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AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE, TRANSFER AND POSSESSION OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS, THE POSSESSION OF ASSAULT WEAPONS AND THE STORAGE OF FIREARMS AND WEAPONS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Section 1. Section 29-33 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(a) No person, firm or corporation shall sell, [at retail,] deliver or otherwise transfer any pistol or revolver to any [alien] PERSON WHO IS PROHIBITED FROM POSSESSING A PISTOL OR REVOLVER AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 3 OF THIS ACT.

(b) No person, firm or corporation shall SELL, deliver OR OTHERWISE TRANSFER any pistol or revolver [at retail] except upon written application on a form prescribed and furnished by the commissioner of public safety. [, in triplicate, one copy of which shall be mailed] SUCH PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION SHALL SEND ONE COPY OF SUCH APPLICATION by first class mail on the day of receipt of such application to the chief of the police department of the municipality within which the applicant resides or, where there is no chief of police, the first selectman or warden of such municipality, as the case may be, and ONE COPY to the commissioner of public safety, and [no] SHALL RETAIN THE APPLICATION FOR AT LEAST FIVE YEARS. NO SALE, DELIVERY OR OTHER TRANSFER OF ANY PISTOL OR REVOLVER SHALL BE MADE UNLESS THE PERSON MAKING THE PURCHASE OR TO WHOM THE SAME IS DELIVERED OR TRANSFERRED IS PERSONALLY KNOWN TO THE PERSON SELLING SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER OR MAKING DELIVERY OR TRANSFER THEREOF OR PROVIDES EVIDENCE OF HIS IDENTITY IN THE FORM OF A MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR'S LICENSE, IDENTITY CARD ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 1-1h OR VALID PASSPORT. NO sale, [or] delivery OR OTHER TRANSFER of any pistol or revolver shall be made until the expiration of two weeks from the date of the mailing of such copies. Any such municipal authority or said commissioner [, having knowledge of the conviction of such applicant of a felony] SHALL MAKE A REASONABLE EFFORT TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE IS ANY REASON THAT WOULD PROHIBIT SUCH APPLICANT FROM POSSESSING A PISTOL OR REVOLVER AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 3 OF THIS ACT AND, IF SUCH MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY OR SAID COMMISSIONER DETERMINES THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH A REASON, shall

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forthwith notify the person, firm or corporation to whom such application was made and no pistol or revolver shall be by him or it sold, [or] delivered OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERRED to such applicant.

(c) When any pistol or revolver is SOLD, delivered [in connection with the sale or purchase] OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERRED, such pistol or revolver shall be enclosed in a package, the paper or wrapping of which shall be securely fastened, and no pistol or revolver when SOLD, delivered [on any sale or purchase] OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERRED shall be loaded or contain therein any gunpowder or other explosive or any bullet, ball or shell.

(d) Upon the SALE, delivery OR OTHER TRANSFER of any pistol or revolver, the [purchaser] PERSON MAKING THE PURCHASE OR TO WHOM THE SAME IS DELIVERED OR TRANSFERRED shall sign [in quadruplicate] a receipt for such pistol or revolver which shall contain the name, address and occupation of such [purchaser] PERSON, the date of sale, THE caliber, make, model and manufacturer's number and a general description [thereof] OF SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER, THE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OF SUCH PERSON'S PERMIT TO CARRY PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS, ISSUED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, PERMIT TO SELL AT RETAIL PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS, ISSUED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (a) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, OR ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR A PISTOL OR REVOLVER, ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 7 OF THIS ACT, IF ANY, AND THE AUTHORIZATION NUMBER DESIGNATED FOR THE TRANSFER BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY. [Two of such quadruplicate receipts shall, within twenty-four hours thereafter, be mailed by first class mail by the vendor of such pistol or revolver to the commissioner of public safety and one to the authority issuing the permit for the sale of such pistol or revolver and the other, together with the original application, shall be retained by such vendor for at least six years] THE PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION SELLING SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER OR MAKING DELIVERY OR TRANSFER THEREOF SHALL GIVE ONE COPY OF THE RECEIPT TO THE PERSON MAKING THE PURCHASE OF SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER OR TO WHOM THE SAME IS DELIVERED OR TRANSFERRED, SHALL RETAIN ONE COPY OF THE RECEIPT FOR AT LEAST FIVE YEARS, AND SHALL SEND, BY FIRST CLASS MAIL, WITHIN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS OF SUCH SALE, DELIVERY OR OTHER TRANSFER, ONE COPY OF THE RECEIPT TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND ONE COPY OF THE RECEIPT TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE OR, WHERE THERE IS NO CHIEF OF POLICE, THE WARDEN OF THE BOROUGH OR THE FIRST SELECTMAN OF THE TOWN, AS THE CASE MAY BE, OF THE TOWN IN WHICH THE SALE, DELIVERY OR OTHER TRANSFER TOOK PLACE.

(e) The waiting period [herein] specified IN

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THIS SECTION during which A SALE, delivery OR OTHER TRANSFER may not be made shall not apply to the holder of a valid state permit to carry pistols and revolvers [, nor] ISSUED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, TO THE HOLDER OF A VALID PERMIT TO SELL AT RETAIL PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS ISSUED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (a) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, TO THE HOLDER OF A VALID ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR A PISTOL OR REVOLVER ISSUED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY PURSUANT TO SECTION 7 OF THIS ACT, OR to any federal marshal, sheriff, parole officer or peace officer. PRIOR TO THE SALE, DELIVERY OR OTHER TRANSFER OF A PISTOL OR REVOLVER TO THE HOLDER OF SUCH PERMIT OR CERTIFICATE, SUCH PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION SHALL VERIFY WITH THE ISSUING AUTHORITY THAT SUCH PERMIT OR CERTIFICATE IS STILL VALID AND HAS NOT BEEN SUSPENDED OR REVOKED.

(f) The provisions of this section shall not apply to antique pistols or revolvers. An antique pistol or revolver, for the purposes of this section, means any pistol or revolver which was manufactured in or before 1898 and any replica of such pistol or revolver provided such replica is not designed or redesigned for using rimfire or conventional centerfire fixed ammunition except rimfire or conventional centerfire fixed ammunition which is no longer manufactured in the United States and not readily available in the ordinary channel of commercial trade.

(g) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE SALE, DELIVERY OR TRANSFER OF PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS BETWEEN (1) A FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM MANUFACTURER AND A FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM DEALER, (2) A FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM IMPORTER AND A FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM DEALER, OR (3) FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM DEALERS.

(h) IF THE COURT FINDS THAT A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION IS NOT OF A SERIOUS NATURE AND THAT THE PERSON CHARGED WITH SUCH VIOLATION (1) WILL PROBABLY NOT OFFEND IN THE FUTURE, (2) HAS NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN CONVICTED OF A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION, AND (3) HAS NOT PREVIOUSLY HAD A PROSECUTION UNDER THIS SECTION SUSPENDED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION, IT MAY ORDER SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION. THE COURT SHALL NOT ORDER SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION UNLESS THE ACCUSED PERSON HAS ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE UNDERSTANDS THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION. ANY PERSON FOR WHOM PROSECUTION IS SUSPENDED SHALL AGREE TO THE TOLLING OF ANY STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS WITH RESPECT TO SUCH VIOLATION AND TO A WAIVER OF HIS RIGHT TO A SPEEDY TRIAL. SUCH PERSON SHALL APPEAR IN COURT AND SHALL BE RELEASED TO THE CUSTODY OF THE OFFICE OF ADULT PROBATION FOR SUCH PERIOD, NOT EXCEEDING TWO YEARS, AND UNDER SUCH CONDITIONS AS THE COURT SHALL ORDER. IF THE PERSON REFUSES TO ACCEPT, OR,

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HAVING ACCEPTED, VIOLATES SUCH CONDITIONS. THE COURT SHALL TERMINATE THE SUSPENSION OF PROSECUTION AND THE CASE SHALL BE BROUGHT TO TRIAL. IF SUCH PERSON SATISFACTORILY COMPLETES HIS PERIOD OF PROBATION, HE MAY APPLY FOR DISMISSAL OF THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM AND THE COURT, ON FINDING SUCH SATISFACTORY COMPLETION, SHALL DISMISS SUCH CHARGES. IF THE PERSON DOES NOT APPLY FOR DISMISSAL OF THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM AFTER SATISFACTORILY COMPLETING HIS PERIOD OF PROBATION, THE COURT, UPON RECEIPT OF A REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE OFFICE OF ADULT PROBATION THAT THE PERSON SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED HIS PERIOD OF PROBATION, MAY ON ITS OWN MOTION MAKE A FINDING OF SUCH SATISFACTORY COMPLETION AND DISMISS SUCH CHARGES. UPON DISMISSAL, ALL RECORDS OF SUCH CHARGES SHALL BE ERASED PURSUANT TO SECTION 54-142a. AN ORDER OF THE COURT DENYING A MOTION TO DISMISS THE CHARGES AGAINST A PERSON WHO HAS COMPLETED HIS PERIOD OF PROBATION OR TERMINATING THE PARTICIPATION OF A DEFENDANT IN SUCH PROGRAM SHALL BE A FINAL JUDGMENT FOR PURPOSES OF APPEAL.

(i) ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE GUILTY OF A CLASS D FELONY, EXCEPT THAT ANY PERSON WHO SELLS, DELIVERS OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERS A PISTOL OR REVOLVER IN VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, KNOWING THAT SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER IS STOLEN OR THAT THE MANUFACTURER'S NUMBER OR OTHER MARK OF IDENTIFICATION ON SUCH PISTOL OR REVOLVER HAS BEEN ALTERED, REMOVED OR OBLITERATED, SHALL BE GUILTY OF A CLASS B FELONY, AND ANY PISTOL OR REVOLVER FOUND IN THE POSSESSION OF ANY PERSON IN VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE FORFEITED.

Sec. 2. Section 29-34 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

No person shall make any false statement or give any false information connected with any purchase, sale, [or] delivery OR OTHER TRANSFER of any pistol or revolver. [, and no] NO person shall sell, barter, hire, lend, give, [or] deliver OR OTHERWISE TRANSFER to any [minor] PERSON under the age of [eighteen] TWENTY-ONE years any pistol or revolver, EXCEPT THAT A PISTOL OR REVOLVER MAY BE TEMPORARILY TRANSFERRED TO ANY PERSON ONLY FOR THE USE BY SUCH PERSON IN TARGET SHOOTING OR ON A FIRING OR SHOOTING RANGE, PROVIDED SUCH USE IS OTHERWISE PERMITTED BY LAW AND IS UNDER THE IMMEDIATE SUPERVISION OF A PERSON ELIGIBLE TO POSSESS A PISTOL OR REVOLVER.

Sec. 3. (NEW) (a) A person is guilty of criminal possession of a pistol or revolver when he possesses a pistol or revolver, as defined in section 29-27 of the general statutes, as amended by section 14 of this act, and (1) has been convicted of a felony or of a violation of subsection (c) of section 21a-279, section 53a-58, 53a-61, 53a-61a, 53a-62, 53a-63, 53a-96, 53a-175,

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53a-176, 53a-178 or 53a-181d of the general statutes, (2) has been discharged from custody within the preceding twenty years after having been found not guilty of a crime by reason of mental disease or defect pursuant to section 53a-13 of the general statutes, (3) has been confined in a hospital for mental illness, as defined in section 17a-495 of the general statutes, within the preceding twelve months by order of a probate court, (4) knows that he is subject to a restraining or protective order issued by a court, after notice and an opportunity to be heard has been provided to such person, in a case involving the use, attempted use or threatened use of physical force against another person or (5) is an alien illegally or unlawfully in the United States. For the purposes of this section, "convicted" means having a judgment of conviction entered by a court of competent jurisdiction.

(b) Criminal possession of a pistol or revolver is a class D felony.

Sec. 4. Section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(a) No person WHO SELLS TEN OR MORE PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS IN A CALENDAR YEAR OR IS A FEDERALLY-LICENSED FIREARM DEALER shall advertise, sell, deliver, or offer or expose for sale or delivery, or have in his possession with intent to sell or deliver, any pistol or revolver at retail without having a permit therefor issued as hereinafter provided. The chief of police or, where there is no chief of police, the warden of the borough or the first selectman of the town, as the case may be, may, upon the application of any person, issue a permit in such form as may be prescribed by the commissioner of public safety for the sale at retail of pistols and revolvers within the jurisdiction of the authority issuing such permit. No permit for the sale at retail of any pistol or revolver shall be issued unless THE APPLICANT HOLDS A VALID ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR A PISTOL OR REVOLVER ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 7 OF THIS ACT OR A VALID PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER ISSUED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (b) OF THIS SECTION AND the applicant submits documentation sufficient to establish that local zoning requirements have been met for the location where the sale is to take place except that any person selling or exchanging a pistol or revolver for the enhancement of a personal collection or for a hobby or who sells all or part of his personal collection of pistols or revolvers shall not be required to submit such documentation for the location where the sale or exchange is to take place.

(b) Upon the application of any person having a bona fide residence or place of business within

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the jurisdiction of any such authority or upon the application of any bona fide resident of the United States having a permit or license to carry any firearm issued by the authority of any state or subdivision of the United States, such chief of police, warden or selectman may issue a permit to such person to carry a pistol or revolver within the jurisdiction of the authority issuing the same, provided such authority shall find that such applicant intends to make no use of any pistol or revolver which he may be permitted to carry thereunder other than a lawful use and that such person is a suitable person to receive such permit. NO PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER SHALL BE ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION IF THE APPLICANT (1) HAS FAILED TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE A COURSE APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC SAFETY IN THE SAFETY AND USE OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, A SAFETY OR TRAINING COURSE IN THE USE OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC OFFERED BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, A PRIVATE OR PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION OR A FIREARMS TRAINING SCHOOL, UTILIZING INSTRUCTORS CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND A SAFETY OR TRAINING COURSE IN THE USE OF PISTOLS OR REVOLVERS CONDUCTED BY AN INSTRUCTOR CERTIFIED BY THE STATE OR THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION, (2) HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR OF A VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (c) OF SECTION 21a-279, SECTION 53a-58, 53a-61, 53a-61a, 53a-62, 53a-63, 53a-96, 53a-175, 53a-176, 53a-178 OR 53a-181d, (3) HAS BEEN DISCHARGED FROM CUSTODY WITHIN THE PRECEDING TWENTY YEARS AFTER HAVING BEEN FOUND NOT GUILTY OF A CRIME BY REASON OF MENTAL DISEASE OR DEFECT PURSUANT TO SECTION 53a-13, (4) HAS BEEN CONFINED IN A HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL ILLNESS, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 17a-495, WITHIN THE PRECEDING TWELVE MONTHS BY ORDER OF A PROBATE COURT, (5) IS SUBJECT TO A RESTRAINING OR PROTECTIVE ORDER ISSUED BY A COURT IN A CASE INVOLVING THE USE, ATTEMPTED USE OR THREATENED USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE AGAINST ANOTHER PERSON OR (6) IS AN ALIEN ILLEGALLY OR UNLAWFULLY IN THE UNITED STATES. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL REQUIRE ANY PERSON WHO HOLDS A VALID PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY ADDITIONAL TRAINING IN THE SAFETY AND USE OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS. Said commissioner may, upon application, issue, to any holder of any such permit, a permit to carry a pistol or revolver within the state. Each permit to carry any pistol or revolver shall be issued in triplicate and one of the copies issued by said commissioner shall be delivered to the person to whom issued, one shall be delivered forthwith to the authority issuing the local permit and one shall be retained by said commissioner, and the local authority issuing any such permit shall forthwith deliver one of such

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copies to the person to whom issued and one copy to said commissioner and shall retain one of such copies. The copy of the state permit delivered to the permittee shall be laminated and shall contain a full-face photograph of such permittee. [No permit for carrying a pistol or revolver shall be issued to an alien under the provisions of this subsection.] A PERSON HOLDING A PERMIT ISSUED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION SHALL NOTIFY THE ISSUING AUTHORITY WITHIN TWO BUSINESS DAYS OF ANY CHANGE OF HIS ADDRESS. THE NOTIFICATION SHALL INCLUDE HIS OLD ADDRESS AND HIS NEW ADDRESS.

[(b)] (c) No issuing authority may require any sworn member of the department of public safety or an organized local police department to furnish his residence address in a permit application. The issuing authority shall allow each such sworn member who has a permit to carry a pistol or revolver on May 26, 1992, issued by such authority, to revise his application to include his business or post office address in lieu of his residence address. The issuing authority shall notify each such member of his right to revise such application.

(d) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 1-19 AND 1-19a, THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF A PERSON ISSUED A PERMIT TO SELL AT RETAIL PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (a) OF THIS SECTION OR A PERMIT TO CARRY PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (b) OF THIS SECTION, SHALL BE CONFIDENTIAL AND SHALL NOT BE DISCLOSED, EXCEPT (1) SUCH INFORMATION MAY BE DISCLOSED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS ACTING IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES AND (2) AN ISSUING AUTHORITY MAY DISCLOSE SUCH INFORMATION TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH A REQUEST MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION 29-33, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF THIS ACT, FOR VERIFICATION THAT SUCH PERMIT IS STILL VALID AND HAS NOT BEEN SUSPENDED OR REVOKED.

Sec. 5. Subsection (a) of section 29-30 of the general statutes, as amended by section 2 of public act 93-172, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(a) The fee for each permit originally issued under the provisions of SUBSECTION (a) OF section 29-28, [whether for the sale at retail of pistols and revolvers or for the carrying of pistols and revolvers, shall be thirty-five dollars and for each renewal thereof thirty-five dollars, which] AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, FOR THE SALE AT RETAIL OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS SHALL BE ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND FOR EACH RENEWAL THEREOF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS. THE FEE FOR EACH PERMIT ORIGINALLY ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, FOR THE CARRYING OF PISTOLS AND REVOLVERS SHALL BE THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS AND FOR EACH RENEWAL THEREOF THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS. SUCH fees shall be paid to the authority issuing the

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same and by him to the municipality wherein issued or the state, as the case may be. Upon deposit of such fees in the general fund, ten dollars of each fee shall be credited WITHIN THIRTY DAYS to the appropriation to the department of public safety [for the purpose of photographing the permittee and laminating state permits for the carrying of pistols and revolvers issued under the provisions of subsection (a) of section 29-28, as amended by section 1 of this act] TO A SEPARATE NONLAPSGING ACCOUNT FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS UNDER SUBSECTIONS (a) AND (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT.

Sec. 6. Section 29-32 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

Any permit for the carrying of any pistol or revolver may be revoked by the authority issuing the same for cause and shall be revoked by the authority issuing the same upon conviction of the holder of such permit of a felony OR OF ANY MISDEMEANOR SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, OR UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF ANY EVENT WHICH WOULD HAVE DISQUALIFIED THE HOLDER FROM BEING ISSUED THE PERMIT PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (b) OF SECTION 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT. For the purposes of this section, "conviction" means the entry of a judgment of conviction by any court of competent jurisdiction. Upon the revocation of any permit, the person whose permit is revoked shall be notified in writing and such permit shall be forthwith delivered to the authority issuing the same. Upon the revocation of any local permit, the authority issuing the same shall forthwith notify the commissioner of public safety and, upon the revocation of any permit issued by said commissioner, he shall forthwith notify the authority issuing such local permit, if any, which the records of said commissioner show as having issued a currently valid permit to the holder of the revoked state permit. Any person who fails to surrender such permit within five days of notification in writing of revocation thereof shall be guilty of a class C misdemeanor.

Sec. 7. (NEW) (a) Any person who is twenty-one years of age or older may apply to the commissioner of public safety for an eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver.

(b) The commissioner of public safety shall issue an eligibility certificate unless he finds that the applicant:

(1) Has failed to successfully complete a course approved by the commissioner of public safety in the safety and use of pistols and revolvers including, but not limited to, a safety or training course in the use of pistols and revolvers available to the public offered by a law enforcement agency, a private or public

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educational institution or a firearms training school, utilizing instructors certified by the National Rifle Association or the department of environmental protection and a safety or training course in the use of pistols or revolvers conducted by an instructor certified by the state or the National Rifle Association;

(2) Has been convicted of a felony or of a violation of subsection (c) of section 21a-279, section 53a-58, 53a-61, 53a-61a, 53a-62, 53a-63, 53a-96, 53a-175, 53a-176, 53a-178 or 53a-181d of the general statutes;

(3) Has been discharged from custody within the preceding twenty years after having been found not guilty of a crime by reason of mental disease or defect pursuant to section 53a-13 of the general statutes;

(4) Has been confined in a hospital for mental illness, as defined in section 17a-495 of the general statutes, within the preceding twelve months by order of a probate court;

(5) Is subject to a restraining or protective order issued by a court in a case involving the use, attempted use or threatened use of physical force against another person; or

(6) Is an alien illegally or unlawfully in the United States.

Sec. 8. (NEW) (a) Requests for eligibility certificates under section 7 of this act shall be submitted to the commissioner of public safety on application forms prescribed by the commissioner. No eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver shall be issued under the provisions of section 7 of this act unless the applicant for the same gives to the commissioner of public safety, upon his request, full information concerning the applicant's criminal record and relevant information concerning the applicant's mental health history, and the commissioner shall thereupon take a full description and the fingerprints of such applicant. The commissioner shall record the date the fingerprints were taken in the applicant's file and shall forward such fingerprints to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history records check and to the state police bureau of identification for a state criminal history records check. The commissioner shall, within sixty days of receipt of the national criminal history records check from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, either approve the application and issue the eligibility certificate or deny the application and notify the applicant of the reason for such denial in writing.

(b) With respect to any application for an eligibility certificate filed with the commissioner of public safety on or before July 1, 1995, the commissioner shall, not later than October 1, 1995, (1) approve the application and issue the eligibility certificate, (2) issue a

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temporary eligibility certificate or (3) deny the application and notify the applicant of the reason for such denial in writing. With respect to any application for an eligibility certificate filed with the commissioner of public safety after July 1, 1995, the commissioner shall, within ninety days, (1) approve the application and issue the eligibility certificate, (2) issue a temporary eligibility certificate or (3) deny the application and notify the applicant of the reason for such denial in writing. A temporary certificate issued under this subsection shall be valid until such time as the commissioner either approves or denies the application.

(c) An eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver shall be of such form and content as the commissioner may prescribe, shall be signed by the certificate holder and shall contain an identification number, the name, address, place and date of birth, height, weight and eye color of the certificate holder and a full-face photograph of the certificate holder.

(d) A person holding an eligibility certificate issued by the commissioner shall notify the commissioner within two business days of any change of his address. The notification shall include his old address and his new address.

(e) Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 1-19 and 1-19a of the general statutes, the name and address of a person issued an eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver under the provisions of section 7 of this act shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed, except (1) such information may be disclosed to law enforcement officials acting in the performance of their duties and (2) the commissioner of public safety may disclose such information to the extent necessary to comply with a request made pursuant to section 29-33 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of this act, for verification that such certificate is still valid and has not been suspended or revoked.

(f) An eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver shall not authorize the holder thereof to carry a pistol or revolver upon his person in circumstances for which a permit to carry a pistol or revolver issued pursuant to subsection (b) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, is required under section 29-35 of the general statutes.

Sec. 9. (NEW) (a) The fee for each eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver originally issued under the provisions of section 7 of this act shall be thirty-five dollars and for each renewal thereof thirty-five dollars, which fees shall be paid to the commissioner of public safety. Upon deposit of such fees in the general fund, the fees shall be credited to the appropriation to the department of public safety

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to a separate nonlapsing account for the purposes of the issuance of eligibility certificates under section 7 of this act.

(b) An eligibility certificate originally issued under the provisions of section 7 of this act, shall expire five years after the date it becomes effective and each renewal thereof shall expire five years after the expiration date of the certificate being renewed.

(c) The renewal fee shall apply for each renewal which is requested not earlier than thirty-one days before, and not later than thirty-one days after, the expiration date of the certificate being renewed.

(d) No fee or portion thereof paid under the provisions of this section for issuance or renewal of an eligibility certificate shall be refundable except if the eligibility certificate for which the fee or portion thereof was paid was not issued or renewed.

(e) The commissioner of public safety shall send a notice of the expiration of an eligibility certificate issued pursuant to section 7 of this act, to the holder of such certificate, by first class mail, at the address of such person as shown by the records of the commissioner, not less than ninety days before such expiration, and shall enclose therein a form for the renewal of said certificate. An eligibility certificate issued pursuant to section 7 of this act, shall be valid for a period of ninety days from the expiration date, except this provision shall not apply to any certificate which has been revoked or for which revocation is pending, pursuant to section 10 of this act.

Sec. 10. (NEW) (a) Any eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver shall be revoked by the commissioner of public safety upon the occurrence of any event which would have disqualified the holder from being issued the certificate pursuant to section 7 of this act.

(b) Upon the revocation of any eligibility certificate, the person whose eligibility certificate is revoked shall be notified in writing and such certificate shall be forthwith delivered to the commissioner of public safety. Any person who fails to surrender such certificate within five days of notification in writing of revocation thereof shall be guilty of a class C misdemeanor.

Sec. 11. Subsection (b) of section 29-32b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(b) Any person aggrieved by any refusal to issue or renew a permit OR CERTIFICATE under the provisions of section 29-28 or 53-206 OR SECTION 7 OF THIS ACT, or by any limitation or revocation of a permit OR CERTIFICATE issued under [either] ANY of said sections, or by a refusal or failure or any issuing authority to furnish an application as

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provided in section 29-28a or section 53-206a, may, within ninety days after receipt of notice of such refusal, limitation or revocation, or refusal or failure to supply an application as provided in section 29-28a or section 53-206a, and without prejudice to any other course of action open to him in law or in equity, appeal to the board. On such appeal the board shall inquire into and determine the facts, de novo, and unless it finds that such a refusal, limitation or revocation, or such refusal or failure to supply an application, as the case may be, would be for just and proper cause, it shall order such permit OR CERTIFICATE to be issued, renewed or restored, or the limitation removed or modified, as the case may be. If the refusal was for failure to document compliance with local zoning requirements, under SUBSECTION (a) OF section 29-28, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC ACT 93-172 AND SECTION 4 OF THIS ACT, the board shall not issue a permit.

Sec. 12. (NEW) (a) On and after October 1, 1995, no person may purchase or receive any pistol or revolver unless such person holds a valid permit to carry a pistol or revolver issued pursuant to subsection (b) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, a valid permit to sell at retail a pistol or revolver issued pursuant to subsection (a) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, or a valid eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver issued pursuant to section 7 of this act or is a federal marshal, sheriff, parole officer or peace officer.

(b) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the purchase or receipt of antique pistols or revolvers. An antique pistol or revolver, for the purposes of this section, means any pistol or revolver which was manufactured in or before 1898 and any replica of such pistol or revolver provided such replica is not designed or redesigned for using rimfire or conventional centerfire fixed ammunition except rimfire or conventional centerfire fixed ammunition which is no longer manufactured in the United States and not readily available in the ordinary channel of commercial trade.

Sec. 13. (NEW) (a) Not later than two business days after the occurrence of any event that makes a person ineligible to possess a pistol or revolver, such person shall (1) transfer in accordance with section 29-33 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of this act, all pistols and revolvers which he then possesses to any person eligible to possess a pistol or revolver or (2) deliver or surrender such pistols and revolvers to the commissioner of public safety. The commissioner shall exercise due care in the receipt and holding of such pistols and

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revolvers.

(b) Such person, or his legal representative, may, at any time up to one year after such delivery or surrender, transfer such pistols and revolvers in accordance with the provisions of section 29-33 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of this act, to any person eligible to possess a pistol or revolver. Upon notification in writing by the transferee and such person, the commissioner of public safety shall within ten days deliver such pistols and revolvers to the transferee. If, at the end of such year, such pistols and revolvers have not been so transferred, the commissioner shall cause them to be destroyed.

(c) Any person who fails to transfer or surrender any such pistols and revolvers as provided in this section shall be subject to the penalty provided for in section 3 of this act.

Sec. 14. Section 29-27 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

The term "pistol" and the term "revolver", as used in sections 29-28 to 29-38, inclusive, AND SECTIONS 7 TO 10, INCLUSIVE, 12 AND 13 OF THIS ACT, mean any firearm having a barrel less than twelve inches in length.

Sec. 15. Subsection (a) of section 29-37 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(a) Any person violating any provision of section 29-36 shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years or both, and any person violating any provision of section 29-28, 29-31 [, 29-33] or 29-34 shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than three years or both, and any pistol or revolver found in the possession of any person in violation of any of said provisions shall be forfeited.

Sec. 16. (NEW) (a) The commissioner of public safety shall establish a state data base within one year of the effective date of this act that any person, firm or corporation who sells or otherwise transfers pistols or revolvers may access, by telephone or other electronic means in addition to the telephone, for information to be supplied immediately, on whether a permit to carry a pistol or revolver, issued pursuant to subsection (b) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, a permit to sell at retail a pistol or revolver, issued pursuant to subsection (a) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, or an eligibility certificate for a pistol or revolver, issued pursuant to section 7 of this act, is valid and has not been revoked or suspended.

(b) Upon establishment of the data base, the

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commissioner shall notify each person, firm or corporation holding a permit to sell at retail pistols or revolvers issued pursuant to subsection (a) of section 29-28 of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 93-172 and section 4 of this act, of the existence and purpose of the system and the means to be used to access the data base.

Sec. 17. (NEW) The commissioner of public safety shall adopt regulations in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 18. (NEW) Any firearm, ammunition or deadly weapon owned by the department of correction shall only be stored in a secure location on the grounds of a correctional facility with a security rating of level three or higher.

Sec. 19. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 4 of public act 93-306 are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

(a) Any person who lawfully possesses an assault weapon, as defined in section 1 of [this act] PUBLIC ACT 93-306, prior to October 1, 1993, shall apply by [July] OCTOBER 1, 1994, OR, IF SUCH PERSON IS A MEMBER OF THE MILITARY OR NAVAL FORCES OF THIS STATE OR OF THE UNITED STATES AND IS UNABLE TO APPLY BY OCTOBER 1, 1994, BECAUSE HE OR SHE IS OR WAS ON OFFICIAL DUTY OUTSIDE OF THIS STATE, SHALL APPLY WITHIN NINETY DAYS OF RETURNING TO THE STATE to the department of public safety, for a certificate of possession with respect to such assault weapon. The certificate shall contain a description of the firearm that identifies it uniquely, including all identification marks, the full name, address, date of birth and thumbprint of the owner, and any other information as the department may deem appropriate. The department shall adopt regulations in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 not later than January 1, 1994, to establish procedures with respect to the application for and issuance of certificates of possession pursuant to this section. Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 1-19 and 1-19a, the name and address of a person issued a certificate of possession shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed, except such records may be disclosed to law enforcement agencies.

(b) No assault weapon possessed pursuant to this section may be sold or transferred on or after January 1, 1994, to any person within this state other than to a licensed gun dealer, as defined in subsection (d) of section 6 of [this act] PUBLIC ACT 93-306, or as provided in section 5 of [this act] PUBLIC ACT 93-306, or by bequest or intestate succession. Any person who obtains title to an assault weapon for which a certificate of possession has been issued under this section by bequest or intestate succession shall, within ninety days of obtaining title, apply to the department of public safety for a certificate of

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possession as provided in subsection (a) of this section, render the weapon permanently inoperable, sell the weapon to a licensed gun dealer or remove the weapon from the state. Any person who moves into the state in lawful possession of an assault weapon, shall, within ninety days, either render the weapon permanently inoperable, sell the weapon to a licensed gun dealer or remove the weapon from this state, EXCEPT ANY PERSON WHO IS A MEMBER OF THE MILITARY OR NAVAL FORCES OF THIS STATE OR OF THE UNITED STATES, IS IN LAWFUL POSSESSION OF AN ASSAULT WEAPON AND HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED INTO THE STATE AFTER OCTOBER 1, 1994, MAY, WITHIN NINETY DAYS OF ARRIVING IN THE STATE, APPLY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF POSSESSION WITH RESPECT TO SUCH ASSAULT WEAPON.

Sec. 20. This act shall take effect from its passage, except that sections 1 to 18, inclusive, shall take effect October 1, 1994.

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BODY:

Photo IDs required now

Last week, the Daily Herald reported that Clinton "seeks photo IDs for handgun purchases."

This is just another example of the lies being repeated by manipulative politicians with hidden agendas. Everything Clinton and Gore say they are seeking is already federal law administered by state police.

Photo ID registration (FOID) cards have been required since 1968. The card looks similar to a driver's license, has a recent photo, and is not automatically renewed but requires periodic reregistration that includes a new background check each time.

Since 1968, anyone purchasing a handgun or a long gun or ammunition must show his FOID card so the purchase can be registered; dealers are required to keep a file of all transactions.

When a gun (hand or long) is purchased, the "instant background waiting period" investigation is based on the FOID registration number.

Even in the situation of a "private party sale" FOID records must be kept - if a father gives his heirloom pistol to his son, the transaction must be recorded.

Shouldn't a newspaper's responsibility to the truth include not only an accurate reporting of what someone has said but also informing its readers of the actual facts when totally erroneous statements are made?

Arthur Mate

Arlington Heights

Cowardly cartoon

I wish to express my disappointment with the Jan. 30 Pat Oliphant caricature of the current anti-missile system now under testing.

It is one thing to criticize through caricature, but to picture the military personnel involved as pigs is really low.



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It is cowardly and, to me, betrays a deep-seated hatred of our armed forces.

I think the newspaper space now reserved for what are basically cheap-shot political cartoons would be better utilized with written opinions either from readers or other editorialists.

Joe Ponko

Elk Grove Village

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Chicago Daily Herald

December 15, 1999, Wednesday, Lake, Fox Valley

SECTION: News; Pg. 10

LENGTH: 514 words

HEADLINE: Legislators fail again to pass new gun law

BYLINE: Don Thompson Daily Herald State Government Writer

BODY:

SPRINGFIELD - Senate Republicans moved to provide themselves with political cover Tuesday night, advancing a concealed weapons bill that has little chance of becoming law.

More promising, Attorney General Jim Ryan and a task force will begin reviewing compromises today that could meet the requirements of Gov. George Ryan and Chicago Mayor Richard Daley.

Senate Republicans wanted to have their alternative in place in case today's negotiations go nowhere, as they have the past two days. The saber-rattling grew out of their frustration at proposing at least five options that so far have failed to gain support, said spokeswoman Patty Schuh. "We have a bill ready to move," she said. "It sends a clear signal we are ready to go."

But senators deliberately used a bill that isn't allowed under the terms of the special legislative session called by Gov. Ryan to re-enact the Safe Neighborhoods Act struck down on technical grounds by the Illinois Supreme Court.

The GOP bill passed out of a Senate committee Tuesday night would reinstate the crime-fighting law - with the exception that first-time possession of an illegal weapon would be a misdemeanor instead of a felony if the violator had a **firearm owners' identification card**.

"We're worried about the good guys, the guy who never violated the law in his life," said Senate President James "Pate" Philip of Wood Dale.

But Ryan said he would veto such a bill, even if it were approved by the Democrat-controlled House.

"It was all just show, really, because he (Philip) knows full well the bill cannot go anywhere," said Senate Democratic Leader Emil Jones of Chicago.

Opponents also disputed the bill on its merits.

"We're going to turn this I.D. card into a get-out-of-jail-free card," said state Sen. Robert Molaro, a Democrat from Chicago.



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"It's more difficult to get a driver's license in the state of Illinois than it is to get a **firearm owners' identification card**," said Thomas Needham, attorney for Daley and the Chicago Police Department.

Earlier in the day, Philip offered variations on a proposal that would keep a first-time offense a felony, as Ryan demands, but let first-time offenders who have a valid **firearm owners' identification card** have their felony records erased if they complete a period of probation.

House GOP Leader Lee Daniels of Elmhurst on Tuesday alternately suggested that prosecutors be given the option of reducing a first-time offense to a misdemeanor if there are extenuating circumstances.

The attorney general's task force will consider all proposals today and make recommendations on what might be acceptable. Meanwhile, Daley held a news conference in Chicago to continue his lobbying for the original felony provision.

"The mayor wants to compromise, or ... certainly wants to get this law back on the books, as I do," Republican Gov. Ryan said of Democrat Daley. "We're willing to listen to whatever the proposals are, because as you know we've now been here two days and have not made a lot of headway. So we'll see what tomorrow brings."

GRAPHIC: Jim Ryan, George Ryan, James 'Pate' Philip

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BODY:

QUESTION: I sent for my **FOID** (**Firearm Owner's Identification**) card five weeks ago and have not received it. Why is it taking so long?

Tom, south suburbs

ANSWER: It's called backlog. With hunting seasons starting, this is the busiest time of year for **FOID** cards. Many applications also were received at the Illinois State Fair in mid-August.

It is taking at least four weeks to process applications at this point. The Illinois State Police process the applications and it takes time and people to run background checks.

Except for a couple of exemptions, a **FOID** card is required to have a firearm or ammunition in your possession.

For **FOID** information, call (217) 782-7980.

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BODY:

A compilation of DuPage County Circuit Court proceedings of Aug. 13-19.

Felonies

- Nicholas J. Amelio, 22, 980 Tioga Court, Carol Stream. Possession of controlled substance: guilty; 24 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 780.
- Mark C. Ballard, 39, 5712 Bedford Court, Hanover Park. Theft: case dropped.
- Jennifer M. Cheek, 30, 830 W. Agatite, Chicago. Possession of 30-500 grams of marijuana: guilty; 52 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 780. - Patrick R. Clark, 21, 710 W. Roy Drive, Villa Park. Obstructing justice: guilty; 72 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 275.
- Christopher R. Connors, 21, 1916 Richton Drive, Wheaton. Retail theft: case dropped.
- Christopher G. Cordova, 29, 15 Olympus Drive, Naperville. Obstructing justice: guilty; 210 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 365.
- Nicole M. Domine, 18, 4511 Pond Circle, Plainfield. Retail theft: case dropped.
- Linda T. Douglas, 37, 1269 Prestwick Lane, Itasca. Possession of controlled substance: guilty; 30 days periodic imprisonment.
- Jose A. Gonzalez, 30, 2708 W. Haddon, Chicago. Retail theft: guilty; 42 months in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 215. Aggravated fleeing or attempting to elude police officer: case dropped.
- Denise A. Goodhart, 29, 133 N. Julian, Naperville. Forgery: guilty; 364 days periodic imprisonment, court costs/fines, \$ 215. Issue or deliver forged document: case dropped. Unlawful aquisition of controlled substance: case dropped.
- Linda L. Haskell, 34, 124 2nd St., Downers Grove. Forgery: case dropped. Possession of fictitious or altered drivers license with intent to defraud: case dropped. Issue or deliver forged document: case dropped. Possession of or display any fictitious or unlawfully altered ID card: guilty; 1 year in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 215.



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- Lisa F. Hudson, 20, 509 W. St. Charles Road, Elmhurst. Manufacture or deliver more than 30-500 grams of marijuana: guilty; 5 years in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 715.

- Nickolas G. Iacobellis, 21, 501 Princeton Ave., Itasca. Weapons-firearm in vehicle or concealed: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 140.

- Oscar M. Jimenez, 22, 9626 W. Addison St., Franklin Park. Weapons-firearm in vehicle or concealed: case dropped.

- Marcus A. Jones, 21, 328 S. Homan, Chicago. Use account number, enter information on charge form, possession of charge record with intent to defraud: guilty; 12 months in jail.

Misdemeanors

- Melissa L. Adamson, 18, 4503 Sterling, Downers Grove. Obstructing justice: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge.

- Pedro S. Aguilar, 25, 1225 Kings Cross, West Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 14 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Jevonie A. Akins, 40, 218 S. Myrtle, Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Vincente M. Alanis, 38, 1485 Canford Cliffs, Mount Prospect. No valid commercial drivers license: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 75.

- Darren T. Allen, 39, 1 Four Seasons Court, Elmhurst. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 10 days periodic imprisonment, court costs/fines, \$ 145.

- Frank P. Amelio, 19, 506 Fenton, Romeoville. Driving with any amount of alcohol, drug or intoxicating compound: case dropped.

- Nicholas J. Amelio, 22, 980 Tioga Court, Carol Stream. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped.

- Dickson K. Amoah, 19, 545 E. Thornhill Drive, Carol Stream. Domestic battery: case dropped. Battery: case dropped.

- Bruce O. Anderson, 19, 4311 Ivanhoe, Lisle. Possession of 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370.

- Lanekia M. Anderson, 22, 11620 S. Yale, Chicago. Obstructing justice: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 221. Retail theft: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 140.

- Thomas R. Anderson, 34, 182 Gladstone, Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Christopher J. Baladan, 19, 8655 W. Lynwood, Hickory Hills. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.



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- Christopher J. Banakis, 18, 50 W. Elm St., Roselle. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 120.
- Nicholas A. Barnett, 19, 345 Ruby, Clarendon Hills. Obstructing justice: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 482. Unlawful use of license or permit-use anothers: case dropped.
- Daniel J. Barrett, 19, 228 S. Oak St., Westmont. Criminal defacement of property: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130. Mob action: case dropped.
- Fabrisio E. Barrezueta, 25, 2016 N. Sawyer Ave., Chicago. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.
- Cheryl D. Bates, 29, 3796 W. 176th St., Country Club Hills. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 1,000.
- Jenny A. Bayser, 28, 1541 Westminister Drive, Naperville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Christopher M. Behan, 20, 4136 RFD Three Lakes, Long Grove. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Charles E. Bell, 39, 1345 N. Hudson, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.
- Michael R. Benton, 19, 4127 Chesapeak, Aurora. Possession of 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 750.
- Michael R. Biancalana, 19, 4327 Atlantic Ave., Schiller Park. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 1,031. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370.
- Nicole R. Borner, 22, 2037 S. 7th Ave., Maywood. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- David M. Boylen, 39, 6125 Lane Place, Downers Grove. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 400.
- Jeannine L. Bozen, 42, 1395 W. Dory Circle, Hanover Park. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 245. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Joel L. Brackenridge, 30, 8801 S. Morgan, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Jennifer L. Brandt, 19, 790 Prospect Court, Bartlett. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Jeffrey S. Brown, 46, 1S571 Taylor Road, Glen Ellyn. Reckless driving: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 585.



- Jorge L. Bryand, 47, 1018 Hull Ave., Westchester. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Lee E. Buckley, 46, 28W427 Donald Ave., West Chicago. Domestic battery: case dropped. Interfering with the reporting of domestic violence: case dropped.

- Sidney R. Buffkin, 22, 1125 24th Avenue, Bellwood. Obstructing justice: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 245.

- Robert D. Bullock, 33, P.O. Box 6488, Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Jose L. Burgos, 22, 300 E. Ogden Ave., Westmont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Steven J. Busse, 39, 24547 W. Eames, Channahon. Reckless driving: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 325.

- Paul A. Cadena, 29, 720 86th Place, Downers Grove. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 200. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Annmarie K. Cairns, 30, 6635 21st St., Berwyn. Unlawful display of registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Mario R. Camey, 19, 4653 N. Hermitage, Chicago. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: case dropped.

- Keith J. Campanelli, 18, 2108 Primrose, Naperville. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: not guilty.

- Daniel M. Cantu, 19, 128 Delores, Oswego. Reckless driving: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Eugene P. Casale, 27, 415 Wesley, Oak Park. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; 7 days in jail.

- Alex J. Castaneda, 28, 2151 E. Morningside Lane, Carpentersville. No valid commercial drivers license: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 75.

- Lisa A. Chapman, 22, 10613 Quail Ridge, Naperville. Retail theft: case dropped.

- Adam W. Cholewiak, 20, 7438 Franklin St., Forest Park. Possession or consumption of alcohol by a minor: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130. False ID presented or possessed by minor: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Kadmiel A. Christmas, 25, 10232 S. Emerald, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.

- Tamara L. Clanton, 39, 529 Brookside, Westmont. Improper use of evidences



of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- David R. Clark, 143 Ann St., Clarendon Hills. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- Kenneth R. Clark, 26, 911 Lemorr Ave., Joliet. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 42 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 110.

- Russell G. Clark, Jr., 18, 524 Rush Street, Roselle. Battery: case dropped. Criminal trespass to residence: case dropped.

- Mike G. Combs, 18, 558 Elite Ave., West Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Pablo G. Conchas, 30, 423 N. Harrison Ave., Aurora. No valid commercial drivers license: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Christopher R. Connors, 21, 1916 Richton Drive, Wheaton. Obstructing justice: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 832.

- Timothy W. Cooley, 27, 44 N. Golfview Court, Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 30 days in jail.

- Christopher C. Cordova, 26, 150 Olympus Drive, Naperville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 364 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Christopher G. Cordova, 29, 15 Olympus Drive, Naperville. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.

- Salvador G. Cortez, 22, 13800 S. Division, Blue Island. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.

- Minerva B. Cruz, 25, 119 Sonny Lane, Bensenville. Retail theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Jarrod N. Cupps, 19, 11S728 Robert Drive, Naperville. Display or possess cancelled, revoked or suspended license or permit: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Robert M. Czajkoski, 32, 11548 S. Knox, Alsip. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.

- Adam D. Dahlgren, 20, 144 Lawndale, Elmhurst. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Paul J. Damnjanovic, 24, 820 Yosemite Road, Roselle. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court supervision.

- Jeffrey J. Darr, 20, 515 Ranch Road, Wheaton. Possession or consumption of alcohol by a minor: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Alan J. Decarlo, 51, 501 W. Moreland, Addison. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.



- Julie L. Derango, 33, 18W239 Knollwood Lane, Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Noah V. Dickeson, 18, 2S681 Harvard Drive, Warrenville. Battery: case dropped.

- Anthony E. Dinatale, 35, 25237 W. Timber Lane, Lake Villa. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Brian D. Disharoon, 18, 26 S. Fremont, Naperville. Theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 230.

- Brandon V. Duniec, 17, 663 N. Kramer, Lombard. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 1,031.

- Helen C. Eichman, 26, 521 Willow Glen, Addison. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 300.

- Ahmed A. Elhadary, 50, 8501 N. Terrace, Niles. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- John D. Ewasiuk, 19, 6117 Belmont Road, Downers Grove. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Jacqueline R. Fentry, 36, 644 N. Long, Chicago. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Matthew D. Ferro, 24, 142 W. Hazel St., West Chicago. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Mark W. Fildew, 19, 21W549 N. Ave., Lombard. Retail theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 296.

- John W. Fitzpatrick, 22, 15 St. George Drive, Bourbonnais. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Ryan C. Flanagan, 18, 5509 E. Lake Drive, Lisle. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 135.

- Aaron W. Foote, 18, 811 Town Road, West Chicago. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 750. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 380.

- Joe T. Francis, 21, 10N631 Williamsburg, Elgin. Reckless driving: guilty; 6 days in jail. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 6 days in jail. Weapons-possess knife or club with intent to use: guilty; 6 days in jail.

- Daniel L. Freeman, 17, 3510 Oak Dale, Johnsburg. Domestic battery: case dropped.

- Don F. Fuller, 40, 150 N. Lotus, Chicago. Driving with cancelled, suspended



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or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- Marian P. Gal, 43, 808 State St., Lemont. Retail theft: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 205.

- Deandre A. Gales, 23, 1121 Cedar, Glendale Heights. Retail theft: guilty; 14 days in jail.

- Ryan C. Galli, 18, 4740 Linscott Ave., Downers Grove. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 750.

- Maria J. Gamboa, 18, 3260 Hopewell Drive, Aurora. Leaving scene of accident involving damage to attended vehicle: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Andres S. Garcia, 31, 521 Carriage, West Chicago. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Roberto J. Garcia, 26, 336 N. Illinois, Villa Park. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Possession of 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: case dropped.

- Craig S. Garrett, 29, 2909 N. Dawson, Chicago. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Maria A. Gatto, 17, 17W335 Belmont, Bensenville. Possession or consumption of alcohol by a minor: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Kenneth E. Gerdes, 18, 5616 Dover Drive, Lisle. Possession of 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 1,031.

- Nathaniel J. Gilman, 19, 1N440 McQueen Drive, West Chicago. Obstructing justice: guilty; 10 days in jail.

- Richard A. Ginger, 36, 2287 Countryclub, Woodridge. Aggravated assault on police officer or fireman - no firearm used: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 290. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 140.

- William P. Girard, 19, 908 College Blvd., Addison. Theft: guilty; 60 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 140.

- Brian C. Gleason, 21, 4708 Cumnor, Downers Grove. Violation of order of protection: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Joe A. Gomez, 23, 740 Gates St., West Chicago. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Jose A. Gonzalez, 30, 2708 W. Haddon, Chicago. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Possession of hypodermic syringe or needle: case dropped.

- Charles E. Gooden, 47, 8400 S. Oglesby, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.



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- Johnny W. Gould, 25, 18701 Taylor Road, Glen Ellyn. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 400.
- Keith E. Grabarek, 28, 1100 Florence, Lemont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.
- Clifford J. Guptill, 43, 128 Whitebirch Lane, Westmont. Aggravated assault-concealed identity: guilty; 90 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 175.
- Victoria R. Hackmon, 40, 6513 Woodridge Drive, Woodridge. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90. Driving with cancelled, suspended or revoked registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Denise S. Haddad, 24, 4520 Elm St., Downers Grove. Domestic battery: case dropped. Aggravated assault with a deadly weapon: case dropped. Endangering the health or life of a child: case dropped.
- George J. Haddad, 32, 4520 Elm St., Downers Grove. Domestic battery: case dropped. Endangering the health or life of a child: case dropped.
- Philip D. Hamiti, 21, 352 Rolland Drive, Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 75. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 350.
- Marion D. Hampton, 66, 353 W. Ethel Ave., Lombard. Failure to give aid or information in accident involving death or personal injury: case dropped.
- Cheryl A. Hannigan, 27, 810 Thornwood, St. Charles. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Louis M. Harris, 49, 1152 Brighton Place, Glen Ellyn. Leaving scene of accident involving damage to attended vehicle: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 75.
- Edward C. Harthun, 74, 1120 Woodland Hills, Batavia. Leaving the scene of an accident resulting in personal injury or death: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100. Failure to give aid or information in accident involving death or personal injury: case dropped.
- James A. Haskell, 35, 124 Second St., Downers Grove. Criminal trespass to land: case dropped.
- Glenn A. Hayes, 37, 1214 Kings Circle, West Chicago. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 350.
- Ronnie R. Helton, 23, 457 Berkshire, Romeoville. Retail theft: case dropped.
- Shantaile C. Henderson, 30, 1410 W. 73rd Place, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.
- Herman P. Heraux, 40, 2142 Country Club Drive, Woodridge. Failure to give information to owner after striking unattended vehicle or property: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 75.



- Tanya N. Hereford, 20, 2052 Essex Court, Streamwood. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Scott G. Hogen, 34, 386 Glenwood, Bloomingdale. Possession of firearm ammunition without valid **FOID** card: case dropped. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.

- Ronald K. Houser, 46, 16W515 79th St., Clarendon Hills. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 60 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Mike E. Hudnall, 25, 991 Aurora Ave., Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Cheryl J. Huff, 38, 21W301 Par Lane, Itasca. Domestic battery: case dropped. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 245.

- Jerry D. Hughes, 17, 1115 Estern Ave., Bellwood. Possession or consumption of alcohol by a minor: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 205.

- David R. Hunt, 48, 2732 University Ave., San Angelo, Tex. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.

- Harold K. Hutton, 31, 6707 Cedar Lane, Westmont. Domestic battery: guilty; 90 days in jail. Criminal damage to property: guilty; 90 days in jail. Domestic battery: guilty; 45 days in jail. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 90 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 140. Criminal damage to property: case dropped.

- Richard E. Hyser, 44, 18W083 Jamestown Lane, Villa Park. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.

- Hector M. Iga, 18, 1020 Grand Blvd., Aurora. Retail theft: guilty; 2 years conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 245.

- Emerson S. Iljazi, 19, 39 W. Schubert, Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Lisa A. Janetske, 36, 279 E. Grantley, Elmhurst. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 135.

- Michael J. Jeanguenat, 37, 321 N. Illinois, Villa Park. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.

- Scott C. Jenkins, 20, 13222 W. Mulraney Drive, Lockport. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Oscar M. Jimenez, 22, 9626 W. Addison St., Franklin Park. Possession of firearm with no valid **FOID** - is eligible: case dropped. Possession of firearm ammunition without valid **FOID** card: case dropped.

- Rogelio A. Jimenez, 27, 430 Carriage Drive, West Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$



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- Brett M. Johnson, 20, 334 Antelope Trail, Carol Stream. Possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 1146.

- Vincson V. Johnson, 21, 540 W. Division, Villa Park. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- James D. Jones, 40, 93 Lind Ave., Hillside. Domestic battery: guilty; 10 days in jail. Battery: guilty; 10 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 145. Criminal damage to property: case dropped. Criminal trespass to residence: case dropped.

- Michael J. Jones, 20, 346 Martin Lane, Bloomingdale. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court supervision.

- Michael P. Keding, 43, 602 S. Euclid, Elmhurst. Disorderly conduct-false crime report: guilty; 20 days in jail.

- James C. Kelly, 38, 145 N. Summit, Villa Park. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.

- Lois E. Kessler, 36, 1091 E. Algonquin Road, Des Plaines. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Anil K. Koripelly, 30, 2406 S. Goebbert Road, Arlington Heights. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- Ann M. Krusiec, 43, 1366 Court Margarite, Hanover Park. Domestic battery: case dropped.

- Przemslaw S. Kucharski, 23, 2401 N. Decook Court, Park Ridge. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.

- Daniel C. Lalowski, 21, 92 N. Newton, Glen Ellyn. Possession of not more than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 663. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped.

- Patricia L. Landberg, 43, 21W231 Hill, Glen Ellyn. Domestic battery: case dropped. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 365. Assault: case dropped. Battery: case dropped.

- Clifton L. Lawrence, 24, 2332 S. 12th Ave., Broadview. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 500.

- Dalton T. Lawrence, 24, 3300 W. Maypole, Chicago. Reckless driving: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 95. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 90. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 90.

DUI Report



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A listing from the Illinois Secretary of State of drivers licenses revoked or suspended for DUI convictions during the week ending Aug. 14. Some revocations or suspensions are later rescinded; such actions are indicated.

Revocation for DUI Conviction - Alcohol

- Balam Barajas, 24, 2245 Ridge, Aurora.
- Darren F. Carter, 34, 2187 Morse, Glendale Heights.
- Fausto Cruz, 20, 1213 Kings Crossing, West Chicago.
- Martin Hernandez, 26, 21W500 North Ave., Lombard.
- Gary A. Hinckley, 37, 2284 Country Club Drive, Woodridge.
- Jeffrey M. Kujak, 28, 1473 Davine Drive, Glendale Heights.
- Treauxlane Mersch, 28, 6N341 Garden, Roselle.
- Steven W. Odle, 43, 1N344 West St., Wheaton.
- Fernando M. Ontiveros, 44, 669 S. Iowa, Addison.
- Rafael Parra, 28, 335 W. Park, Addison.
- Cristobal Quechol, 22, 1639 S. Michigan, Villa Park.
- Guy F. Richards, 51, 411 N. Oak, Itasca.
- Gilbert Rios, 17, 223 S. Mill Road, Addison.
- Diane Krueger Stubbs, 41, 469 Verret St., Elmhurst.
- Robert B. Szaflarski, 38, 1008 Argyle St., Bensenville.
- David M. Wagner, 35, 7643 Catalpa Ave., Woodridge.
- Ryan E. Wiehrdt, 20, 1009 Sara Lane, Naperville.

Revocation for DUI Conviction - Rescinded

- Daniel D. Felton, 25, 1210 Edgar Court, Glendale Heights.
- Peter C. Grandolfo, 29, 8086 S. Garfield, Burr Ridge.
- Scott Paul Schaffler, 37, 0N061 Pierce Ave., Wheaton.

Suspension for out-of-State Implied

- Christopher B. Christian, 21, 157 Brookwood, Bolingbrook.

Suspension for Accident involvement



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- Michael P. Gascoyne, 30, 545 Hampton Lane, Roselle.
 - Jose Ocampo, 19, 717 Dickens Ave., Glendale Heights.
- Suspension For Refusing or Failing Chemical Testing
- Roel Aparicio, 24, 782 Lippert Lane, Glendale Heights.
 - Robert K. Arnesen, 28, 1131 Andover Court, Naperville.
 - Joseph F. Balcer, 40, 464 Jeanne Court, Wood Dale.
 - Lance Barnett, 28, 5S070 Pebblewood Lane, Naperville.
 - Marc W. Bevins, 27, 2843 Windsor Drive, Lisle.
 - Tannisse T. Blatchford, 76, 32W071 Will Way, Wayne.
 - William E. Blum, 25, 1369 E. Gartner, Naperville.
 - Boguslaw Bobak, 31, 131 Granville, Roselle.

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Chicago Daily Herald

June 23, 1999, Wednesday, Lake

SECTION: News; Pg. 7

LENGTH: 543 words

HEADLINE: Man convicted of hate crime found guilty in weapons case

BYLINE: Tony Gordon Daily Herald Legal Affairs Writer

BODY:

A Gurnee man convicted of a hate crime in April was found guilty of illegal possession of weapons Tuesday in Lake County Circuit Court.

Eric Hanson, 25, faces up to five years in prison for possession of a gun without a valid **firearm owner's identification card** when he returns for sentencing July 30.

The jury of seven men and five women seated before Circuit Judge Barbara Gilleran Johnson reached its decision after two hours of deliberation. In April, another jury found Hanson guilty of a hate crime for confronting and threatening an interracial couple in the parking lot of a Gurnee store.

Associate Judge James Booras sentenced Hanson, who testified in that trial that he believes in the "peaceful separation of the races," to one year in prison on May 14.

While still free on bond in that case, Hanson was charged April 17 after police with a warrant for his arrest came to his apartment at 31651 W. Grand Ave. in Gurnee and found a gun.

Assistant State's Attorney Joel Gingiss said the warrant had been issued when Hanson failed to appear in court during the hate crime case. The warrant had been withdrawn but had not been removed from the county computer system when the officers went to serve it.

Hanson's roommate at the time, a 20-year-old man whose current whereabouts are unknown to authorities, allowed the officers in and gave them permission to search the apartment for Hanson, Gingiss said.

Police found a loaded Ruger .357-caliber revolver under a pillow on one of two beds in the only bedroom in the apartment, Sheriff's Deputy Charles Reaves testified, and checked by radio to see if either Hanson or his roommate had a state **firearm owner's identification card**.

A computer check determined neither did, Reaves said, and the roommate then told police the gun was Hanson's. Although he was not in the apartment at the time of the search, Hanson was taken into custody later that evening.



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Gingiss said Hanson owned the gun, and he introduced a bill of sale from a Waukegan gun shop showing Hanson had purchased the weapon Jan. 19, 1998.

In addition, Gingiss produced evidence that the Illinois State Police had sent Hanson a letter informing him his **firearm owner's identification card** was revoked March 30, 1999.

"The gun was his, it was in his bedroom, and his FOI card was revoked," Gingiss told the jury. "This case is really not that complicated."

But Assistant Public Defender Scott Wineberg said the case against Hanson posed more questions than it answered.

"Sometimes what you hear and what you do not hear are equally important," Wineberg said. "There has been no showing he still owned that weapon, and there has been no showing he was aware he no longer had a firearms card."

Wineberg told the jurors the letter from the state police was sent to Hanson's parents' address in Gurnee and the state had not shown he was aware the card had been revoked.

In the prior case, Hanson was convicted of yelling "race traitors" and an expletive-littered chorus of racial slurs and threats against a black man and white woman who were leaving a grocery store.

Gilleran Johnson ordered Hanson, who has been in custody since his April 17 arrest, held without bond until the sentencing date.

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Chicago Daily Herald

June 11, 1999, Friday, DuPage

SECTION: Neighbor; Running around DuPage; Pg. 1

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HEADLINE: Runners get fired up for summer biathlons

BYLINE: Susan Terwedow

BODY:

My daughter talked me into doing my first summer biathlon (that's running and shooting) a few years ago.

It was so much fun that I've been doing them ever since. Saturday was the first of two biathlons held each summer at the Aurora Sportsmen's Club. Fifty participants competed in the 5K running event with two stops to shoot at small, metal, knock-down targets. I do not own a gun, but I do have a firearm owners identification (FOID) card so that I can use a range rifle for the race.

Before each race, there is a series of instructional clinics. Participation in a clinic is mandatory for beginners. Club members help demonstrate safe usage, and stand at every firing location to make sure all safety rules are followed and to help newcomers. Participants without a FOID card must use an air rifle. The race course winds through the club property, including hills, rocks and some jumps over fallen logs. Stumps, roots and other possible hazards were well marked. Although the course is not as fast as a normal road race, it is a welcome change from routine. To prevent backup in the shooting range, runners start two at a time every two minutes.

Carol Braley of Naperville won her division. Braley has been running for 10 years. This was her first summer biathlon. She was told last year that she could not compete without a FOID card, and she got one just for these races.

Braley appreciated the challenging course.

"You have to watch the signs, and watch your footing and pay attention to the winding course," Braley said. "You can do a road race every weekend. This is different. I will definitely be back in July."

Wayne Giese was wearing the T-shirt from his first summer biathlon in Dundee in 1991. He has been competing ever since. He filled me in on the origins of the summer biathlon. Giese is a Fox River Trail runner who enjoys this unique event.

Donna Kearney, 38, a Canadian currently residing in Naperville, is another successful first-time competitor. She said she had never shot a gun before, and never ran cross country. This was a completely new experience.



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Kearney races distances from 5K to half marathons. She took first place in her division.

After the race is over, while results are tabulated (15 seconds are deducted for each target knocked down in the prone position and 30 seconds standing), a shoot-off is conducted for the more successful shooters.

Mitch Adamus of North Aurora won the shoot-off with a perfect score. He is a regular participant in summer biathlons, and is also a regular winner of the shoot-off. He is one of the biathletes who practices shooting between events. He also participates in shooting events at the Wheaton Rifle Club.

Adamus claims to be a "mediocre runner but a better shooter." He is now increasing his training mileage to improve his race performance.

Steve Beck, a member of the national summer biathlon team, participated in the event but did not officially place himself in the race division. He finished in 20:48, nearly three minutes better than the winning time (23:16).

Awards were useful items rather than medals or trophies. There were desk organizers, tool kits, mugs and more.

Almost everyone I talked to planned to be back for the July 10 biathlon. In addition to the regular 5K race with two shooting stops, the July 10 event will include an 8K race with four shooting stops for experienced summer biathletes.

For information, call Tom Waterstraat at (630) 833-2379 or Wil Bruner at (630) 933-6057.

Results

Summer biathlon overall male: 1. Mark Buesing 23:16, 2. William Frey 23:58, 3. Matthew Maples 23:59. 14-19: 1. Joe Kutner 26:02, 2. Dan Gersdorf 38:43. 20-29: 1. Christian Waterstraat 24:09, 2. Exbar Arias 24:34, 3. William Clark 25:04. 30-39: 1. Robert Miller 25:23, 2. Robert Nadler 25:51, 3. Helmick David 26:08. 40-49: 1. Ray Daniels 25:41, 2. John Samuels 26:02, 3. Larry Nazimek 26:39. 50-59: 1. Mark Kjellstrom 26:58, 2. Dick Page 28:55, 3. Bill Wright 30:13. 60-and-over: 1. Henry Gallenz 26:02, 2. Wayne Giese 28:44.

Overall female: 1. Kristy Lippencott 24:59, 2. Beatrix Silny 32:00, 3. Susan Terwedow 32:46. 20-29: 1. Megan Waterstraat 33:25, 2. Meredith Waterstraat 35:04. 30-39: 1. Donna Kearney 34:17, 2. Linda Hrycyk 38:14. 40-49: 1. Carol Braley 35:36, 2. Annie Wieczorek 46:16. 50-59: Sandy Nelson 36:29.

Run for the Animals

Saturday was the Run for the Animals. The 5K and 10K races are part of the Cream of Wheaton festivities and drew 2,500 participants. The race raises funds for the Cosley Animal Farm.

Results

10K overall male: 1. Mark Miller, 25, St. Charles 34:16. 10-and-under: 1. Joshua Simpson, 9, Wheaton 48:02; 2. Ryan Mademann, 9, Wheaton 51:57; 3. John



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Clifford, 9, Glen Ellyn 56:34. 11-12: 1. Curt Mademann, 11, Wheaton 46:46; 2. James Simpson, 11, Wheaton 47:01; 3. Mark Luff, 12, Wheaton 47:49. 13-14: 1. Paul Jacobs, 14, Wheaton 41:42; 2. Ian Macnider, 14, Hoffman Estates 43:37; 3. Adam Mademann, 14, Wheaton 44:57. 15-19: 1. Rocky Echeverria, 18, Chicago 36:53; 2. Jack Waters, 17, Wheaton 37:29; 3. Pat Fox, 17, Wheaton 38:43. 20-24: 1. Toby Bohl, 24, Wheaton 37:53; 2. Nathanel Klose, 24, DeKalb 44:35; 3. Nicholas Ruffo, 24, Chicago 44:49. 25-29: 1. Jim Kuch, 29, Wheaton 35:49; 2. Dan DiMarco, 27, Glen Ellyn 37:59; 3. Gary Tsai, 25, Naperville 40:00. 30-34: 1. Kevin O'Neil, 32, Lincolnshire 39:59; 2. Ernesto Rivera, 34, West Chicago 42:26; 3. George Fite, 34, Mokena 42:56. 35-39: 1. Russell Hamilton, 37, Glen Ellyn 38:29; 2. Matthew Simpson, 35, Wheaton 39:08; 3. Ricky Stackhouse, 39, Wheaton 39:15. 40-44: 1. Eric Wedow, 40, Batavia 37:41; 2. Robert Carpenter, 44, Naperville 40:30; 3. Scott Landon, 43, Carol Stream 43:29. 45-49: 1. Christopher Groesbeck, 45, Naperville 39:40; 2. Gary Bernard, 45, Winfield 41:07; 3. Brian Fredricks, 49, Lisle 42:41. 50-54: 1. Thomas Soliday, 50, Lisle 38:10; 2. Kevin Devine, 50, Wheaton 42:16; 3. Ronald Degnan, 50, West Chicago 46:11. 55-59: 1. Anthony Cesario, 57, West Chicago 41:57; 2. John Kurtz, 55, Wood Dale 44:36; 3. Chris Eaton, 55, Wheaton 47:19. 60-64: 1. Dick Gieser, 61, Wheaton 46:04; 2. John McCann, 62, Wheaton 52:13; 3. David Maller, 62, Wheaton 55:26. 65-69: 1. John Koomjohn, 67, Oswego 52:58; 2. Frank Roty, 69, Schaumburg 59:49; 3. Glenn Arnold, 65, Wheaton 1:14:42. 70-and-over: 1. Laverne Trevorrow, 70, Glen Ellyn 59:20.

Overall female: 1. Rachel Endress, 16, Wheaton 39:07. 10-and-under: 1. Claire Denz, 9, Wheaton 58:59. 11-12: 1. Erin Reimer, 11, Wheaton 1:01:53. 13-14: 1. Kari Bogner, 14, Wheaton 1:00:41. 15-19: 1. Carrie Waterman, 16, Wheaton 43:11; 2. Jennifer Lundstrom, 18, Wheaton 46:08; 3. Adrienne Varland, 19, Wheaton 47:57. 20-24: 1. Inga Norton, 21, Wheaton 42:22; 2. Kelly Roliardi, 21, Wheaton 42:35; 3. Carrie Cissario, 20, Chicago 42:47. 25-29: 1. Meg Moore, 29, Wheaton 42:39; 2. Nicole Esterman, 27, Lisle 43:11; 3. Helena Duncan, 29, Wheaton 43:24. 30-34: 1. Margaret Barton, 34, Wheaton 44:04; 2. Jodi Ridge, 31, Carol Stream 47:28; 3. Lisa Royer, 33, DeKalb 47:30. 35-39: 1. Jodi Benware, 35, Wheaton 40:58; 2. Jill Marshall, 39, Glen Ellyn 44:51; 3. Gretchen Strom, 38, Wheaton 44:55. 40-44: 1. Laura Larue, 41, Naperville 47:02; 2. Linda Beese, 42, Chicago 47:06; 3. Christine Babb, 41, Wheaton 47:48. 45-49: 1. Denise Defemio, 46, Woodridge 50:34; 2. Connie Hicks, 48, Springfield, Mo. 55:01; 3. Sally Carpenter, 45, Naperville 55:35. 50-54: 1. Pat Carpenter, 51, Naperville 47:38; 2. Marie Bergstrom, 50, Carol Stream 52:41; 3. Judy Hoskins, 51, Wheaton 53:42. 55-59: 1. Eileen Keeler, 56, Wheaton 1:12:02. 60-64: 1. Elaine Nyquist-Teschner, 60, Lake Barrington 1:11:29. 65-69: 1. Faith Walkwitz, 65, Bensenville 53:18.

5K overall male: 1. John Lumkes, 30, Waukesha, Wis. 15:37. 10-and-under: 1. Stephen Pierotti, 9, Carol Stream 22:47; 2. John Moe, 10, Wheaton 22:57; 3. Andrew Jahns, 10, Wheaton 23:39. 11-12: 1. Daniel Nielson, 12, Wheaton 20:11; 2. Jon Popejoy, 12, Wheaton 20:50; 3. Mark Zerlang, 11, Wheaton 21:39. 13-14: 1. Mike Popejoy, 14, Wheaton 18:11; 2. Milovan Petkovic, 13, Wheaton 19:53; 3. Mile Petkovic, 13, Wheaton 20:09. 15-19: 1. Shane Gillespie, 18, Winfield 17:00; 2. Jon Watson, 18, Glen Ellyn 17:05; 3. Braxton Showalter, 18, Winfield 17:06. 20-24: 1. Ryan Larson, 21, Wheaton 16:27; 2. Raymond Heriaud, 23, Oswego 17:11; 3. Mark Anderson, 22, Waukesha, Wis. 17:52. 25-29: 1. John Temple, 27, Chicago 17:25; 2. Shad Khan, 26, Lisle 20:14; 3. William Stenzel, 28, Chicago 20:18. 30-34: 1. Dan Fioravanti, 30, Wheaton 17:18; 2. Joe Gorup, 33, Wheaton 17:52; 3. John Serna, 30, Carol Stream 19:04. 35-39: 1. John Proszowski, 37, Naperville 20:00; 2. Tom Wolff, 36, Elmhurst 20:06. 40-44: 1. Rex Bohn, 41, Geneva 17:32;



2. Bill Bickhart, 40, Wheaton 17:51; 3. Paul Cook, 41, Wheaton 17:56. 45-49: 1. Bob Theodore, 47, Lisle 16:56; 2. Michael Barrett, 49, Oak Brook 18:57; 3. Tom Brown, 47, Winfield 19:12. 50-54: 1. Lyle Rasmussen, 54, Waverly, Iowa 20:13; 2. Daryl Simon, 51, Rogersville, Mo. 21:10; 3. Lawrence Quinn, 50, Waukegan, 21:19. 55-59: 1. Vic Heckler, 56, Chicago 16:54; 2. Daryl Rolland, 57, DeKalb 21:34; 3. James Cox, 57, Wheaton 22:17. 60-64: 1. Rodger Goodwin, 62, Dubuque, Iowa 22:30; 2. Dennis Keeler, 60, Wheaton, 24:13; 3. John Huttenhoff, 61, Wheaton, 26:26. 60-65: 1. Don Walkwitz, 66, Bensenville 22:43; 2. Horace Lindley, 68, Wheaton 24:34; 3. Kenneth Peterson, 67, Wheaton 24:49. 70-and-over: 1. Dean Smith, 72, Oak Brook 27:43; 2. Paul Heefner, 79 Carol Stream 34:24; 3. Walter Gregory, 70, Wheaton 42:01.

Overall female: 1. Chrissy Kuenster, 20, Wheaton 19:30. 10-and-under: 1. Charla Drabant, 10, Wheaton 25:21; 2. Hannah Liefeld, 10, Wheaton 27:35; 3. Kristin Perraine, 9, Wheaton 27:44. 11-12: 1. Rachel Benson, 11, Wheaton 22:24; 2. Shannon Laughlin, 12, Wheaton 22:50; 3. Nancy Peltz, 12, Wheaton 24:02. 13-14: 1. Lydia Snyder, 13, Wheaton 21:08; 2. Meggie Grube, 14, Glen Ellyn 21:54; 3. Libby Passiales, 13, Wheaton 22:09. 15-19: 1. Lori McKellin, 16, Elmhurst 21:58; 2. Gretchen Vangetson, 18, Wheaton 22:08; 3. Lauren Lasak, 16, Carol Stream 23:45. 20-24: 1. Kim Malmquist, 21, Naperville 19:54; 2. Jill Branner, 20, Wheaton 20:08; 3. Laura Tomczyk, 20, Naperville 21:03. 25-29: 1. Suzanne Ryan, 25, Wheaton 20:54; 2. Rhonda Ruden, 27, Aurora 21:06; 3. Emily Cosgrove, 25, Wheaton 21:44. 30-34: 1. Kimberly Lumkes, 30, Waukesha, Wis. 22:39; 2. Linda Bock, 34, Elgin, 22:46; 3. Kim Anderson, 31, South Elgin 23:09. 35-39: 1. Phil Newmeyer, 38, Bartlett 23:33; 2. Kathleen Beedle, 36, West Chicago 23:42; 3. Victoria Bentley, 39, Aurora 23:53. 40-44: 1. Ali Stout, 43, Willowbrook 22:34; 2. Anchea Blackshaw, 41, Wheeling 22:49; 3. Tina Midura, 40, Wheaton 23:10. 45-49: 1. Brenda Passiales, 48, Wheaton 20:50; 2. Sun Krieg, 45, Winfield 27:08; 3. Judy Greco, 48, Wheaton 28:33. 50-54: 1. Cheryl Umbeck, 51, Wheaton 24:30; 2. Susan Zwolfer, 52, Lombard 25:23; 3. Carla Galanos, 51, Wheaton 27:27. 55-59: 1. Judy Monaco, 55, Glendale Heights 29:36; 2. Chere Byker, 58, Bloomingdale 32:57; 3. Lorraine Rotolo, 56, Bloomingdale 34:29. 60-64: 1. Doris Schertz, 60, Lombard 26:06; 2. Maureen Flaherty, 60, Wheaton 33:31; 3. Marge Prather, 64, Glen Ellyn 40:23. 65-69: 1. Joyce Fahs, 67, Wheaton 47:32. 70-and-over: 1. Terri Lambert, 72, Plainfield 51:05; 2. Lucy Cusack, 71, Lutz, Fla. 52:03.

Run for the Roses

Sunday was the fifth annual Run for the Roses in Roselle. The 5K run and walk and half mile youth run raise funds for the Tourette Syndrome Association. The race experienced a much greater turnout than expected. Over 300 participants registered on race day taking the total number of participants to almost 600.

Race director Mark Mandel said that because of the unexpected numbers, they committed the two greatest sins of race organization.

"We ran out of water and T-shirts," Mandel said. "At least T-shirts can be mailed later. The water was a problem."

He said he apologized to all participants and promised that it will not happen again in the future.

"There were 40 registered in the Clydesdale category where we never had more



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than one or two," Mandel said.

There were about 40 participants in the children's race. All participants 12 or younger received Beanie Babies.

Mandel participated in the race in addition to organizing it.

"To look down Bryn Mawr with 500 people moving down the street was an unbelievable feeling," Mandel said.

22nd Annual Elgin Valley Fox Trot

5K race males 14-and-under: 1. Anthony Mark Dubose, 12, Elgin 18:02.6; 2. Sam Dubose, 11, Elgin 19:05.3; 3. Kyle Depasquale, 12, Elgin 20:06.6. 15-19: 1. Jeremy Ruston, 19, Bartlett 17:04.1; 2. Shawn Lucas, 15, Elgin 17:31.1; 3. Joe Jensen, 17, Genoa 17:28.0. 20-24: 1. Patrick Prentice, 23, Lombard 19:47.8; 2. Josh Weber, 22, Minooka 21:56.9; 3. Danny Dankha, 23, Elgin 22:45.0. 25-29: 1. John Roets, 28, Lisle 20:34.6; 2. Tom Sanomer, 28, Elgin 22:04.9; 3. Ken Edelman, 25, Cincinnati, Ohio 23:13.4. 30-34: 1. Gary Peterson, 34, Algonquin 17:52.0; 2. Julian Rogel, 33, Chicago 18:19.7; 3. Matthew Abbott, 31, Elgin 19:33.4. 35-39: 1. Jon Tuin, 38, South Elgin 17:42.5; 2. Patrick Gries, 37, Crystal Lake 18:32.5; 3. Scott Shonk, 37, Normal 19:10.3. 40-44: 1. Chris Rider, 40, Algonquin 17:08.5; 2. Patrick Kelly, 42, Batavia 17:58.9; 3. Brad Maisto, 44, Danville, Ind. 18:05.4. 45-49: 1. Aiuseffi Lama, 46, Palatine 19:59.3; 2. Efren Beltran, 47, Chicago 20:03.6; 3. Lawrence Damhorst, 45, Elgin 21:41.0. 50-54: 1. Frank Holz, 51, West Des Moines, Iowa 20:55.1; 2. Milton Hoskins, 51, Elgin 21:40.6; 3. Rodolfo Navarro, 54, Chicago 22:27.0. 55-59: 1. Patrick Savage, 55, Skokie 20:21.2; 2. Joe Vangsness, 56, Chicago 23:17.9; 3. Russell Baker, 57, Elburn 26:27.5. 60-64: 1. Tom Anderson, 62, Sleepy Hollow 28:08.3; 2. Jim Sadlon, 62, Rockford 33:08.3; 3. Morton Flanagan, 62, Elgin 34:06.6. 65-69: 1. Keith Lindley, 68, Wheaton 25:02.4; 2. Ron Lavoie, 67, Des Plaines 28:08.7; 3. Alex White, 67, Des Plaines 28:48.6. 70-74: 1. Charles Coleman, 70, Streamwood 29:16.7; 2. Kenneth Miles, 71, Elgin 33:42.6; 3. Philip Martin, 73, Glen Ellyn 43:38.3.

Females 14-and-under: 1. Heather Clark, 14, Carpentersville 20:28.1; 2. Jacqueline Hubers, 10, Elgin 21:26.4; 3. Jamie Corey, 11, Elgin 21:29.3. 15-19: 1. Sonia Meda, 17, Elgin 21:22.1; 2. Lisa D'Agostino, 17, Arlington Heights 22:10.9; 3. Amy Paxton, 19, South Elgin 23:28.2. 20-24: 1. Tamara Edelman, 23, St. Charles 23:15.0; 2. Reka Tusa, 23, Chicago 24:08.6; 3. Phoebe Cox, 22, Aurora 25:05.2. 25-29: 1. Sara Burge, 27, Chicago 20:28.5; 2. Stephanie Barksdale, 28, Chicago 21:51.7; 3. Jodi Hall, 27, Macon, Ga. 23:19.1. 30-34: 1. Kim Anderson, 31, South Elgin 23:11.9; 2. Heidi Beske, 33, Naperville 25:34.6; 3. Debbie Brandt, 33, Hampshire 25:42.0. 35-39: Dawn Maisto, 39, Ocala, Fla. 23:53.9; 2. Dawn Bujalski, 39, Geneva 24:42.5; 3. Heather Tuin, 35, South Elgin 24:58.6. 40-44: 1. Melissa Rondenot, 44, Evanston 22:16.3; 2. Nancy Carrizales, 44, Mundelein 25:12.4; 3. Heather Carlson, 41, Elgin 26:10.7. 45-49: 1. Patricia Walker, 49, Aurora 24:06.7; 2. Mary Alice Masonick, 46, Elgin 24:09.0; 3. Peg Dean, 45, Libertyville 24:18.6. 50-54: 1. Susan Terwedow, 52, Glen Ellyn 26:51.6; 2. Krysha Sorce, 52, Elgin 27:54.0; 3. Debbie Coffey, 50, Elgin 28:02.0. 55-59: 1. Lianne Deboer, 59, Elgin 31:40.3. 60-64: 1. Chere Anderson, 62, Sleepy Hollow 28:54.4; 2. Marge Prather, 64, Glen Ellyn 41:07.3; 3. Joyce Allen, 60, Barrington 41:12.5. 65-69: 1. Lois Gilmore, 68, Janesville, Wis. 25:46.0; 2. Vivian Paleczny, 69, Des Plaines 47:14.5. 70-74: 1. Josephine Miles,



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71, Elgin 29:47.3.

10K Race males 14-and-under: 1. Sam Romanoski, 14, Lake Zurich 1:14.18.
 15-19: 1. Josh Ruston, 19, Bartlett :59:23.3; 2. Aaron Hopkins, 17, Bartlett
 1:01:45; 3. Tom Kress, 15, Lake Zurich 1:04:47. 20-24: 1. Matthew Ordzowialy,
 24, Cicero :58:42.3; 2. Brandon Turner, 21, Gilberts :59:09.7; 3. Chris
 Sandal, 22, Chicago 1:06:22. 25-29: 1. Derek Olenek, 29, Bartlett :52:43.3; 2.
 Jamie Comer, 28, Chicago :54:16.6; 3. Gabe Flores-Ruiz, 26, Oak Park :56:16.6.
 30-34: 1. Mike Kairis, 30, Berwyn :54:06.1; 2. Jim Cygan, 32, Chicago :58:51.4;
 3. Calvin Ma, 31, Chicago :59:18.5. 35-39: 1. Mark Beeman, 35, Evanston
 :53:05.3; 2. Thomas Waltke, 35, Aurora :54:42.7; 3. Doug Jones, 37, Batavia
 :57:02.6. 40-44: 1. David Engelke, 42, Highland Park :57:31.1; 2. Dennis
 Collins, 44, DeKalb 1:00:53.5; 3. Jim Otto, 43, Palatine 1:00:55.5. 45-49: 1.
 Gary Moss, 48, Geneva :57:20.3; 2. Hal Carlson, 46, Aurora :57:54.9; 3. Scott
 Renken, 47, Bannockburn 1:02:51.6. 50-54: 1. Craig Dean, 51, Libertyville
 1:05:33.4; 2. Andrew Suozzo, 53, Chicago 1:07:19.9; 3. Larry Smith, 50, Vernon
 Hills 1:08:49.8. 55-59: 1. Jack Zordan, 55, Glenview 1:10:57.2; 2. Daryl
 Rolland, 57, DeKalb 1:15:32.5; 3. Jerry Cygan, 57, Arlington Heights 1:18:09.8.
 60-64: 1. Ted Kohn, 60, Chicago 1:12:04.1; 2. John Quinton, 62, Lisle 1:12:10.9;
 3. George Suter, 64, DeKalb 1:18:19.1. 65-69: 1. Danny Kelleher, 68, Genoa, Wis.
 1:10:59.2; 2. Jack Taylor, 66, Waukegan 1:16:40.2; 3. Charlie Daniels, 65, Twin
 Lakes, Wis. 1:18:06.6. 70-74: 1. Gerry Hopkins, 73, Wheaton 1:21:28; 2. Joseph
 Paleczny, 70, Des Plaines 1:23:33.1; 3. George Hosokawa, 74, Chicago 1:36:51.3.

Females 14-and-under: 1. Liliana Villa, 13, Elgin 1:41:42; 2. Francisca
 Delatorre, 14, Elgin 1:41:42.3; 3. Kathleen Meyer, 12, Elgin 2:22:08.8. 20-24:
 1. Karen Grabowski, 23, Niles 1:06:08.5; 2. Kelly Roliardi, 21, Wheaton
 1:09:50.6; 3. Jenny Cohen, 20, Morton Grove 1:10:55.7. 25-29: 1. Krista Comer,
 27, Chicago 1:10:27.5; 2. Daphne Scott, 28, Chicago 1:12:36.3; 3. Bobby
 Radakovich, 26, Chicago 1:14:22.7. 30-34: 1. Michelle Manzo-Slaviero, 30, Alsip
 1:00:07.2; 2. Kelly Kaminski, 30, Leland 1:05:04.2; 3. Pam Krantz, 30, Sandwich
 1:06:51.9. 35-39: 1. Marijana Viclovic, 37, Bloomingdale 1:01:20.9; 2. Kayoko
 Hamamura, 38, Chicago 1:06:01.1; 3. Theresa Seaquist, 35, Chicago 1:10:21.1.
 40-44: 1. Annette Scott, 42, Naperville 1:04:00.3; 2. Heidi Schmidt, 42, Elgin
 1:09:01.5; 3. Mary Krause, 41, Yorkville 1:09:05.7. 45-49: 1. Beth Onines, 46,
 Lake Zurich 1:14:28.0; 2. Jody Hughes, 46, Superior, CO 1:18:21.4; 3. Rhonda
 Brandes, 45, Elgin 1:19:15.8. 50-54: 1. Nancy Rollins, 52, Evanston 1:13:12.0;
 2. Susan Croll, 51, Marengo 1:14:43.4; 3. Margaret Barletta, 52, Chicago
 1:24:28.8. 55-59: 1. Dorothy Tanner, 57, Chicago 1:12:41.2; 2. Lynne Ingalls,
 56, Chicago 1:23:52.0; 3. Beverly Schulz, 56, Rolling Meadows 1:37:13.3. 65-69:
 1. Barbara Scheckman, 67, Chicago 2:09:25.4; 2. Teresa Ramirez, 69, Hoffman
 Estates 2:14:03.2. 70-74: 1. Kathleen McDonough, 74, Chicago 1:54:05.8.

Tuesday cross country races

The first Tuesday evening cross country race of the season in Glen Ellyn was hot. The 31st season of the annual summer races got off to a sweltering start. Forty-six runners ran the .75 mile loop around Newton Park with a minimum disruption from area construction.

The races for grade school and under divisions start at 6:15 p.m. High school races are at 6:45 and adult races begin at 7:15. Ribbons are given weekly to the top 10 finishers in each division. Points are scored weekly for season champions at the end of the series July 27. There is no need to preregister. The cost is \$



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Boys third grade and under: 1. Derek Babb, 5:41; 2. Paul Orbegoso, 6:29; 3. Scott Lembitz, 6:59. Girls third grade and under: 1. Lauren Cozzi, 6:19; 2. Abbie Mache, 6:30; 3. Carmie Orbegoso, 7:15. Boys 4-6: 1. Nick Rizzo, 5:05; 2. Trevor Starnes, 5:32; 3. Clay Christopherson, 5:37. Girls 4-6: 1. Kate Sawosko, 5:10; 2. Kristen Lembitz, 5:13; 3. Audrey Hubbard. Boys 7-8: 1. Erik MacTaggart, 8:36; 2. Mike Adducci, 10:19; 3. Scott Schlueter, 11:20. Girls 7-8: 1. Mary Jo Orbegoso, 4:56. Sophomore boys: 1. Joe Roeges, 20:20; 2. Roger Hsieh, 21:10; 3. Paul Campagnolo, 22:10. Varsity boys: 1. Vince DiFabio, 19:50; 2. Mark Watermann, 21:18. Masters men: 1. Chris MacTaggart, 8:24; 2. Bob Theodore, 8:55; 3. Mike Watermann, 10:38. Masters women: 1. Christine Babb, 11:39. Vets (25-39): 1. Dave Frintner, 13:37. Open women: 1. Chrissy Kuenster, 20:05; 2. Catie Rizzo, 20:07. Open men: 1. Josh Swenson, 28:12; 2. Vince Kus, 31:34; 3. Brian Crissie, 32:44.

Race calendar

Walter Payton Sweetness Run

A fun, entertaining, but still competitive race is the Walter Payton Sweetness Run on Sunday, starting and finishing at Walter Payton's Roundhouse in Aurora. There are 5K and 10K races and a 5K walk.

Participants can enjoy live entertainment as they enjoy their refreshments. There will be a health and fitness fair (with organ donor signup) and assorted activities for kids.

After the race, stay for the Blues on the Fox Festival.

Last year, Walter Payton was part of the whole event and presented the awards. This year he is tentatively scheduled to appear.

For information, call (630) 859-8606.

Jim Shorts Daisy Dash

The 1999 Jim Shorts Daisy Dash will take place on Father's Day, June 20.

The 5K race and 1 mile race and walk will take place in Clarendon Hills. Kevin Matthews of CD 94.7 FM is a co-director of the event. Proceeds will be donated to the Clarendon Hills and Hinsdale DARE programs.

The 5K race starts at 7:45 a.m. in front of the Clarendon Hills Bank and finishes at the Village Hall. The one-mile run and walk starts at 9. Families are encouraged to participate. Awards will be given to the top three male and female finishers of the 5K and to the top three in each five-year age division from 14-and-under to 75-and-over.

For more information, contact Don Gallagher at (630) 690-2078.

Dad's Day Dash



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June 20 is the Dad's Day Dash at the Oak Park YMCA. The 5K and 10K races support the Oak Park YMCA youth programs.

The top three male and female finishers of both races receive awards as well as the top three in each age division. The top three male and female finishers of the 5K walk will receive awards. Registration fee is \$ 15 if postmarked by Tuesday; \$ 25 on race day. For more information, call (708) 383-5200.

Oswegoland Prairie Fest

The Oswegoland Prairie Fest 5K race and one mile fun run will be held on June 20 at 8:30 a.m. The certified 5K course starts at Traugher Junior High in Oswego.

The \$ 10 fee for the 5K and \$ 5 for the one-mile fun run includes T-shirts, refreshments and participation ribbons.

For race information or other Prairie Fest events call the Oswego Park District at (630) 554-1010 or (630) 896-2016.

Downers Grove races

June 20 is also the date of the Downers Grove 5-mile and 10-mile races. The events begin at 7:30 a.m. at Lincoln Center in Downers Grove. The rolling courses (the 10 mile race is a double loop of the 5 mile) are certified. The race entry fee of \$ 16 in advance and \$ 17 on race day includes T-shirt and goodie bag. For more information, call Vann Bennett or Dave Dahm at (630) 963-7804.

Community Classic

June 26 is the 18th annual Community Classic 10K and Flodloppet 5K. Added this year is a kids run for fun. Race-day registration begins at 6:30 a.m. at Gunnar Anderson Park behind the Kane County Government Center. The 10K starts at 8 a.m.; the 5K and kids run start at 8:15.

Registration received by June 19 is \$ 18; race day is \$ 20. The kids run is \$ 4 in advance and \$ 5 on race day.

The 5K and 10K races have five-year age divisions from 14-and-under to 70-and-over.

For more information, call the race hotline at (630) 208-4556.

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SECTION: OUTDOORS, Pg. 32

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HEADLINE: Drawings for waterfowl sites start in June

BODY:

Waterfowl hunting blind sites at several public hunting areas will be allocated by random drawings beginning in June.

Duck and goose hunters must register in person for blind site drawings and must be present at the drawing held immediately after the registration period to claim their blind sites.

Mail registrations are not accepted. Blind allocations are good for one year, except on the Mississippi River (but not including Blanding's Landing Wildlife Area) and Horseshoe Lake State Park (Madison County).

To participate in a drawing, applicants must present a 1998 or 1999 hunting or combination sportsman's license and an Illinois Migratory Waterfowl Hunting Stamp at the time they register, unless exempted by law. Applicants must be at least 16 years old by the date of the drawing.

Participants should save their 1998 stamps in case they have difficulty purchasing new stamps. At some sites, hunters may be able to purchase 1999 State Duck Stamps.

Registrants must also possess a Firearm Owner's Identification (FOID) card from the Illinois State Police. Although a FOID card that has expired within a year of the drawing is acceptable for the registration, hunters are required to have a current FOID card before they can hunt a site in the fall. Applicants under the age of 21 do not need a FOID card if they are accompanied by an adult who has one.

Out-of-state residents must have a 1998 or 1999 nonresident hunting license for Illinois and an Illinois waterfowl stamp.

Dates and registration times for area waterfowl blind drawings are as

o July 18:

(Blinds allocated for two years) Mississippi River Pools 21, 22, and 24 in Pike and Adams Counties: Registration 10 a.m.-noon. Pool 21 will be at the Twin Oaks Sportsman's Club in Quincy; Pool 22 will be at the South Side Boat Club, 640 S. Front, Quincy; Pool 24 will be at the Illinois Department of Natural DMPL



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Resources office, Illinois 106 West, Pittsfield.

o July 25:

Anderson Lake Conservation Area, Fulton County: Registration 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the area check station, 20 miles south of Havana on Illinois 100.

Rice Lake, Fulton County: Registration 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the area check station, 3 miles south of Banner on Illinois 24.

Sanganois Conservation Area, Cass and Mason Counties: Registration 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on the east side of the maintenance building, 2 miles north of Chandlerville on Illinois 78, then 8 miles west.

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BODY:

Illinois' tough gun laws

Quite a lot has been written in the media about the federal proposal to regulate guns sales at gun shows. While that debate rages on in Washington, D.C., Illinois residents should know that our state already has passed laws regulating such sales!

And the laws are being enforced, according to Illinois State Police spokesman Mark McDonald. The bottom line is every Illinois buyer must have a **firearms owner identification card** to purchase a gun at a gun show ... no ifs, ands or buts. According to Illinois law, a seller who is a federally licensed firearms dealer has to run a background check on every buyer at a gun show by calling a 900-series phone number.

A seller who is not federally licensed still must check the buyer's **FOID** card, record the information on it, and hold onto that information for 10 years.

The state's waiting period of 24 hours before a buyer can take possession of a long gun (shotgun or rifle), and 72 hours for a handgun applies even at gun shows.

The penalties for not abiding by these laws are tough. A person selling firearms who does not observe the waiting period can face one to three years in prison or up to 30 months' probation and fines up to \$ 25,000, as does a private dealer who sells a firearm without asking for a buyer's **FOID** card.

A private dealer who sells a firearm and doesn't record the information from the **FOID** card could be jailed for up to a year or get up to two years' probation or a \$ 2,500 fine. A federally licensed dealer who sells a gun without running a background check is violating federal law and faces up to five years in prison.

Generally, Illinois has much tougher gun laws than the rest of the nation.

Kirk Dillard

State Senator

41st District

Hinsdale



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Road not taken

I am happy to see that the DuPage County Board voted NOT to put a four-lane highway through the Pratt's Wayne Woods forest preserve. I guess they finally realized that Forest Preserves taste better than Traffic Jams.

David Sher

Skokie

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Illinois is covered

Quite a lot has been written in the media about the federal proposal to regulate guns sales at gun shows. While that debate rages on in Washington, D.C., Illinois residents should know that our state has already passed laws regulating such sales!

And the laws are being enforced, according to Illinois State Police spokesman Mark McDonald. The bottom line is every Illinois buyer must have a firearms owner identification (**FOID**) card to purchase a gun at a gun show ... no ifs, ands or buts.

According to Illinois law, a seller who is a federally-licensed firearms dealer has to run a background check on every buyer at a gun show by calling a 900-series phone number. A seller who is not federally licensed still must check the buyer's **FOID** card, record the information on it, and hold on to that information for 10 years. The state's waiting period of 24 hours before a buyer can take possession of a long gun (shotgun or rifle), and 72 hours for a handgun applies even at gun shows.

The penalties for not abiding by these laws are tough. A person selling firearms who does not observe the waiting period can face one to three years in prison or up to 30 months probation and fines up to \$ 25,000, as does a private dealer who sells a firearm without asking for a buyer's **FOID** card. A private dealer who sells a firearm and doesn't record the information from the **FOID** card could be jailed for less than a year or get up to two years probation or a \$ 2,500 fine. A federally licensed dealer who sells a gun without running a background check is violating federal law and faces up to five years in prison.

Generally, Illinois has much tougher gun laws than the rest of the nation.

Kirk Dillard

State Senator, 41st District

Mayors applaud Ryan

The Metropolitan Mayors Caucus, which represents all 269 communities in the six-county Chicago metropolitan area, enthusiastically supports Governor George Ryan's five-year, \$ 12 billion plan for rebuilding Illinois' infrastructure.



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The governor's plan demonstrates his commitment to address critical needs of the state and the Chicago region. It will provide an additional \$ 4.1 billion over the next five years for the much-needed construction and repair of our highways, roads and bridges. Municipalities, counties and townships will also receive a 22 percent increase in the money they receive from the state to repair residential and neighborhood streets.

Another \$ 4.1 billion in Illinois FIRST funds will be used to improve public transit. Illinois FIRST will also provide \$ 1.6 billion to support a variety of local infrastructure projects. Substantial state assistance will finally be available for improving local water supply systems; sewer treatment plants; bike trails, parks and recreation facilities; museums, libraries and historic sites; and contaminated sites in need of cleanup and redevelopment.

Finally, Governor Ryan's plan calls for an additional \$ 2.2 billion in state and local dollars to be spent over the next five years for school construction and improvement projects. This component should provide some much needed relief to property taxpayers.

The mayors of the Metropolitan Caucus applaud Governor Ryan for taking the lead on this critical capital improvement program.

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Local Government

Mayor, City of Palos Hills

Daley's advantage

There's no question, Chicago's Wacker Drive, the Stevenson Expressway and for sure the Hillside Strangler need expensive costly repairs and renovations, but Governor "Flip Flop" Ryan should explain to the thousands of noise-battered residents surrounding O'Hare why his \$ 12 billion "Illinois FIRST" plan doesn't include building the continuation of the Elgin-O'Hare Expressway that would take us directly, like the name implies, to the terminals at O'Hare?

But of course, even though Governor Ryan has the authority to build that much needed expressway extension, he also knows that extension would block his buddy, Mayor Daley's O'Hare master plan of building another westbound runway called 27NEW between the existing two runways 27L and 27R creating another dangerous intersecting runway configuration!

Governor Ryan should also explain why Chicago will receive two-thirds or \$ 8 billion of his \$ 12 billion "Illinois FIRST" program?

My friends, Governor Ryan's Illinois FIRST program has its merits, but such an expensive rebuilding program would have had a better survival percentage if it was installed at the start of the nation's eight-year "booming" economy, instead of installing this huge spending spree during what many economists call the "wind down" or the "tail end" of this "booming" economy, even a gradual



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downturn or worse yet a sudden downturn of the nation's or state economy could easily put the State of Illinois in hock. Try to remember Ryan's program is based on long term loans. How will the state pay back these huge loans if the economy turns sour ?

It appears too many good things are being offered in a short time. It appears the Chicago Bears are being sucked in again to a long-term stint to Mayor Daley's idea of rebuilding the already dilapidated 73-year-old relic Soldier Field. The mayor of Chicago never makes a deal without a lopsided advantage, a person would think by now the McCaskeys would have learned a lesson, The mayor told the press more than once "as far as he's concerned the Bears can take their team to Alaska." The only winners like always, in that trick, is Mayor Daley, his contractor and excavating business friends and his City of Chicago. But what's in it for the Bears organization? But then, I guess "beggars can't be choosy."

Mr. Ed Moltzan

Schaumburg

Playing games with age

A key question that Congress must answer in the near future is: Will changing the age that one can legally purchase a firearm stop public school students from shooting other public school students?

In my opinion it will not. My opinion is based on the record of the federal government in playing games with the age at which a minor can or cannot act as an adult.

In responding to a liberal outcry and hyped by the news media in the '60s, Congress changed the voting age to 18 for federal elections and suspended the draft. In the last federal election those between 18 and less than 21 comprised less than 5 percent of voters that voted.

Most states followed the federal lead and lowered their voting and alcohol consumption laws to 18. A federal agency then informed these states that federal funds for highway construction and repair would be withheld until they raised their alcohol consumption age to 21.

Suspension of the draft law led the U.S. armed forces to create an all-voluntary force with a minimum age of 17 to participate. Additionally, every male citizen must on his 18th birthday register for the draft, just in case the draft had to be activated again.

An interesting point here is that a youth volunteering for duty in the armed forces is taught the skills required to use both a shoulder- and hand-fired weapon as well as the use of hand grenades and other explosive and incendiary devices. The skill level the individual attains is dependent on the unit, active, reserve, National Guard, or Reserve Officer Training Corps to which the person is assigned,

Congress will have to decide the application of the proposed law to these individuals who are under 21 years of age and serving in the U.S. Armed Forces.



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Another question for Congress is how will the proposed law affect the national defense responsibility that it assigned to the National Rifle Association many years ago for teaching firearms safety and marksmanship? Will Congress continue to use taxpayers' money to supply ammunition for the marksmanship program?

Robert S. Dodge

Elk Grove Village

Ryan plan is needed

As a business person in this area, I see every day the negative impact of our poor infrastructure system. Congestion negatively affects employee morale, lowers productivity, and raises the cost of shipping goods. Studies have shown that Chicagoland is the third most congested area in the nation and that traffic congestion costs our region \$ 4 billion per year. This translates to \$ 1,472 per commuter per year. Traffic gridlock is causing the Chicagoland region to become a less desirable place to do business and threaten the enviable quality of life that Buffalo Grove and our area affords its residents.

We support Governor Ryan's \$ 5.8 billions in new state transportation funding as part of a comprehensive \$ 12 billion program. The funding must support transit and highways, understanding the two complement each other, and the funding commitment must not be watered down.

Northern Cook and Lake County's pressing infrastructure needs require immediate action. As a result we support the following transportation agenda:

Transit needs:

- Double track the North Central Line, which will double the number of METRA commuter trains on this line.
- Allocate funding to expand links between PACE and METRA and provide for PACE's Dial-a-Ride Program to better serve the elderly, the home-bound and business travelers in this area.

State roadway needs:

- Widen Route 22 to four lanes from Route 41 to Route 83.
- Initiate a Phase I study to identify a second four-lane east-west arterial.
- Increase funding for maintenance of state highways and bridges.
- Extension of Route 53 north to Lake County.

We look forward to Illinois' making a major investment in road and transit network to make the Buffalo Grove area a great place to live, work and play.

Michael Jonas, President



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Buffalo Grove Area

Chamber of Commerce

More analysis needed

I read with interest reader Mr. Christian's letter to regarding the record of the State of Illinois with respect to financial commitments for the benefit of the handicapped. It was gratifying to read his positive comments regarding the enthusiasm exhibited by volunteers who were contributors to the Northwest Special Olympics Track and Field meet at Prospect High in May.

However, I am concerned by the writer's approaching this very complex matter by comparing statistics of other states and total spending requirements in "rounded out" percentages as related to Governor Ryan's road program. This is the same type of approach that has been utilized in the past in a slightly different manner without resulting in the help level needed by the handicapped.

Contrary to the sometimes cynical view taken by the media and some of the public, most of the legislators I am acquainted with are vitally interested in the well being of the handicapped in their constituency. And although they do listen, as they should, to the recommendations of business lobbyists, I do not feel that their views are substantially determined other than by the interests of the voters.

What is really needed with respect to the handicapped program in Illinois is more emphasis on relating budgetary requests in this area to specific needs based on precisely described projects. This kind of information should involve of course the present status of state funding. But even more important is information as to how the money is being spent, and recommendations on a prioritized basis of needed projects. There should also be some evaluation of the relative success of the various agencies, with emphasis on those who are using state funds wisely, as well as having maximum support from the private sector. As in any other important service of this kind there is a wide variance in the utilization of state funds, and the voters and the handicapped should benefit from those who are translating their empathy and care into an effective operation.

Samuel A. Hess

Mount Prospect

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Dedicate land to PADS

For years, it has been said that Public Action to Deliver Shelter should be housed at the Elgin Mental Health Center. But the state of Illinois didn't agree. They always said there was no room.

Now, the city of Elgin will own a large portion of the site including at least one building, which will be used by other social services in the city, specifically the Boys and Girls Club and the Larkin Center. What about using more of the property for the "unwelcome" agencies such as PADS, the Renz Center and the medical clinic that was proposed for the Grant School grounds? PADS and the other agencies need a site.

In the past, the problems arose when the neighborhoods organized and cried "Not in my back yard!" Whose "back yard" is the EMHC? Locate these agencies on the new property.

I will be among first to admit this is not the most convenient location for those who will need the services, but it is better than no location. And, it would satiate those who want to separate and contain the service providers (and clients) as well as recognize and meet the needs in Elgin. A location at the EMHC may be an idea whose time has come. What will the city council and management have to say (or not say)?

Dennis Novotny

Elgin

The need for volunteers

Recently at a conference for volunteer administrators, the keynote speaker made the comment, "Volunteering is not just a nice thing to do, it's necessary."

In today's society, people have become less community-oriented and more withdrawn into their own little world with less concern for others and little or no extra time to "give away."

Another eye-opening statement was that more people are bowling today than ever before but there are fewer bowling leagues. The social fabric of America is weakening.



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We are becoming a country of suspicious strangers, a nation of spectators. However, volunteering can be the currency that brings it all together. We must create a sense of community and give everyone a stake in it.

Whose responsibility is it if problems facing the new millennium are to be answered?

Volunteers can make a difference in the future of our nation by showing that people care and are proving it by doing something constructive in their communities.

Even though you might think that individually you wouldn't have much of an impact on society, never doubt that collectively even a small group of concerned citizens can change the world.

Roberta Basham

Volunteer Coordinator

Neighbor To Neighbor

Senior Services Associates

Elgin

Gun show law on books

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Kirk Dillard

State Senator

Hinsdale

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DuPage County Circuit Court proceedings of April 16-22.

Felonies

- Irvin A. Gorder, 40, 4 Windermere On Duxb, Rolling Meadows. Possession of controlled substance: guilty; 24 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 825.

- Edward J. Hallisy, 21, 5429 S. Blackstone, Chicago. Possession of controlled substance: guilty; 24 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 910. - Robert F. Hancock, 38, 523 N. Martha, Lombard. Possession of controlled substance: guilty; 30 months in jail.

- Craig L. Haynes, 29, 8108 Waterbury, Woodridge. Retail theft: guilty; 3 years in jail.

Misdemeanors

- Mark S. Gonzalez, 32, 22 West End, Westmont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.

- Kevin D. Govan, 25, 10 S. 646 Lilac Lane, Hinsdale. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Thomas F. Grandinetti, 26, 557 Green Ridge, Addison. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.

- William T. Gray, 31, 10241 S. 81st Court, Palos Hills. Retail theft: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 140.

- Jeremy J. Grayson, 24, 7343 Tennessee Drive, Willowbrook. Possessing less than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; 2 months conditional discharge. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 2 months conditional discharge.

- Charlene D. Green, 30, 5521 W. Washington, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100. Improper use of registration or certificate of title: case dropped. Possessing less than 2.5 grams of marijuana: not guilty.

- Christopher B. Greene, 25, 68 S. Glenview, Lombard. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.



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- James A. Grissom, 20, 2035 N. Nagle, Chicago. Improper use of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Brett C. Halfpenny Jr., 18, 238 W. Pomeroy St., West Chicago. Possessing firearm with expired **FOID** card-eligible for renewal: case dropped. Possessing firearm ammunition without valid **FOID** card: case dropped. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 175.
- Edward J. Hallisy, 21, 5429 S. Blackstone, Chicago. Possessing 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: case dropped. Possessing fictitious or altered drivers license or permit: case dropped.
- Gregory D. Hamilton, 30, 1035 Willoth Place, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Jesse L. Hansen, 17, 925 S. McLean, Elgin. Improper use of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.
- Jeffrey R. Hart, 42, 5301 Fonda Lane, Hanover Park. Reckless conduct: case dropped.
- S A. Hasan, 41, 220 Leeward, Hanover Park. Improper use of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Martin J. Hazard, 25, 1029 Blanchard, Downers Grove. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 360.
- Dorothy J. Heads, 39, 659 37th St., Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- William R. Heath, 21, 1500 Light Road, Oswego. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- James J. Heintz, 22, 1607 Hadley Drive, Batavia. Possessing less than 2.5 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 487.
- Nancee J. Henrikson, 47, 22W414 Hackberry, Glen Ellyn. Acquisition of controlled substance: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Antonio G. Hernandez, 21, 940 Garys Mill Road, West Chicago. Improper use of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Matthew F. Heumann, 22, 120 W. Maple Ave., Roselle. Possessing firearm ammunition without valid **FOID** card: guilty; 14 days in jail. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 14 days in jail.
- Denver M. Hinkle, 47, 16W330 Hillside Lane, Hinsdale. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Nicholas P. Hoff, 17, 3S441 Curtis Ave., Warrenville. Battery: case dropped.
- Tracy A. Housman, 19, 603 1/2 Douglas, Morris. Theft of labor, services or



use of property: case dropped.

- Clayton O. Howard, 26, 2622 Burr Ridge, Woodridge. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.

- Jacqueline S. Howe, 26, 1116 Langley Circle, Naperville. Reckless driving: guilty; 24 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 1144.

- Jaime L. Hughes, 17, 1095 Long Grove Lane, Aurora. Possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Possession of 2.5-10 grams of marijuana: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 470.

- David R. Hummon, 35, 3804 N. Washington St., Westmont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 90 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120. Driving with any amount of alcohol, drug or intoxicating compound: case dropped.

- Cordell M. Hypes, 29, 217 Admiralway, Carmell, Ind. Public indecency-lewd exposure: case dropped. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: case dropped.

- John E. Jarka, 18, 1136 Glenys Drive, Lemont. Retail theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 296.

- Eric M. Jefferson, 21, 590 Miner, Bolingbrook. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 200.

- John G. Jenkins, 35, 1011 Ashton Court, Streamwood. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Joseph B. Johnson, 29, 26 S. Chestnut, Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 298.

- Yvette A. Johnson, 25, 1643 Merrimac, Chicago. Retail theft: guilty; 60 days in jail.

- Harry E. Jones, 24, 897 W. North Ave., Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Vicki J. Jordan, 33, 3S520 West Ave., Warrenville. Failing to give information to owner after striking unattended vehicle or property: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 85.

- Judy K. Joy, 46, 5602 Riverview, Lisle. Criminal trespass to residence: case dropped. Leaving scene of accident involving damage to a vehicle: case dropped.

- James F. Kaminski, 41, 1979 Loomes, Downers Grove. Domestic battery: case dropped.

DUI Report

A listing from the Illinois Secretary of State of driver's licenses revoked or suspended for DUI convictions during the week ending April 17. Some revocations or suspensions are later rescinded; such actions are indicated.



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Suspension For Refusing or Failing Chemical Testing

- Vipul Bhardwaj, 23, 833 Prairie Ave., Bartlett.
- Shari L. Breitung, 35, 1211 Whispering Hills Court, Naperville.
- Albert E. Broom, 45, 195 Vantroba, Glendale Heights.
- Patrick M. Barnett, 24, 25W201 Oldham Road, Naperville.
- Dennis T. Cable, 20, 7824 Dorchester Lane, Darien.
- Epifanio Caballero, 41, 1641 Windsor Court, West Chicago.
- Joseph Thomas Casey III, 33, 311 Wood St., Wheaton.
- Bentura B. Contreras, 22, 2209 Arbor Court, Downers Grove.
- Julio Ceron, 25, 630 E. George St., Bensenville.
- Kurt E. Fischer, 35, 7722 Cass Ave., Darien.
- Martin M. Frederick, 36, 7632 Woodridge Drive, Woodridge.
- Benjamin N. Gagliardi, 22, 2441 62nd St., Downers Grove.
- Jesus Gomez, 39, 516 S. Kendall, Aurora.
- Ryan T. Graft, 25, 1537 Westminster Drive, Naperville.
- Glenn R. Greer, 49, 5512 E. Lake Drive, Lisle.
- Janice M. Haas, 49, 5524 Barclay Court, Clarendon Hills.

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A compilation of DuPage County Circuit Court proceedings of Feb. 12-18.

Felonies

- George K. Abalos, 22, 1343 Big Horn Trail, Carol Stream. Weapons-firearm in vehicle or concealed: guilty; 18 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 1,242.

- Stephen D. Carter, 22, 29W536 Country Ridge, Warrenville. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: case dropped.

- Steve J. Daly, 27, 817 Fairmont, Des Plaines. Cannabis-possess more than 500 but equal to 2000 grams: guilty; 4 years in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 6,762. - Scott P. Damnjanovic, 21, 820 Yosemite Trail, Roselle. Retail theft: guilty; 30 months in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 215.

- Mark A. Fitez, 34, 16720 W. Sioux Drive, Lockport. Stalking: case dropped.

- Cory A. Glazier, 20, 403 S. Elizabeth, Lombard. Residential burglary: guilty; 4 years in jail.

- Timothy B. Gunter, 18, 2924 Robert Drive, Woodridge. Receive, possess or sell stolen motor vehicle: guilty; 36 months probation. Burglary: guilty; 364 days periodic imprisonment, court costs/fines, \$ 405.

- Laquita S. Hardy, 27, 958 N. Avers, Chicago. Issue or deliver forged document: guilty; 52 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 521.

- Robert D. Jones, 29, 1510 S. 5th Ave., Maywood. Theft of stolen goods: case dropped. Retail theft: case dropped. Aggravated fleeing or attempting to elude police officer: case dropped. Receive, possess or sell stolen motor vehicle: guilty; 8 years in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 819. Receive, possess or sell stolen motor vehicle: case dropped.

- Cristobal S. Lopez, 19, 2941 N. Kedzie, Chicago. Unlawful use of weapons-possess firearm in public: guilty; 24 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 482. Weapons-firearm in vehicle or concealed: case dropped.

Misdemeanors

- George K. Abalos, 22, 1343 Big Horn Trail, Carol Stream. Possess firearm with no valid FOID - is eligible: case dropped.



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- James E. Adams, 49, 5958 W. Erie, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Victoria J. Adams, 52, 1301 S. Finley Road, Lombard. Retail theft: case dropped.

- William B. Adams, 33, 628 S. Finley, Lombard. Harassment by telephone: case dropped.

- Jesus D. Almocera, 45, 516 Amhurst Ave., Romeoville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- Charles E. Anderson, 55, 24 W. Donwood Drive, Naperville. Fail to give aid or information at attended accident involving vehicle damage: guilty; 2 years conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- James L. Anderson Jr., 24, 12245 S. Michigan, Chicago. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: guilty; 12 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 382. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 12 months probation, court costs/fines, \$ 239.

- Raymond M. Antosz, 60, 205 W. 59th St., Hinsdale. Criminal damage to property: case dropped. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: case dropped.

- Inocencio T. Arista, 19, 182 E. Fullerton Ave., Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Joseph T. Armato, 37, 1648 N. 23rd Ave., Melrose Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Kimberly D. Arwine, 28, 5601 Tennessee Ave., Clarendon Hills. Aggravated assault with a deadly weapon: guilty; 1 year probation, court costs/fines, \$ 175.

- Michael J. Avildsen, 47, 2423 Ogden Ave., Downers Grove. Retail theft: guilty; 60 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 170.

- Steven M. Baidson, 24, 6S080 Lakewood Drive, Naperville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- John P. Baloun, 24, 30W249 Bedford Court, Warrenville. Criminal damage to property: case dropped. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: case dropped.

- Eleadin T. Barrera, 29, 2333 N. Harding, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- James E. Bartels, 21, 555 Mitchell, Elmhurst. Unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; 30 days in jail. Possess not more than 2.5 grams of cannabis: guilty; 30 days in jail.

- Anthony J. Bartolone, 18, 468 Spring Ave., Naperville. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.



- Robert A. Basa, 31, 3808 Liberty Blvd., Westmont. Domestic battery: guilty; 5 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 285. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Julia A. Beach, 39, 118 E. Norris Drive, Ottawa. Retail theft: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 245.
- Bryan M. Beck, 20, 317 S. Ridgewood Ave., Bensenville. Theft-unauthorized control of property not exceeding \$ 300: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 230. Theft: case dropped.
- John E. Beck, 29, 1107 Gael Drive, Joliet. No valid commercial drivers license: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 85.
- Susan G. Belizario, 51, 132 Greenway Drive, Bloomingdale. Retail theft: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 205.
- Jeffrey A. Berbert, 34, 1868 Irene, Sandwich. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Sheldon L. Berman, 53, 258 E. Bailey Road, Naperville. Domestic battery: case dropped. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 237.
- Joe W. Berndt, 34, 17903 Highland, Tinley Park. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.
- Ramon A. Betancourt, 19, 4725 Lake Trail Drive, Lisle. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 67.
- Jeffrey S. Bilek, 30, 344 W. Chestnut, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.
- Sabrin L. Blakemore, 27, 1940 S. 23rd Ave., Broadview. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: case dropped.
- Greail S. Blanton, 23, 1735 Robin Lane, Lisle. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 58 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.
- Katherine A. Bowen, 41, 308 Dale, Addison. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 120 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.
- Sylvia A. Bozeman, 20, 2017 Farnham Court, Schaumburg. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100. Unlawful use of license or permit-fail to surrender suspended/revoked/canceled: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Lizamay N. Braxton, 28, 112 E. Jefferson, Bensenville. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Randall L. Brummel Jr., 24, 9S115 Naper Blvd., Naperville. Criminal damage to property: case dropped. Disorderly conduct-breach of peace: case dropped.
- Scott C. Bulawa, 23, 733 E. Norton, Lombard. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.



- John A. Cabay Jr., 28, 440 N. Gerard, Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.
- Joseph V. Calamia, 23, 1813 N. 18th Ave., Melrose Park. Harassment by telephone: guilty; 180 days in jail.
- Jaime M. Caplan, 23, 220 S. Roselle Road, Schaumburg. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 80. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: case dropped.
- Donald C. Caprio, 20, 1438 Magnolia Way, Carol Stream. Theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.
- Stephen D. Carter, 22, 29W536 Country Ridge, Warrenville. Possess more than 2.5 but not more than 10 grams of cannabis: case dropped.
- John P. Carway, 32, 845 Oakwood Drive, Westmont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Philip A. Cassello, 53, 1714 Chestnut Hill Road, Plainfield. Unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Driving with license revoked: case dropped.
- Hector T. Cobarrubias, 28, 2246 S. 50th Ave., Cicero. Possess more than 2.5 but not more than 10 grams of cannabis: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370.
- Kenneth W. Collins, 35, 104 W. 66th St., Westmont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Michael J. Conforti, 27, 1519 Mercury Drive, Schaumburg. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 90 days in jail.
- Ronald Cook, 50, 10S210, Bolingbrook. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 22 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 110.
- John J. Crilly, 28, 434 E. North Broadway, Lombard. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 200.
- Michael P. Crimmin, 25, 4673 Lake Valley Drive, Lisle. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.
- Jason E. Cromwell, 17, 622 Jonquil, Lisle. Unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia: case dropped. Possess more than 2.5 but not more than 10 grams of cannabis: case dropped.
- Jeffery C. Crowe, 31, 294 Illinois St., Elmhurst. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge.
- Michael M. Czernecki, 23, 2948 N. Mason St., Chicago. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Brian A. Davis, 20, 2S551 Continental, Warrenville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.



- Timothy J. Degeorge, 38, 1118 N. Dale Ave., Arlington Heights. Violation of order of protection: case dropped. Violation of order of protection: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 230.

- Michael B. Delfiaccio, 31, 1320 S. Wenonah Ave., Berwyn. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 14 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- James E. Dennis, 54, 23W606 Walnut St., Roselle. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 135. Battery: case dropped.

- Leroy A. Dennis, 28, 6337 S. Damen, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 200.

- Michelle M. Diana, 36, 8111 Route 53, Woodridge. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Robert A. Diaz, 35, 880 N. Elmwood Ave., Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Dina M. Dinatale, 28, 115 Walnut Drive, St. Charles. Retail theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Nicholas J. Dobberthien, 17, 433 S. Finley, Lombard. Contributing to neglect of child: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130. Unlawful possession or consumption of alcohol by a minor: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.

- Ericson S. Domingo, 29, 642 S. Lalonde Ave., Lombard. Battery: guilty; 23 days in jail.

- Richard L. Dotson, 46, 2405 W. Jarvis, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125. Unlawful display of registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Richard A. Ducar, 31, 1315 E. Hill, Wheaton. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.

- Bobby J. Dulin, 29, 11S471 Carpenter Street, Lemont. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Martina M. Dunbar, 34, 16W477 Mockingbird, Hinsdale. Endangering the health or life of a child: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130. Driving with any amount of alcohol, drug or intoxicating compound: case dropped.

- James P. Dwyer, 36, 1122 Evergreen Ave., Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Bryan B. Dyer, 22, 437 N. Route 53, Lombard. Criminal trespass to land: guilty; 20 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 160. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: guilty; 20 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 140. Resisting or obstructing a police officer: guilty; 20 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 140.



- Michael T. Edeus, 20, 13338 S. 88th Ave., Orland Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Latonja R. Emerson, 25, 908 College Blvd., Addison. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Demitri T. Evans, 25, 515 Van St., Elgin. Retail theft: guilty; 116 days in jail.
- Sylvester E. Flowers, 22, 501 E. 32nd St., Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.
- Robert S. Ford, 22, 323 Joliet St., Joliet. Possess more than 2.5 but not more than 10 grams of cannabis: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 480.
- Torrence D. Franklin, 28, 17741 Harvard Lane, Country Club Hills. Theft: case dropped.
- Zenobia A. Frazier, 48, 6601 S. Laflin, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Robert A. Gaimari Jr., 33, 364 Sandhurst Court, Glen Ellyn. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 135. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Salomon G. Galvan, 21, 6001 S. Lenzi Ave., Hodgkins. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.
- Patrick R. Gannon, 17, 419 W. Butterfield, Elmhurst. Operate a vehicle with canceled, suspended or revoked Illinois registration: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Fernando C. Garcia, 19, 940 Garys Mill Road, West Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.
- Teresa S. Garcia, 24, 10 S. 700 Hyacinth, Hinsdale. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Richard E. Gary, 35, 414 N. Laverne, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.
- Anne V. Gibson, 22, 2800 N. Pinegrove, Chicago. Criminal damage to property: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 455.
- Gregory F. Giggers, 30, 7918 S. Laflin St., Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Jose A. Gonzalez, 33, 304 Westbrook Court, Naperville. Possess more than 2.5 but not more than 10 grams of cannabis: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 545.
- Jermaine B. Goodrich, 18, 3320 Wilcox, Bellwood. Theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 130.



- Constance F. Grajek-Yahn, 35, 455 N. Cedar Ave., Wood Dale. Driving with license revoked: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Paul L. Grgula, 38, 32305 Village Green, Warrenville. Fail to give aid or information at attended accident involving vehicle damage: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 100.

- Bruce J. Grissette, 23, 547 College Ave., Aurora. Retail theft: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 211.

- Timothy B. Gunter, 18, 2924 Roberts Drive, Woodridge. Possess not more than 2.5 grams of cannabis: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 410. Possess not more than 2.5 grams of cannabis: guilty; 30 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 380.

- Mark E. Hardy, 21, 1373 Robinwood Drive, Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 250.

- Melissia C. Harrell, 27, 520 Iowa Ave., Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 90.

- Mamdouh H. Hassaballa, 48, 5108 W. Madison St., Chicago. Domestic battery: case dropped. Interfering with the reporting of domestic violence: case dropped.

- James P. Hendricks, 39, 1740 W. Arlington Drive, Hanover Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 217.

- John M. Hennegan, 18, 2335 Wyndham Court, Aurora. Criminal damage to property: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 237. Criminal damage to property: case dropped.

- James K. Hobart, 33, 1113 W. Cermak Road, Broadview. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 7 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 120.

- Arnesha L. Hobson, 22, 421 Sidney, Glendale Heights. Driving while license suspended: not guilty.

- Richard J. Hubeny, 37, 586 Lorraine, Elmhurst. Possess firearm with no valid **FOID** - is eligible: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 374. Possess firearm ammunition without valid **FOID** card: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 237.

- William F. Huber III, 38, 634 Blakeley, West Chicago. Violation of order of protection: case dropped. Domestic battery: case dropped.

- Jorge L. Huerta, 21, 1557 Jill Court, Glendale Heights. Driving with license revoked: guilty; 60 days in jail. Obstructing justice-evidence and false information: guilty; 60 days in jail.

- Shawn F. Ingraham, 34, 3S333 Curtis Ave., Warrenville. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.

- Mark A. Iniguez, 37, 611 E. Benton St., Aurora. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 500.



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- Frank C. Jackson, 65, 3921 W. Jackson, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Ronnie L. Jackson, 44, 5521 S. Aberdeen, Chicago. Driving while license suspended: guilty; 24 days in jail, court costs/fines, \$ 110.
- Dennis J. Jankowski, 44, 310 George St., Bensenville. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.
- Laura B. Johnson, 24, 2024 Fox Pointe Circle, Aurora. Driving while license suspended: case dropped.
- Wayne M. Johnston, 21, 126 E. Jefferson, Joliet. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 500.
- Carolyn B. Jones, 28, 111 Gerry Stevens Court, Bensenville. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 125.
- Mathew P. Kager, 32, 4775 Lake Trail Drive, Lisle. Unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 1,031. Possess not more than 2.5 grams of cannabis: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 370.
- Wojtek M. Karasek, 19, 23 N. Yale, Villa Park. Improper use of evidences of registration or certificate of title: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- James R. Karr, 40, 121 N. Sponable, Marengo. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 150.
- Kevin G. Keegan, 34, 1320 Caribou Trail, Carol Stream. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Eric J. Kile, 24, 837 Royal Glen, Carol Stream. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Darryl A. Kilpatrick, 21, 21W551 North Ave., Lombard. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 80.
- Harold W. Kinander, 34, 316 Briarwood, Bloomingdale. Domestic battery: guilty; 1 year conditional discharge, court costs/fines, \$ 255. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Rebecca C. Klein, 18, 15W665 Diversey, Elmhurst. Domestic battery: case dropped.
- Geneva M. Klemm, 37, 434 N. Ardmore, Villa Park. Driving while license suspended: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 200.
- Richard T. Knight, 31, 29W242 Grove Ave., West Chicago. Interfering with the reporting of domestic violence: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 237.
- Justin G. Krejci, 18, 27W711 Galusha Ave., Warrenville. Domestic battery: guilty; 12 months probation.



- Lawrence F. Krivis, 48, 555 James Court, Glendale Heights. Fail to give aid or information in accident involving death or personal injury: case dropped.

- Walter J. Krueger III, 27, 5730 Woodward Avenue, Downers Grove. Battery: guilty; court costs/fines, \$ 135. Domestic battery: case dropped.

DUI Report

A listing from the Illinois Secretary of State of drivers licenses revoked or suspended for DUI convictions during the week ending Feb. 11. Some revocations or suspensions are later rescinded; such actions are indicated.

Revocation for DUI Conviction - Alcohol

- Darcy C. Anderson, 30, 1236 N. Kings Crossing, West Chicago.
- Juan Diaz, 31, 509 Green Oaks, Addison.
- Luis Flores, 41, 158 Quail Run Court, Carol Stream.
- Alexis A. Hurtado, 30, 516 N. Lincoln, Addison.
- John A. Leibundguth, 27, 5820 Tennessee Ave., Willowbrook.
- Nerijus Puodziukaitis, 25, 1112 S. Williams, Westmont.
- Sonia R. Rodriguez, 35, 3S326 Blackthorne Lane, Warrenville.
- Noe Rodriguez-Menueses, 27, 529 Macie, Addison.
- Benjamin Salas, 23, 340 Lincoln Court, Addison.
- Teresa A. Salmi, 29, 812 Cardiff Road, Naperville.
- Charles Y. Stage, 40, 443 N. West Ave., Elmhurst.
- Jose Antonio Vasquez, 21, 813 Main St., West Chicago.
- Jeffrey C. Weiersheuser, 19, 798 Santa Fe Court, Carol Stream.
- Daniel J. Wojcik, 18, 36 N. Addison Road, Villa Park.

Revocation for DUI Conviction - Rescinded

- Rodelic Delfi, 33, 120 E. Fullerton, Elmhurst.
- Erik J. Kandziora, 17, 20 Woodstock Ave., Clarendon Hills.
- Jonathan D. Spring, 34, 335 n. Columbine, Lombard.

Suspension For Refusing or Failing Chemical Testing

- Jose Juan Aca, 38, 29W551 Country Ridge, Warrenville.



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- Luis Omar Perez Acevedo, 24, 1128 S. Williams St., Westmont.
- Benjamin J. Aiken, 21, 30W0220 Huntington Drive, Warrenville.
- James M. Allen, 37, 2678 Mapleside Lane, Aurora.
- James T. Archbold, 32, 15 Highlake, West Chicago.
- Ricardo Caverio Argeiz, 26, Marriott Hotel, Naperville.
- Michael L. Banks, 43, 639 Meadows Blvd., Addison.
- Laura A. Berger, 1527 Westminster Drive, Naperville.
- Robert C. Bernero, 51, 300 Duane, Glen Ellyn.
- John P. Bratek, 39, 1202 E. Lowden, Wheaton.
- John W. Caffey, 60, 1509 Hill Ave., Wheaton.
- Jeremy R. Campbell, 22, 7602 Orchard Lane, Woodridge.
- Patricia L. Cibrario, 40, 122 W. Golden, Glendale Heights.
- Jeremy W. Clingerman, 24, 3412 Jol Ann lane, Woodridge.
- Kevin P. Conlon, 36, 7112 Cambridge Road, Woodridge.
- Michael D. Crawford, 40, 771 Barry Ave., Wheaton.
- Laura V. Dierking, 37, 627 S. hale Ave., Wheaton.
- Michael R. Dutcher, 49, 22W550 Glen Court, Medinah.
- Robert T. Erdell, 50, 4837 Woodward, Downers Grove.
- Marlon Y. Figueroa, 19, 740 S. Charlotte, Lombard.
- Thomas Michael Fox, 44, 40 N. Tower Road, Oak Brook.
- Juan Jose Garnica, 29, 817 Burr Oak, West Chicago.

Summary Suspension Rescinded

- Kenneth T. H. Bouton, 50, 4201 Johnson, Western Springs.
- Nancy J. Mahaffey, 39, 1627 Prestwick, Naperville.
- Justin W. Novak, 18, 725 S. Cornell, Villa Park.

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HEADLINE: Shooting leads to six arrests in Carpentersville

BYLINE: Jared Elzey Daily Herald Staff Writer

BODY:

The investigation of a shooting on the 100 block of JFK Memorial Drive in Carpentersville resulted in the arrest of three Carpentersville juveniles and three adults with 15 counts of weapon and drug-related charges, police said Wednesday.

Star Quinoes, 19, 74 Alameda Drive, Matthew D. Capre, 18, 2713 Hopi Circle, and Jason P. Yates, 18, of 2713 Hopi Circle, all of Carpentersville, were arrested Tuesday night at 2713 Hopi Circle, police said.

Police were told that three people involved in a shooting had run down the street to the Hopi address. When checking the residence, weapons and drugs were found resulting in the following charges:

- Three counts unlawful use of a weapon by a felon, one count unlawful possession of cannabis and no **firearm owner's identification card** for Quinoes.
- Two counts unlawful use of a weapon, one count unlawful discharge of a weapon, one count unlawful possession of cannabis, and no **firearm owner identification card** for Capre.

- Two counts unlawful use of a weapon, one count unlawful possession of cannabis, one count unlawful possession of a controlled substance and no **firearm owner identification card** for Yates.

Police said that more than 30 grams of cannabis was found and less than one gram of cocaine.

The three youths were taken to the Kane County Juvenile Center and the adults were taken to the Kane County Jail. Quinoes, Capre and Yates are being held for a Dec. 29 court date since none of them could post bond, officials said.

The man who was shot at on JFK Memorial Drive said that three people in a parking lot had flashed gang hand signs at him and started yelling. He yelled back at them and heard shots fired.

When searching the house after the arrests, police found a .22-caliber handgun hidden in a wall and a bullet casing in a trash can. The bullet had apparently jammed in the gun during the shooting, police reports indicated.



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More information was not available since police are still investigating. No one was reported hurt in the incident.

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HEADLINE: Daley's take on guns is far off the mark

BODY:

I read Mayor Daley's reply (column, Dec. 7) to your Nov. 13 editorial, and I must address a few points.

"The City of Chicago has confiscated and destroyed more than 170,000 guns." How many arrests were made, and how many resulted in convictions? If only 10 percent resulted in convictions, wouldn't that mean 17,000 more felons on the books prohibited from buying firearms?

"Chicago has a complete ban on handguns, except those purchased and registered before 1982." According to the ordinance, police and security officers must register their handguns. When these people retire or quit, are these handguns somehow made to disappear?

"Gun crimes are down in every category, due in large part to our aggressive enforcement of gun laws." Violent crimes, including those committed with firearms, are down throughout the nation, especially in those states with concealed carry permits. How does the mayor explain this?

"The gun that killed Police Officer Michael Cerialle in August was purchased legally at a suburban gun shop by an admitted gunrunner for Chicago street gangs." The key words are "purchased legally." A quote from the mayor of Chicago that says something was legally sold would be a pretty good defense in any criminal or civil trial.

"We learned that people without **firearm owner identification cards** could easily walk into gun shops, pay for guns and walk out, using another person's **FOID** card, and the dealers did nothing to stop them." What the mayor is saying is that the person whose name was on the **FOID** card is not the person who filled out and signed the paperwork for the firearm purchase. Additionally, he is saying that the sales did not include a waiting period. The suit filed did not detail these facts. Was he referring to another group of incidents?

"Finally, I called for laws holding gun dealers liable for injuries and deaths caused by guns they knowingly sell to people who are likely to re-sell or misuse them."



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If a person buys a gun and signs paperwork claiming that the gun is for him or her, how are gun dealers to determine otherwise?

"It also calls for state licensing of gun dealers, which would allow us to better enforce gun laws and better trace guns involved in crimes." There are approximately 20,000 local, state and federal gun laws on the books right now. Being licensed by the state would not improve the system. However, Illinois gun dealers are in favor of state regulation. We would not have a mixture of local ordinances passed by every town in the state. Dealers have been trying to pass this law for years. It's called preemption. Daley has been one of its greatest opponents.

If the mayor is true to his convictions, I propose the following:

Have the mayor's office make a list of all **FOID** cards belonging to Chicago police officers, firefighters, city workers and politicians. The list of numbers, without names, then can be submitted to the State Police section that approves gun sales through dealers.

The number of transactions for each gun card then can be reported. Compare the number of transactions against the number of registrations in the city in the last five years. The answer may surprise people.

If it's not about money and not about politics, there should be no reason for this not to happen.

The mayor should clean up at home before he arrogantly tries to tell the suburbs how to conduct business.

Don Beltrame,

Suburban Sporting Goods,

Melrose Park

(Editor's note: Suburban Sporting Goods is one of 12 gun dealers named in the civil suit filed by Mayor Daley.)

Playing by the rules

I cannot understand why House Judiciary Committee Chairman Henry J. Hyde (R-Ill.) and other Republican members of Congress are surprised when President Clinton responds to questions (none of which should be dignified by an answer) with so-called legalese.

Why don't Hyde, Kenneth Starr and others realize they were the ones who started the game, and these are the rules they have decided upon, and now the president must play by these same rules? Of course, Clinton has no choice but to respond in legalese.

They just believe the American people are ill-informed enough to think that this is out of the question in a legal battle. Let's get back to government instead of partisan Gotcha games.



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Matt Parker, Lincoln Square

Scandal a safe bet

I very much appreciated Rick Telander's column (Dec. 6) about Northwestern University's culpability in the football and basketball point-shaving scandals.

Still, without our august newspapers giving us point spreads, over and unders, and a host of gambling information every day, the illegal activity of betting might have been harder to receive.

Then we have WSCR-AM touting us several times a week, so that the young and vulnerable get sold on the idea that the only reason to stay with a bad game is to see if it beats the over and under. Such legitimation never gets examined anywhere, unless we contact the Federal Communications Commission and let them know what we think about their license.

Also, we have the law that prohibits taking money for shaving points. What is the law for? It certainly is not for the athletes, who got caught and got felony records for it. It certainly is not for the purist sports fans. I have been cheering for UCLA for almost 50 years since I went there, and I never know what the odds are. No, it is clear that the law exists to protect the sports bettors, and with money at stake, it is an open invitation to corrupt our athletes. Perhaps it is time to spread the guilt around.

Gerald E. Forshey, La Grange

Battle of the sexes

The news media are having a heyday depicting men as stupid clods because they hate shopping.

Well, how superior are women when they show up at a car repair garage and say: My motor (meaning engine) just died! Or they stare at their flat tire as if trying to figure out the universe. Or how superior are women without a man in the house when in the wee hours someone is at their back door attempting illegal entry?

Is it possible that one of the reasons men hate to be dragged to go shopping is that they so often wind up having to pay the bills? Gender bashing can go both ways!

Peter J. Botzek, Rogers Park

Voodoo economics

James Glassman is both right on the mark (concerning Social Security's "trust fund") and way off base (concerning current unified budget surpluses) in his column ("Clinton's bluff keeps myths alive," Dec. 1).

As Glassman points out, Social Security will begin running cash deficits in 2013, and since the Social Security trust fund has been "borrowed," the economic ramifications of Social Security's shortfall will occur sooner rather than later. Cash cannot be spent twice, in 1998 and again in 2013.



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However, Glassman misses national debt projections for 2013 by several trillion dollars. Instead of the \$ 4 trillion or \$ 5.5 trillion that he mentions (the current national debt is \$ 5.5 trillion), in 2008, when the first baby boomers begin to retire, the debt is projected to be more than \$ 7 trillion. While we discuss unified surpluses, the national debt continues to grow because we continue to borrow from Social Security's surpluses.

Glassman goes on to say that utilizing current unified surpluses (which are merely borrowed from Social Security's surplus for tax cuts) will not impact Social Security and that the surplus and Social Security are separate issues. Not true. The case for tax cuts might be strong if the surpluses did not include amounts borrowed from the "off-budget" Social Security trust fund. But they do. According to the Congressional Budget Office's current service estimates, the "on-budget" total over the next five years will be a deficit of \$ 137 billion. Tax cuts could only widen this deficit and make it all the more difficult to achieve a true balanced budget.

We must remember that the projected surpluses are a relatively short-term phenomenon. They will disappear in a few years when baby boomers begin retiring. Predicating a permanent tax cut on a temporary surplus would not be a sound budgetary practice.

Corey L. Davison,
Midwest regional director,
the Concord Coalition
Lessons not learned

In these United States one child in five is hungry each day. We have more than 1 million teen runaways (a 10-year-old estimate), and 1.2 million abortions were performed last year.

We handicap our children, especially the poor, by what we do not teach them. Why would we want to teach them the realities of sex? We teach driver education. Does that cause more accidents?

Susan Lenz, Near North Side
Cleared for landing

Regarding Ed Moltzan's letter (Dec. 1) "Meet me in Peotone," I say go ahead and move to Peotone. People in the northwest suburbs should be happy if O'Hare Airport expands and opens new runways. New runways mean less congestion and a safer airport.

All those planes flying around waiting to land are causing far more dangerous conditions than added runways ever would. Fewer planes flying around would mean less noise pollution.

I live on the Northwest Side near O'Hare, and I would like some relief from air traffic over my home. Let's open new runways, cut congestion and stop crying.



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Suburban gun dealers were accused in a \$ 433 million city lawsuit Thursday of knowingly selling guns to suspicious buyers and advising customers they thought were gang members what ammunition to use to avoid hitting bystanders.

"When they say things like that, (gun buyers) are not talking about deer hunting or sports shooting. They're talking about gang warfare," Chicago Police Supt. Terry Hillard said.

In just 62 working days, 171 guns were purchased by undercover Chicago police officers posing as gang members, motorcycle toughs and camouflage-wearing soldiers of fortune. The 10 officers had only three phony **firearm owner's identification cards** among them.

The dealers are accused of making "straw sales," which occur when an **FOID** card holder buys a gun and passes it to someone without a card.

The ease with which the officers were able to buy weapons -- many of which are illegal in Chicago and elsewhere -- laid the groundwork for the Circuit Court suit that accuses a dozen suburban gun shops, 22 gun manufacturers and four gun distributors of violating public nuisance laws.

"We hold polluters accountable for poisoning the environment," Mayor Daley said. "We hold liquor stores accountable for selling to minors. It's time to hold the gun industry accountable for the direct costs imposed on us."

During the investigation, a Riverdale gun shop reportedly advised an undercover officer buying two handguns to pick them up separately so the store could avoid notifying the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms of a multiple gun purchase. That same store, Chuck's Gun Shop, sold the .357 Smith & Wesson revolver used to kill Chicago police officer Michael Ceriale to a man now awaiting trial on gun-running charges.



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Another store, Bell's Gun & Sport Shop in Franklin Park, allowed an undercover officer with no card to hand \$ 600 in cash to a partner who did have an **FOID**. The partner then handed the money to the clerk in a transaction captured on videotape and played at Thursday's news conference.

"One of these dealers tried to sell bullets to one of our undercover officers by pointing out that they explode on impact. He told our officers that the bullets 'don't go through the target and hit a little girl on the next block,' " Hillard said, indicating that such a pitch would target gang members. Dean Cerretti, assistant manager of Bell's, said he had "no recollection" of the transaction, adding that the store "wouldn't touch with a 10-foot pole" a sale to someone without an **FOID** card. He denounced the mayor's lawsuit as "frivolous" political posturing.

"It's the same as trying to sue General Motors for drunk driving," Cerretti said.

Donald Beltrame, owner of Suburban Sporting Goods of Melrose Park, said it's no accident Daley is targeting the industry on the eve of his 1999 re-election campaign.

After watching the silent videotape, Cook County State's Attorney Richard Devine said he might open a grand jury investigation aimed at pressing criminal charges against the gun dealers.

Even without additional charges, Corporation Counsel Brian Crowe says the city has broken new ground by framing the lawsuit in terms of public nuisance law instead of product liability.

Daley will be in Washington today to push for federal legislation requiring that each gun sale be reported to the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms within one week.

GRAPHIC: Police Supt. Terry Hillard on Thursday shows Mayor Daley one of the 171 guns that undercover officers bought from suburban gun dealers during an investigation.

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