

Village of Tinley Park

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Reward offered following home invasion incident

At the request and recommendation of Tinley Park Mayor Jacob Vandenberg, the Illinois State Crime Commission is offering a \$2,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the individual or individuals who committed, conspired or aided in the home invasion that took place Saturday, Aug. 12 in the 8000 block of Pottawatomi Trail in Tinley Park.

Police said three men armed with handguns entered a single-family home through an open garage door just before midnight and demanded cell phones, electronics and cash from the people inside. The men locked the homeowners and several juveniles in the basement before leaving in an unknown vehicle.

“I commend Mayor Jacob Vandenberg for his proactive stance in protecting his community,” said Jerry Elsner, Executive Director of the Illinois State Crime Commission.

Anyone with information relating to this incident is urged to contact the Tinley Park Police Investigation Department (708) 444-5300.

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