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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Wind Damage Date: January 12, 2011
From: Sgt Chris Burke Case or Incident: 110112-001

Summary:

On Wednesday January 12, 2011, Officers on patrol in the South Douglas area and Downtown Juneau discovered 14 different vehicles and 1 house, which had broken windows on the windward exposed side of the vehicles and house. The approximately 8-foot satellite dish on the side of the KTOO building on Whittier Street had also been blown over by the winds. All of the damage, is determined to be caused by the extremely high winds in the Downtown area. The Juneau Police Department and Harbor Department worked together in contacting the owners of damaged vehicles.

The Juneau Police Department is encouraging residents to park their vehicles in a non-wind exposed area and do what they can to secure their belongings around their houses.

All factual allegations contained in this release are based upon preliminary investigation and are subject to change or clarification as the investigation continues. Any charges reported in this release are merely accusations and all persons named in this release are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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