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WYANDOTTE POLICE DEPARTMENT

DESTRUCTION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY/GRAFFITI REWARD PROGRAM

BACKGROUND:

In 2007, the City of Wyandotte adopted a reward program for information leading to the arrest and prosecution of those responsible for damage to public property and graffiti. The program is in effect and rewards are available for citizens who report persons responsible for such criminal activity.

THE REWARD:

The City of Wyandotte will pay up to \$500 for information leading to the arrest and prosecution of suspects responsible for graffiti and other damage to property. The reward is paid on a case-by-case basis so one case equals one payment of possibly \$500, regardless of the number of suspects arrested.

HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS:

1. Residents witnessing graffiti vandalism incidents, or in possession of information identifying suspects, report their information to the Wyandotte Police Department Detective Bureau at (734) 324-4426 or (734) 324-4431 or on a reward application form available from the Police Department or the Wyandotte City Hall.
2. The investigators assigned to the unit will investigate the case and attempt to validate the information provided by residents. Information will be evaluated as to its usefulness in identifying suspects and its value to the prosecution of arrestees or the successful diversion into youth assistance, counseling, or restitution programs.
3. After the case is successfully prosecuted, or the case is successfully resolved through diversion of a juvenile arrestee, the investigator will prepare a recommendation for payment of the reward.
4. The reward is paid!

THAT IS ALL THERE IS TO IT!

Remember, though, it may take a few weeks to several months for the reward to be paid. This is because the payment of the reward comes after the court case! If you have any questions about how the program works, call the Wyandotte Police Detective Bureau at the above telephone number.



City of Wyandotte Reward Application

Payment of Graffiti or Destruction of Public Property



NOTE: The City of Wyandotte is not liable for any personal injury, property damage, or suffering as a result of apprehension or identification of person(s) caught in the act of Graffiti Vandalism. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to file and pursue their reward. The City and other agencies are not responsible for performing this act.

Mail to: Wyandotte Police Department, Att: Police Administration, 2015 Biddle Avenue, Wyandotte, MI 48192

APPLICANT INFORMATION (Please print)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime Contact Phone Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Driver's License # or MI ID # _____ Social Security Number _____

For payment purposes

DESCRIPTION OF CIRCUMSTANCES (Fill in or mark all that apply)

Case Number _____ Date of Incident _____ Time of Incident _____ AM PM

Location of Incident _____

Description of Incident _____

I certify the above information is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____ Date _____

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE - FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Investigating Officer _____ Phone Number _____

- Disposition**
- Approved for \$500 Reward
 - Denied (See Notes Below)
 - Insufficient Involvement
 - Unable to Locate Incident
 - Insufficient Information

Investigation Summary: _____

Reviewed and approved by:

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____