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PRESS RELEASE

On Friday February 17, 2012 at 10:35 pm, three heavily armed suspects wearing "hoodies" and ski masks entered the rear door to the Quit-N-Time Bar located at 3353 Fort Street in the City of Wyandotte. The suspects ordered many of the customers to the floor and fired one round from a handgun into the ceiling before entering the office area where they ordered an employee to turn-over the cash box which contained revenues from earlier that day. The suspects, who were inside the bar for less than 1 ½ minutes, assaulted several of the customers before fleeing out the rear door and down the rear alley.

This afternoon, Wyandotte Police Detectives met with Investigators from the Southgate and Dearborn Police Departments and we believe that the suspects that committed the robbery in Wyandotte are the same persons responsible for similar crimes in their cities.

On Monday January 30, 2012 at 2:47 am, 4 suspects fitting the same description and heavily armed forced their way into the 3 Nick's Tap Room located at 14594 Eureka Road in the City of Southgate. After observing their actions on the security video system, it appears they expected the bar to be occupied with employees working after closing hour but the establishment was empty. They left the lounge after rummaging through the bar area and breaking into an ATM.

On Tuesday February 7, 2012 at approximately 10:15 pm, 3 suspects entered the Bronco's Lounge located at 4025 Maple Street in the City of Dearborn and committed a robbery very similar to the one committed in Wyandotte.

Persons having information relating to these crimes are encouraged to contact the Wyandotte Police Department 734 324-4438, the Dearborn Police Department at 313 943-3012, or the Southgate Police Department at 734 258-3061.

Chief of Police February 21, 2012

Daniel J. Franto