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Acting Chief Dennis Nilsson
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EVANSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

Dear Dennis:

For the past couple of months, a NORTAF Burglary Task Force assembled to focus on the numerous burglaries occurring in our communities involving the theft of appliances and tools from residences under construction and homes for sale. In several instances, appliances already installed to utilities in the homes were removed causing great damage to the residence.

The Task Force was comprised of members from the Glenview, Kenilworth, Evanston, Lincolnwood, Morton Grove, Niles, Northbrook, Northfield, Skokie, Wheeling, Wilmette and Winnetka Police Departments. Officers from these communities worked hours following up on leads and interested persons developing intelligence which ultimately led to an arrest in late October.

Through perseverance and a strong commitment to their organization, the Task Force worked this assignment. As always, the dedication to the call for duty continues to be outstanding for the NORTAF community. The professionalism displayed by each member of the team reflects highly on the departments with which these officers are associated.

While the Task Force was activated at times on a limited basis during November, to date at least one burglary has been solved in Northbrook as a result of their work and several others remain under investigation.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Northbrook Police Department

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles J. Wernick".

Charles J. Wernick
Chief of Police

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