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Linden Police Arrest Burglary Suspect

Linden – A Rahway man was arrested yesterday after he burglarized a local apartment building.

Charles Flowers, 53, is charged with burglary, hindering, and obstruction after he fled from investigating Officers.

Shortly after 9:30 A.M. Officers responded to an apartment building on the 1100 block of W. St. George Ave on a reported burglary. Flowers fled the scene when confronted by Police. He was located hiding in a nearby dumpster a short while later.

“Home is a place of safety and comfort,” said Police Chief Jonathan Parham. “Removing those who undermine that security remains a top priority of this department.”

Flowers was charged with third-degree attempted burglary, fourth-degree obstruction, and fourth-degree hindering. He was remanded to the Union County Jail pending an appearance in Superior Court.

This incident, along with a number of similar crimes in the area, remains under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact the Linden Police Detective Bureau at (908) 474-8537.



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