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MEDIA ADVISORY

‘Operation Dear John’ aimed at prostitution problem

Alderman Bob Donovan will host a news conference tomorrow (**Wednesday, July 19**) at S. 23rd and W. Greenfield to announce a surveillance and notification initiative dubbed **Operation Dear John** whereby those driving the demand for prostitutes will be identified and put on notice.

“If (Johns) don’t think anyone is watching or bothered by them soliciting prostitutes then they are delusional and sadly misinformed,” said Alderman Donovan, chair of the Common Council’s Public Safety and Health Committee.

“Operation Dear John will send a clear notification to them and their residence indicating that they’ve been seen with known prostitutes,” he said.

Joining Alderman Donovan at the news conference will be **Ald. José G. Pérez** and residents and business owners who are fed up with the 24-hour prostitution problem on the near south side.

What: Operation Dear John news conference
When: Wednesday – July 19 -- 2:00 p.m.
Where: S. 23rd and W. Greenfield Ave. (NW corner gas station)

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