



Press Release
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AGENCY: CARVER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
SHERIFF: BYRON 'BUD' OLSON (634vm)
CLASSIFICATION: THEFTS FROM MOTOR VEHICLES
LOCATION: CITY OF WATERTOWN
TELEPHONE: 952-361-1212

Carver County Sheriff Byron 'Bud' Olson reports that on 08/19/10 his Office received numerous 9-1-1 calls reporting thefts from motor vehicles in the City of Watertown.

During the night of August 18th into the early hours of August 19th thieves took items of value from twelve vehicles. The week previous there were 3 such incidents reported. The estimated total loss was nearly \$10,000 within that time frame.

A purse was taken from one of the vehicles and later recovered from a neighboring dumpster minus cash and contents of value resulting in nearly a \$300 loss to the victim.

The City of Watertown is offering a **\$500 REWARD** for any information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible for these thefts. If you have any such information, please contact 9-1-1 providing as much information as possible.

See the accompanying bulletin for further information.

If you need assistance from police, fire or medical personnel call 9-1-1. Anyone with information related to this incident or any crime is asked to contact the Carver County Sheriff's Office at 952-361-1212. After hours call 952-361-1231. To remain anonymous you may leave a message on the tip line at 952-361-1224. You may also use the tip form on the Sheriff's Office web site at [Crime Tip Form](#).



Carver County Sheriff's Office

City of Watertown – Recent Thefts from Vehicles



August 23, 2010

Subject: Watertown Thefts



Last week (and a few days previous), there were a number of thefts from vehicles (and one yard). In most cases the victims state they had locked their vehicles prior to the thefts. The following table represents a listing of those incidents. It should be noted the purse taken was discarded by the thieves and later recovered with cash missing.

The City of Watertown is offering a **\$500 REWARD** for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the thief/thieves.

10-23432	8/5/2010	GPS	\$150
10-23986	8/10/2010	Stereo System	\$250
10-24236	8/12/2010	Lawn Ornaments	\$850
10-24595	8/14/2010	Boat Speakers	\$200
10-25091	8/19/2010	GPS & Chargers	\$345
10-25093	8/19/2010	MP3 & Damage	\$250
10-25094	8/19/2010	CDs & Charger	\$100
10-25095	8/19/2010	Laptop	\$1,400
10-25099	8/19/2010	I-Trip	\$490
10-25104	8/19/2010	GPS & Chargers	\$150
10-25119	8/19/2010	GPS	\$150
10-25129	8/19/2010	Laptop	\$4,500
10-25131	8/19/2010	GPS & Ipod	\$500
10-25135	8/19/2010	Purse & Contents	\$290
10-25209	8/20/2010	Change	UNL
Est. Total Loss			\$9,625

REMINDER: Lock doors and windows, call **9-1-1** for ANY suspicious activity.

CONTACT:

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CCSO: 9-1-1 OR 952-361-1212

ANONYMOUSLY by using the Tip Line at: 952-361-1224 or by using

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