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Local Area Highlights / Requests for Information

Officer Safety & Awareness

(U//LES) The Cleveland Police Department encountered a sovereign citizen during a traffic stop on 11/30/2011 at E. 71st St. and Wade Park. The individual refused to cooperate with Cleveland police officers, stating that the officer need to "provide the law stating his authority"; she would not roll down her window or produce any identifying paperwork. A relative of the subject arrived on scene and called the Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office, and requested the Sheriff respond to the scene, since Cleveland officers did not have authority. The encountering officer noted that there were several bumper stickers on the vehicle noting, "I'm a sovereign citizen", "Stay Back", and "No Trespassing - \$5,000 fine". Law enforcement officers should note that sovereign citizens do not recognize the rules and regulations established by the U.S. government, and often times will only acknowledge the local county sheriff's authority. They typically use fraudulent or unofficial forms of identification, including ID/driver's license or vehicle license plates.

(U//FOUO) Note: The NEORFC distributed a request for information (RFI) on 30 November 2011, related to sovereign citizen activity in Northeast Ohio. It is requested that any agency or officer that has encountered any individuals claiming sovereign status, please complete the fillable form() and return to the NEORFC; if needed, additional copies of the request will be provided. Please view the attached documents for additional information related to sovereign citizens, including possible identifiers.  

Source: Cleveland PD

UPDATE – NEORFC 11-242

(U//LES) The Rocky River Police Department in coordination with the Bath Township PD and Medina PD, report the arrest of Robert Pride, DOB 8/8/1975, of Lakewood, in connection with Thefts of silver and jewelry items from multiple stores throughout the area. Pride is believed to have worked in coordination with Stacey Zalecki-Pride, DOB 6/18/1980, of Lakewood, and Cathy Pride, DOB 6/1/1955. Any department with similar incidents or related information can contact Rocky River PD Detective Thompson, (440) 331-1234, Bath PD, Detective Lance, (330) 666-3736, or Medina PD Officer Fitz, (330) 725-7777.



R. Pride



S. Zalecki-Pride



C. Pride

Source: Rocky River PD, Bath PD, Medina PD

UPDATE – NEORFC 11-244 

(U//LES) The Amherst Police Department recently reported two incidents of “swatting”, which is defined by the U.S. Department of Justice as “falsely reporting an emergency to a police department to cause a SWAT response to a physical address, or making a false report to elicit an emergency response by other first responders, such as adults protective services, to a specific physical address”.

- (U//LES) On Monday, November 21, 2011 at approximately 2110 hrs., officers of the Amherst Police Department were dispatched to a 911 call. The 911 call received, was a male claiming that he had shot his mother and was going to kill his little brother. Once officers arrived in the area and set up a perimeter around the house, contact was made with the homeowner who advised her sons were safe and not home at the time of the incident. Officers were able to determine this was a hoax before the SWAT team’s arrival on scene.
- (U//LES) On Tuesday, November 22, 2011 at approximately 1448 hrs., a similar call was received by the Lorain County 911 dispatcher. According to the information received, a male said that he had climbed through the window of (gave home owners name) the house, and that the home owner owed him money and that everyone in the house was going to die. The male said he had a handgun and a pipe bomb; he continued by saying that he was going to blow the house up, and everyone in it, and he was going to kill everyone, including the dispatcher. Upon arrival at the residence nothing appeared out of the ordinary; the owners were not home.

(U//LES) Note: It was recently learned during investigation that the suspects were listening to police radio via the Internet, so as to be able to hear live feeds of the response by law enforcement. If a call is determined to be a swatting-related call, it should be advised to use a TAC channel instead.

Source: Amherst PD



Linndale PD / Family Dollar suspect

(U//LES) The Linndale Police Department requests assistance identifying a suspect involved in an Aggravated Robbery at the Family Dollar Store, 11705 Bellaire Rd., Cleveland on 11/30/2011 at 0959 hrs. **Suspect should be considered armed and dangerous.** Any department able to ID the suspect or with related information can contact Linndale PD, (216) 251-1234.

Source: Linndale PD

(U//LES) The Maple Heights Police Department requests assistance locating Burrell L. Atkins, DOB 3/2/1992, lka of 20639 Donnybrook Dr., Maple Hts.; he is described as 5’9”, 195 lbs., with black hair and brown eyes. Atkins is wanted in connection with Robbery, Aggravated Menacing, Carrying Concealed Weapon, and Failure to Appear. Any department with related information pertaining to the whereabouts of Atkins can contact Maple Heights PD, (216) 662-1234.

Source: Maple Heights PD



B. Atkins
Booking Photo



R. Gould

(U//LES) The Wickliffe Police Department reports the arrest of Richard Gould, DOB 11/8/1980, lka of 1256 E. 343rd St. Eastlake, for involvement in Theft related incidents. In addition to incidents in Wickliffe, Gould is believed to have been involved in Thefts from multiple jurisdictions including Lakewood, Brook Park, Strongsville, Seven Hills, Solon, Mentor, Waite Hill, and Concord. He told the realtors at different open house events similar stories, stating he was an injured Iraq War Veteran, and he had lost his wife and infant child in a car accident with a drunk driver. It was found after Gould left the homes, that valuable items, such as jewelry were missing. Any department with similar incidents

or related information can contact Seven Hills Detective Lieutenant Michael Salloum, (216) 524-2360, or Wickliffe PD Sergeant Jon Bush, (440) 943-1234.

Source: Seven Hills PD, Wickliffe PD

(U//LES) The Lakewood Police Department requests assistance identifying a suspect in connection with an Aggravated Robbery that occurred on 11/9/2011 at 0032 hrs. The victim reported walking westbound on Detroit Ave. approaching Clarence Ave., and continued toward two B/M suspects. As he approached the suspects, they pushed the victim to the ground, while one of the suspects (pictured below) pointed a gun at him, and the other suspect went through his pockets. The credit cards were immediately used at Taco Bell, 1531 W. 117th St. Suspect vehicle has been possibly identified as a newer model 2005 Chevy Cobalt, red in color.



Not actual suspect vehicle



One of the Lakewood suspects

Any department able to ID the suspect or with related information can contact Lakewood PD Detective Tom McLaughlin, (216) 529-6767.

Source: Lakewood PD

(U//LES) The Bay Village Police Department reports the arrest of three suspects involved in the Theft of multiple factory radios from a Westlake car dealership. Bay Village PD made a traffic stop of an off-white 2004 Lincoln LS (Michigan LP# CJD2995) containing three males at 0113 hrs. on 11/30/2011. Upon a search of the vehicle officers discovered 14 General Motors GPS/Radio/DVD in-dash units, tools and gloves in the trunk of the stopped vehicle. It was discovered that Pat O'Brien Chevrolet, Detroit Rd. Westlake, had 14 Tahoes, Avalanches and Suburbans entered through smashed window and radios stolen; damage is likely to exceed \$90,000. The suspects are identified as Ronnie Irving Waller, DOB 8/22/1983, Andra Latize Jones, DOB 2/25/1992, and Darrell Ewan Ford, DOB 9/22/1984. All three males are from Detroit, MI and will be charged



R. Irving



A. Jones



D. Ford



2004 Lincoln LS
Suspect vehicle

with Receiving Stolen Property, Theft and Vandalism. Any department with related incidents can contact Bay Village PD Lt. Spaetzel, (440) 899-3465.

Source: Bay Village PD

CITY OF CLEVELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT

UPDATE – NEORFC 11-223, 11-230

(U//LES) The Cleveland Police Department reports the repeated arrest of David Janatka, DOB 4/25/1968, of La Grange IL. Janatka was originally for Criminal Trespass at the U.S. Coast Guard, 1055 E. 9th St., Cleveland, OH, since this incident, he has been arrested an additional three times by Cleveland PD, including one incident in which he brandished a knife. Further investigation revealed that Janatka is recently estranged from his wife and left the Chicago area to visit his son in Lansing, MI. From MI he decided to visit Cleveland. Cleveland PD contacted his family in Chicago and they admitted he had left their area and could not be located in the past several days. Janatka states he took all his possessions (including the coins) and wanted to "live the dream" and tour the country. It should be noted that he is under psychiatric care, and currently suffers from psychological disorders.



D. Janatka

- (U//LES) **November 10, 2011:** Janatka was arrested for trespassing on the U.S. Coast Guard base, 1055 East 9th St. After being sent away twice, Janatka returned and used a code he had seen a security guard use to reenter the base. After being detained Janatka stated, "That is the easiest one I have ever gotten into."
- (U//LES) **November 16, 2011:** Janatka was arrested on 308 Euclid Ave for Carrying a Concealed Weapon and Aggravated Menacing. Police were called after the suspect was seen continuously pulling out a knife and waving it at people as they walked past him and then trying to gain entry to House of Blues. CPD Intelligence Unit reports upon release from this charge, Janatka went back to his downtown hotel room and assaulted a security guard by punching her in the head at the hotel.
- (U//LES) **November 17, 2011:** Janatka was arrested in Public Square for assault and criminal trespassing; he threw items at passing CPD police vehicles.

(U//LES) If Janatka is arrested or detained, please contact the Cleveland PD, 3rd District regarding a possible 72 hour mental health assessment. Any department with related information can contact Cleveland PD Intelligence Unit, (216) 623-5530, or the NEORFC Analytical Unit, (216) 515-8477.

Source: Cleveland PD

Second District

(U//LES) The Cleveland Police Department reports an Aggravated Robbery on 11/27/2011 at W. 41st St. and Marvin Ave. The victim reported that two B/M suspect approached him, with one of the suspects brandishing a dark-colored handgun, while the other suspect went through the victim's pockets and belongings. The suspects then fled southbound on W. 44th St. Suspect 1 is described as a B/M, 5'4", heavy build, wearing a dark jacket with lettering on the back; suspect 2 is a B/M, 6', and wearing a baseball hat and a dark-colored jacket. Any department with related information or similar incidents can contact Cleveland PD Second District Detective Bureau, (216) 623-5218.

Source: Cleveland PD (RMS# 2011-373408)

Missing Persons Unit

Name	Age	Days Missing	CPD District	Date Last Seen	Photo
Mauricio Martinez	28	5	1	11/24/2011	
Anthony Buchanan	18	6	1	11/23/2011	
Kavonte Gregory	17	8	1	11/21/2011	
Malik Bost	16	8	5	11/21/2011	


(U) Visit Cleveland Division of Police's website for a listing of missing persons from Cleveland, <http://www.cleveland-oh.gov/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/PublicSafety/Division%20of%20Police/MissingPersons>. Any information related to the above missing persons can contact Cleveland PD Detective Missing Persons Unit Detective Conway, (216) 623-4542.

Officer Safety & Awareness**(U//FOUO) FBI Intelligence Bulletin: Suspected Members of Anonymous and LulzSec Targeting Law Enforcement Personnel and Case Information in Retaliation for Arrests**


(U//FOUO) The FBI assesses that suspected members of Anonymous will continue to target law enforcement personnel in retaliation for the arrests and searches conducted against Anonymous and affiliated groups, such as LulzSec. These tactics could be used to obtain information about law enforcement officers or compromise case information regarding Anonymous. Some techniques used to target law enforcement include "doxing" (the release of identifying information such as full name, date of birth, address, and pictures, destroying information, providing misinformation, and social engineering.

(U//FOUO) The FBI judges that the following precautions are likely to enhance law enforcement ability to preserve information and ensure officer safety during interviews and search warrants:

- (U//FOUO) **Being Aware of Social Engineering Tactics.** Subjects may gather personal and employment information about law enforcement officers by manipulating them into divulging sensitive information. This information would enhance "doxing" by enabling subjects to gather further identifiers.

- (U//FOUO) **Limiting Access to Video Equipment.** Access to mobile phones, video recording devices, digital cameras, and Web cams would allow subjects to photograph law enforcement personnel. These pictures and videos may then be uploaded to the Internet and included in “doxes” of law enforcement.
- (U//FOUO) **Limiting Access to Mobile Devices.** Subjects may attempt to contact other Anonymous members to alert members of law enforcement presence, through making phone calls, sending text messages, and accessing social networking sites using mobile devices. Members have been known to access Internet Relay Chat (IRC) channels through mobile phones, therefore subjects may be able to communicate with other members without appearing to be on the Internet.
- (U//FOUO) **Being Aware of Encryption Methods.** Further efforts that may impede intelligence collection include encryption techniques such as full disk encryption. In these instances, information may be lost if suspects are notified before the search warrant is executed and the computer is turned off prior to law enforcement arrival.
- (U//FOUO) **Obtaining Proper Consent for Minors.** Some of the subjects of Anonymous are minors, which may hinder intelligence collection. Differences in state authorities designating the age at which someone is considered a minor may make it difficult to interview 


Source: FBI Intelligence Bulletin, 22 November 2011

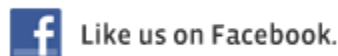
(U//LES) The Missouri State Highway Patrol's Gaming Division has recently encountered over a dozen criminal incidents that involved the use of fraudulent driver's licenses, which have been obtained through a company on the Internet called Id Chief. The suspects are most commonly underage patrons using the fraudulent IDs to gain entry to the casino. Fake IDs can be used for many types of fraudulent activities, including check fraud, debit fraud, identity theft, immigration fraud, age deception, etc. One can find many websites on the Internet making fake IDs readily available with a few clicks of the mouse; Id Chief is one of many. The following states currently offered through the website are: Arizona, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, and Tennessee. Most of the IDs have holograms, UV black lights and bar codes that scan. 

(U//LES) Note: In June 2011, Westlake Police Department reported a controlled delivery of 20 fraudulent ID cards to an address. An underage female had ordered the ID's to evade the legal drinking age. Although, typically these types of ID's are used by underage persons, there is possibility for exploitation for criminal or terrorism related purposes.

Source: Missouri Information Analysis Center, 11/23/2011, Westlake PD

Training Opportunities

(U) The Cleveland Division of Police, in partnership with Case Western Reserve University, and University Circle Police will be co-sponsoring a no cost training session entitled: *Investigating Non-Stranger Sexual Assault*. Topics covered in this training session consist of Victim-centered/offender-focused framework for investigation, detecting deception, traumatic memory, effective victim interviews, false reporting, and suspect interviews and interrogations. Training is scheduled for Tuesday, January 31, 2011, at Case Western Reserve University, Allen-Memorial Library, Ford Auditorium, 110000 Euclid Ave., Cleveland. Please view flyer for additional information. 



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