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## Coeur d'Alene Police Department

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On December 18, 2014, Coeur d'Alene Police Department was notified by a concerned parent that their juvenile was in possession of possible stolen property. After initial contact by Patrol Officers, Detectives were called in and through a review of the property recovered and interviews with the suspect (s) determined two juveniles were responsible for over two dozen Coeur d'Alene burglaries / thefts in the past few months.

The areas most impacted by these offenders were in District 84 which is the area north of Interstate 90 and west of Highway 95. The specific neighborhoods victimized are Rockwood Lodge Apartments, Park Place Apartments, Coeur d'Alene Place, neighborhoods near Fairway Gas Station, Oak Crest Park and Indian Meadows.

So far, Detectives have recovered cash, knives, IPods, ammunition, jewelry, sporting goods, sunglasses, backpacks, cameras and more. Detectives are attempting to locate the owners of the property recovered and photos of this property will be available for viewing on the Coeur d'Alene Police Department's Facebook page.

Citizens who are victims of burglary or theft in these areas in the past few months who <u>have not</u> filed a report are encouraged to do so.

At this time, Detectives believe additional juveniles are involved, School Resource Officers are conducting interviews, and more suspects may be charged.

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