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Jose Perez, 24
2800 block South Drake
Chicago



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Chicago



Cesar Flores, 21
3800 block West 24th Street
Chicago



Celia Barrera, 23
2800 block South Christiana
Chicago

FOUR CHARGED WITH RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY

On January 24, 2012 at 1:01 p.m., Mount Prospect police officers responded to a report of a suspected residential burglary in progress in the 500 block of North Wille Street. A resident reported seeing a pick-up truck back into the driveway of a single family home.

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The witness observed two offenders enter the side door of the house and begin removing electronics items. The offenders fled the scene in the pick-up truck.

Officers responding to the call observed the pick-up truck heading southbound on Main Street and performed a traffic stop on the vehicle at Main and Henry Streets in the downtown area. Proceeds from the burglary in the 500 block of North Wille Street were recovered in the vehicle.

Officers detained four people in the vehicle – Jose Perez, 24, of the 2800 block of South Drake, Chicago; Jesus Salmeron, 18, of the 2800 block of South Drake, Chicago; Cesar Flores, 21, of the 3800 block of West 24th Street, Chicago; and Celia Barbera, 23, of the 2800 block of South Christiana Avenue, Chicago – and brought them to the Mount Prospect Police Department for further investigation.

Investigators conducted interviews with all four offenders who admitted involvement in the Mount Prospect burglary. The Cook County State's Attorney's Office reviewed the case and approved one felony count of Burglary on each of the offenders.

Investigators are attempting to ascertain whether the offenders committed burglaries in other jurisdictions.

The four offenders will appear at the Rolling Meadows Courthouse on Thursday, January 26, 2012 for a bond hearing.