



GLENDALE HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Press Release

For Immediate Release

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On Saturday evening, April 28, 2018, at 10:16 p.m., the Glendale Heights Police Department and the Glenside Fire Protection District responded to a report of an explosion/fire in the 1800 block of Marci Ct, Glendale Heights.

Responding officers located several people who had received burns and summoned medical assistance. The injured were transported to area hospitals. Eight people are known to have been injured at this time.

At this time, it is believed the explosion was a result of a flammable material that was poured onto a small fire in a fire pit in the back yard of a residence when several people were nearby. The cause is as yet undetermined and the incident is still being investigated. There are no signs of foul play.

If anyone has any information about this incident, please call the Glendale Heights Police Department at 630 260-6070.

Deputy Chief Brandon Oliver
Patrol Division

Our Mission

"Working in partnership with our community to maintain safe and secure neighborhoods, reduce crime, and improve the quality of life for our citizens through ethical, courteous and professional police service."