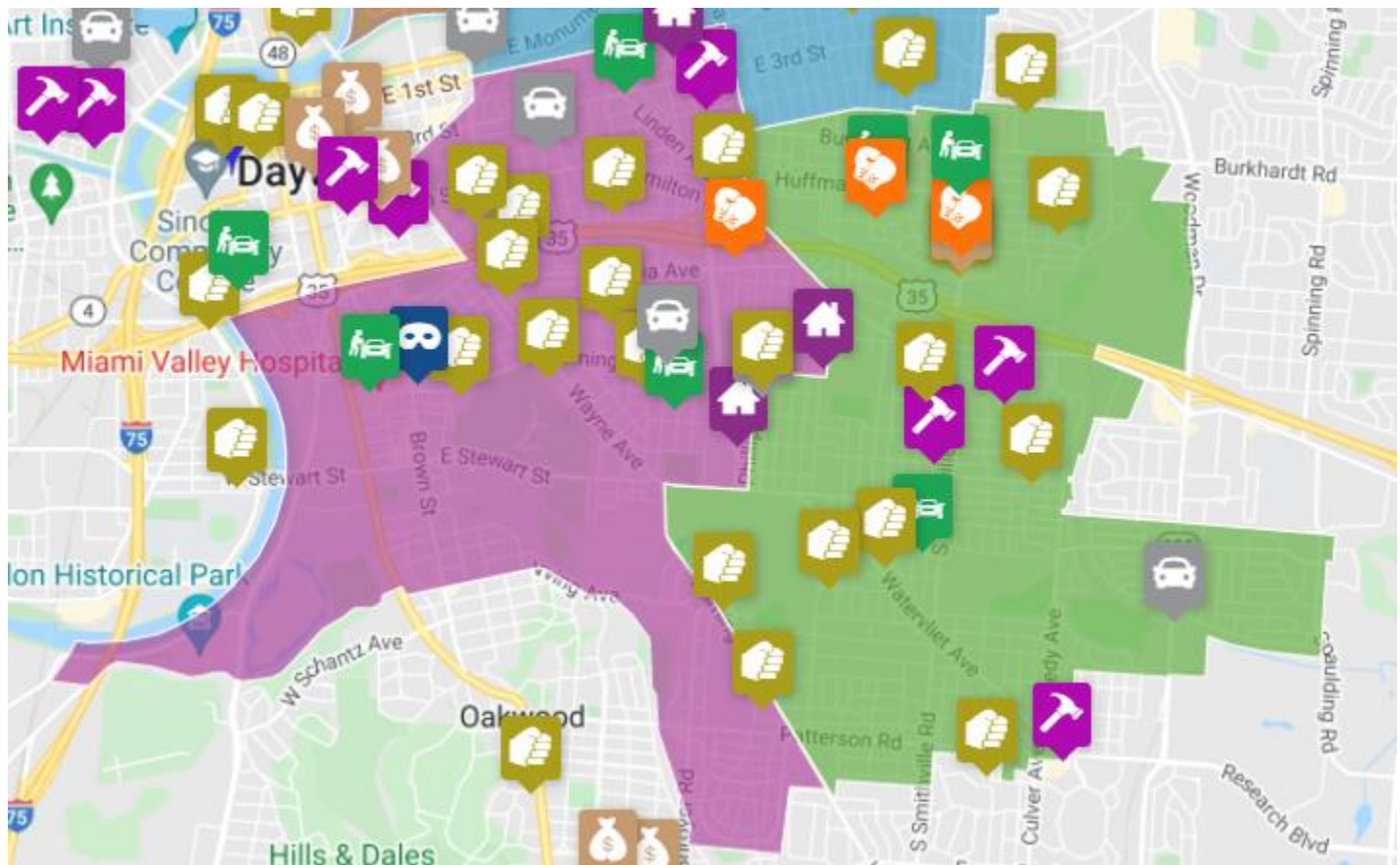
The International Association of Auto Theft Investigators (IAATI) is an organization of over 3,000 members representing 58 countries who work in coordination to combat auto theft and vehicle crimes. IAATI is dedicated to developing the highest professional standards among auto theft investigation, prevention and education. IAATI has active participation from the private sector, the insurance industry, automobile manufacturers and the National Insurance Crime Bureau of the US and its sister agencies in Canada and Europe.

The Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries, Inc. (ISRI) is the "Voice of the Recycling Industry™." ISRI represents 1,300 companies in 20 chapters in the U.S. and more than 40 countries that process, broker, and consume scrap commodities, including metals, paper, plastics, glass, rubber, electronics, and textiles. With headquarters in Washington, DC, the Institute provides education, advocacy, safety and compliance training, and promotes public awareness of the vital role recycling plays in the U.S. economy, global trade, the environment and sustainable development. Generating nearly \$110 billion annually in U.S. economic activity, the scrap recycling industry provides more than 500,000 Americans with good jobs.

EPOD CRIME MAP

-  Assault - Aggravated
-  Burglary - Commercial
-  Burglary - Residential
-  Assault - Simple
-  Burglary from Motor Vehicle
-  Robbery - Commercial
-  Motor Vehicle Theft
-  Robbery - Individual
-  Theft
-  Vandalism







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CRIME

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and password

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