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Police Investigate Two Shots Fired Incidents

Bloomington, IL - On Wednesday, 01/17/24, at approximately 6:45 p.m., a Bloomington police officer heard shots being fired near their location. Additional investigation led to the 800 block of South Summit Street, where officers located evidence a shooting had occurred.

There were no injuries reported as a result of this incident, but property damage did occur. There have been no arrests made at this time.

Later, but still on 01/17/24, at approximately 7:10 p.m., Bloomington police officers were sent to the 900 block of North Oak Street, where several callers reported hearing shots being fired. Upon arrival, officers located evidence an additional shooting had occurred.

There were no injuries reported as a result of this incident, but property damage did occur. There have been no arrests made at this time.

Bloomington Police Chief Jamal Simington stated, "*Thankfully, there were no injuries as a result of these incidents. We take violent incidents very seriously and they have no place in our community. Work with us to combat violence by submitting any tips to the investigating detective or by anonymously texting our Tip411 system.*"

The circumstances behind these incidents are still pending investigation by the Bloomington Police Department. Anyone with information should contact Detective Jacob Law at 309-434-2527 or Jlaw@cityblm.org.

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If you wish to submit a tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at 309-434-2963, you can also send anonymous tips via your smartphone by texting the number 847411 and the word "BPDTIPS", then a space, followed by your tip information, or email CIAU@cityblm.org.

The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.

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