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WEEKLY REPORT

September 17 - 23, 2012

TRESPASSING

On September 17th, at approximately 10:35 p.m., officers were dispatched to a home on Lakeway Street on a report of suspicious people at a foreclosed home. Upon arrival officers located several subjects sitting on the back porch of a foreclosed home and one was in possession of Marijuana. Officers learned that the subjects were the former owners of the property and that they had returned to have a party. The subject in possession of the Marijuana had a valid medical Marijuana card. All subjects were advised to leave the property or face arrest for trespassing since the property was signed as "No Trespassing." All subjects complied.

DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED

On September 19th, at approximately 5:25 p.m., a sergeant stopped a vehicle in the area of Shiawassee and Mooney for having an expired license plate. Further investigation revealed that the driver has a suspended license and no insurance for the vehicle. The driver was arrested for Driving While License Suspended and his vehicle was impounded.

MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

On September 20th, an officer took a report of damage to property at a business in the 23600 block of Liberty Street. The business owner reported that the night prior, one of the windows to his business was broken. The business owner believes that the damage was done by skateboarders that often loiter on his property after hours.

RETAIL FRAUD

On September 20th, at approximately 7:30 p.m., an officer responded to Kathy's Closet retail store for a report of a stolen fur coat. Upon arrival the officer spoke with the owner of the business who reported that a white female came into the store with a black male. The female attempted to sell some items to the owner while the male walked around the store. The male left the store as the owner was telling the female that she was not interested in the items. After the female left, the owner noted that one of the fur coats was missing. The owner advised that the female and the male left the parking lot in a newer red extended cab pick up truck.

FIRE ALARM

On September 22nd, at approximately 8:14 p.m., officers were dispatched to a fire alarm at the Comerica Bank. Upon arrival officers learned from corporate security that the alarm was false and appears that the company is having problems with its alarm system.

MISDEMEANOR WARRANT OTHER POLICE DEPARTMENT

On September 22nd, at approximately 8:31 p.m., an officer stopped a vehicle at Grand River and Power Road for having illegal window tint. A subsequent investigation revealed that the passenger of the vehicle had a \$420.00 warrant for her arrest out of Sterling Heights for failing to pay a ticket. The woman was arrested for the warrant and housed at the Farmington jail until she was able to post bond for Sterling Heights.

ASSIST OTHER DEPARTMENT

On September 22nd, at approximately 10:14 p.m., an officer assisted Farmington Hills Fire Department at St. John's Lutheran Church on Gill Road when the church's fire alarm activated. A subsequent investigation revealed that a toddler had pulled the fire alarm during a party. While the officer was attempting to reset the alarm, it was learned that the same toddler had pulled a second fire alarm at another pull station. The scene was turned over to Farmington Hills Fire Department who reset the alarms.

RETAIL FRAUD

On September 23rd, at approximately 9:15 p.m., officers were dispatched to the Mobil gas station at Grand River and Drake for a retail fraud (shoplifting) that had just occurred. Officers learned from dispatch that the suspect had stolen an approximate 100 bottles of "5 Hour Energy Drink" and had taken off running south on Drake Road from the business. Officers checked the area and could not locate the suspect. Officers reviewed the store video tape and noted that the suspect is a black male, approximately twenty years old, thin build, approximately 5'6" tall, wearing a grey hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED/DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED

On September 19th an officer conducted a traffic stop at Grand River and Halsted on a vehicle with a defective driver side headlight. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the interior of the vehicle. The driver admitted to having a beer at the Grand Tavern in Farmington Hills. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .08(8). The driver was also suspended and had two outstanding warrants out of this police department for traffic violations. The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI), Driving While License Suspended (DWLS) and the warrants. The vehicle was impounded. The driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a BAC of .10. The officer issued the driver a citation for OWI, DWLS and defective headlight. The driver was housed for arraignment. The warrants were removed from LEIN.

MINOR IN POSSESSION

On September 22nd an officer observed a young white male having trouble riding his bike on the sidewalk on the south side of Grand River near Power. The bicyclist was very unsteady and weaving on the sidewalk. The officer observed the bicyclist run off the sidewalk on the grass on several occasions. The officer made contact with the bicyclist and learned he was

nineteen years old. The officer detected a strong odor of intoxicants on his breath. A PBT was administered with a result of .22(1). The officer issued a citation for Minor in Possession by Consumption and transported the subject to his mother's residence with his bike.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED IV/DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED 2ND

On September 22nd an officer observed a vehicle travelling westbound on Eight Mile near Farmington Road with bright lights activated. The officer also observed the vehicle to have fresh accident damage to its front end and a flat front passenger tire. A traffic stop was conducted on Eight Mile west of Farmington Road. The driver admitted to being in a hit and run accident in Detroit. The driver was too scared to stop. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver admitted to consuming several beers in Detroit. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .21(0). The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI). The driver refused a breath test and a search warrant for blood was obtained. The driver had three prior OWI convictions out of Oak Park, Dearborn and Pontiac. The subject also had a Driving While License Suspended (DWLS) conviction out of Pontiac. The case was forwarded to the Detective Bureau for warrant presentation to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office for OWI IV and DWLS 2nd.

LARCENY FROM AUTOMOBILES

On September 23rd, at approximately 1:00 a.m., officers responded to Birchwood near Flanders on a larceny from auto in progress. Upon arrival, the officer learned three suspects stole a GPS unit from a vehicle on Birchwood. A search of the area for the suspects yielded negative results. Officers did locate other vehicles on Laurelwood, Kirby and Robinwood which were entered and items stolen. The items included CD's, money and a phone charger.

NOTE: Officers responded to one family trouble during the week.