## **Initiating a False Report**

You are to write an essay after obtaining information about initiating a false report from the following sources:

1. Interview a local police officer in regards to initiating a false report. What percent of their calls/incidents are falsely reported? How much time does it take from other calls?

2. Include in your essay what will happen to you if you get caught falsely reporting information in the future. Do you think police will eventually not believe you, even if an incident is true?

3. Now that you have been through this experience of being arrested for initiating a false report, and referred to the Juvenile Department, what would YOU say to a close friend who was about to lie and initiate false information to a police officer?

You need to include full names/agencies of the people that you interviewed. If you have any questions, please contact the Juvenile Department at 503-623-2349.

You may bring it in to the Juvenile Department, or you may mail it to the following:

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