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OSHKOSH POLICE DEPARTMENT

Date: June 5, 2013 Time: 7:00 A.M.

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Subject: Counterfeit Money Thrown On Oshkosh Streets

The Oshkosh Police Department is investigating a call of someone throwing thousands of dollars of counterfeit \$20 and \$100 bills onto streets for several blocks near the area of Jackson St. and W. Murdock Avenue last night at about 7:45 pm.

Two citizens picked up some of the bills and brought them to the Oshkosh Police Department. The two citizens reported that there were several other citizens that had stopped to pick up the bills in the area.

The Oshkosh Police Department is asking citizens that may have picked up these bills to bring them to the Oshkosh Police Department. Businesses are encouraged to check currency that they may take in today and if they have a counterfeit bill that has been passed, they should contact the Oshkosh Police Department.

It is unknown at this time who had thrown the bills onto the street. The Oshkosh Police Department continues to investigate this incident. Further information may be passed along when it becomes available.

Anyone having information into the counterfeit money or who may have thrown the counterfeit bills onto the street should contact the Oshkosh Police Department at (920) 236-5700.

If you have information and would like to remain anonymous, please contact Winnebago County Wide Crime Stoppers at (920) 231-8477 or text IGOTYA and you crime tip to 274637 or go to www.winnebagocrimestoppers.org and submit your text via the web. You may be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to an arrest.

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