



WEEKLY REPORT

January 9 - 15, 2012

NEIGHBOR TROUBLE

On January 9th, at approximately 5:59 p.m., officers responded to the 23000 block of Orchard Lake Road for a report of a possible fight between two men on the front lawn of a residence. The incident was reported by a motorist who had been driving by the home. Upon arrival officers interviewed the two involved men. Both men advised that they are neighbors and that the argument never became physical. The argument was about one man not following through on promises that he had made. Both men agreed to stay off of each other's property.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE

On January 12th, at approximately 6:38 p.m., officers were dispatched to a report of a possible fight between two customers at the Big Lots on Grand River Avenue. Upon arrival officers learned that one of the involved parties had left the scene and the other did not want to talk with officers regarding the incident. Officers learned from employees that the argument was between a female customer and a male customer over how the female customer was not watching her children appropriately. The employees advised that the argument, although heated, never became physical.

CAR VS SCHOOL BUS ACCIDENT

On January 13th, officers were dispatched to a property damage accident at Grand River and Farmington Road involving a school bus. The officer reported a vehicle travelling in icy conditions lost control on northbound Farmington Road at Grand River and struck a southbound school bus. No injuries were reported.

PRIVATE PROPERTY ACCIDENT

On January 13th, at approximately 4:15 p.m., a man came into this police department to report that sometime within the last week driving an unknown vehicle had struck his rental vehicle either at the Kroger in Farmington Hills or the Starbucks in downtown Farmington. Upon inspection of the rental vehicle the investigating officer noted that the damage on the vehicle was inconsistent with the man's story and that the paint transferred to his vehicle was house paint and not vehicle paint. The man was confronted about the inconsistencies and he admitted that he was lying. The man advised that the damage was caused by striking a pole while backing out of his car port at his apartment complex. The man advised that he was trying to avoid paying a deductible at the rental company.

SUSPICIOUS ODOR

On January 13th, at approximately 6:52 p.m., officers responded to Shiawassee Park for a report of a suspicious odor. Upon arrival officers located a chemical odor between the tennis courts and the river on the east side of the park. Officers noted that the river appeared unaffected and could not locate the source of the odor. Officers checked the air with a monitor that did not indicate anything hazardous in the air. Officers checked the river from Twin Valley to Valley View Condominiums but only noted the odor in the park area. It appears that some sort of gas had settled into the valley area and then dissipated throughout the night.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED/OPEN INTOXICANTS

On January 14th, an officer paced a vehicle on westbound Freedom Road from Drake to Tree Hill at 55 mph in a 40 mph zone. A traffic stop was conducted at Grand River and Halsted Road. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver admitted to consuming two beers at Winter Garden in Livonia. The driver failed field sobriety tests and submitted to a PBT with a result of .15(5). A search of the vehicle yielded an open one-quarter full Labatt's Blue beer can in the center console. The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI) and Open Intoxicants in a Motor Vehicle (MV). The driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a result of .15 and .14. The driver was issued a citation for OWI and Open Intoxicants MV and held until sober.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On January 15th, an officer observed a vehicle impeding traffic on southbound Power Road at Shiawassee. The officer made contact with the driver. The driver stopped his vehicle in the roadway so he could text a friend. The officer detected a strong odor of intoxicants. The driver admitted to consuming alcohol at the Uptown Grill in Commerce. The driver failed field sobriety tests and submitted to a PBT with a result of .13(5). The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI). The driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a result of .14/.13. The officer issued a citation for OWI to the driver. The driver was held until sober.