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Graffiti Vandals Identified

ABILENE, TX – Detectives with the Abilene Police Department Youth Division have identified numerous juveniles responsible for a rash of graffiti in the downtown area. The juveniles were identified through after images were captured on a security camera.

The majority of the youths who have been identified do not have a history with the Police Department. We ask parents to have a conversation with their child/children to determine if they have participated in such unlawful acts. Parents may contact the Abilene Police Department's Youth Division at 673–8331 with information regarding any possible graffiti. Our goal is to put a stop to the unlawful destruction of property to the businesses in our community. This act is not a victimless crime. Only by working together with our youth, parents and businesses, the Abilene Police Department can prevent the reoccurrence of this crime.

Businesses that have been victimized by graffiti or for more information about the Graffiti Eradication Program may contact the Police Department's Youth Division at 676-6640. Anyone with information on these offenses or any other criminal offense may call Abilene Crime Stoppers to remain anonymous, (325) 676-8477 (TIPS)

Respectfully,

Rick Tomlin
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