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WEEKLY REPORT

June 10 - 16, 2013

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE

On June 10th, at approximately 6:59 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 23000 block of Floral Street for a report of suspicious damage found on a home. Upon arrival the officer interviewed the complainant who advised that sometime in the last few weeks, one of her window screens was cut and damage was done to her rear patio door. The officer inspected the damage and noted that it was unclear if someone had attempted to make entry into the home or merely damaged the objects.

SMOKE INVESTIGATION

On June 11th, at 9:09 a.m., officers, along with Engine 3, responded to a Farmington Road business for a smoke investigation. Upon arrival it was learned that the business became filled with a light haze of smoke and electrical burning smell after the air conditioning had been turned on. Investigation revealed that the condenser unit was iced over and had burned up.

STATION TOUR

On June 11th, at approximately 11:55 a.m., the public safety department was visited by approximately seventy-five first graders from Longacre Elementary School. The visitors learned about public safety, got to play in a patrol car as well as Engine 3, and got to experience spraying water out of a fire hose. The first graders also visited the Farmington Public Library and Focal Point.

GAS MAIN BREAK

On June 11th, at 1:10 p.m., while attending to a medical run, officers became aware of a gas main break caused by the construction crew that is working on the "Grove's Street Project." Officers and Engine 3 stood by until the arrival of a Consumer's work crew who made the scene safe. This was the second time that the construction company broke the gas main.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED, 2ND OFFENSE

On June 12th, at approximately 12:16 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle on Farmington Road near Freedom Road for driving without it's headlights on. The officer learned the driver had come from a convenience store where she had just purchased alcohol. The driver was administered and failed roadside sobriety evaluations. The driver refused to submit to a

preliminary breath test and was subsequently arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI). The driver was transported to the station where she refused to take a Datamaster breath test. A search warrant was obtained and the driver's blood was drawn by Community EMS. This sample will be sent to the Michigan State Police Crime Lab for alcohol content analysis. The driver was jailed until sober and released. Since the driver has a prior OWI conviction on her criminal record, the case was forwarded to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office for charges.

CAR VS. BUILDING CRASH

On June 12th, at 11:02 a.m., officers responded to a business near Grand River and Nine Mile Road where a woman had accidentally hit the accelerator rather than the brake and ran into a building causing severe damage to both her vehicle and the building. Nobody was hurt in this incident.

ASSIST CITIZEN

On June 12th, at approximately 8:18 p.m., officers assisted a Flanders Street resident in freeing their dog that had gotten stuck under a deck.

ASSIST OTHER DEPARTMENT

On June 13th, at approximately 6:43 p.m., two officers were at Botsford Hospital after a medical transport when they learned from dispatch that a fist fight between a man and woman was occurring at the Dunkin Donuts across the street from the hospital. The two officers assisted a lone Farmington Hills police officer in detaining the two subjects. It was learned that the two were not involved in a fist fight, but were merely arguing with each other.

JUVENILE COMPLAINT

On June 13th, at approximately 8:05 p.m., officers responded to the Shiawassee Park for a report of young juveniles playing with fireworks. Upon arrival officers noted that the thirteen year old juveniles were playing with consumer fireworks on public property, which is prohibited by state law. The juveniles were turned over to their parents and advised of the current law.

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF

On June 13th, at approximately 9:26 p.m., a third party called the police reference a red pick up truck occupied by four teenagers who had just thrown water balloons at an elderly couple who was riding their bikes. Officers checked the area, but were unable to locate the teens or the couple.

LARCENY IN A BUILDING

On June 14th, at 12:38 p.m., officers responded to St. Gerald's Church for the report of somebody stealing money out of the collection box. A maintenance worker saw an unknown white male fishing a wire into the box. It is unknown if any money was actually obtained. The suspect fled northbound on Farmington Road in a white Jeep Cherokee.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE

On June 14th, at approximately 6:48 p.m., officers were dispatched to the Crossroads Plaza

at Nine Mile and Farmington Road for a report of an unresponsive female lying in the back seat of a Dodge Charger. The officers were cancelled while en route when the reporting person realized that the female was actually a stuffed animal.

FRAUD

On June 14th, at approximately 7:11 p.m., a resident of Farmington West Apartments came into this police department to report that her credit cards were used fraudulently at a casino in Detroit. The resident advised that she had received phone calls from two of her banks who questioned a recent rash of charges on her two debit cards. The resident advised that she did not make the charges and when she checked her purse for the cards, she noticed that they were missing. The resident also noted that her driver's license and PIN numbers to the credit cards were also missing. The investigation was forwarded to the Detective Bureau for further investigation.

ASSIST CITIZEN

On June 14th, at approximately 10:21 p.m., officers were dispatched to the American Legion on Grand River Avenue to assist several physically handicapped members out of the building. Upon arrival officers learned that the elevator for the building had stopped working, trapping several elderly members on the second floor. Officers assisted five of the members down the stairs and into their vehicles.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On June 15th, at approximately 4:29 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle on Nine Mile Road near Farmington Road for failing to stop for a red light and erratic driving. The officer learned the driver had been drinking and was not from the area. The driver was administered and failed roadside sobriety evaluations. The driver submitted to a preliminary breath test with a result of .09. The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated and taken to the public safety department. Once there she submitted to two breath samples which showed a .11 and a .11 breath alcohol level. The driver was held at the station awaiting sobriety and arraignment.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE

On June 15th, at approximately 8:07 p.m., officers were dispatched to a residence on the 22000 block of Floral Street for a report of a possible attempt home invasion. Upon arrival the complainant advised the officer that the entrance to her crawl space had been opened by an unknown person. In addition, the handle to her front screen door had been damaged. The complainant does not know when this incident occurred.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA

On June 16th, at approximately 2:33 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle for driving without it's headlights on Grand River Avenue near Whittaker Street. The officer smelled the strong odor of Marijuana in the vehicle. A search of the vehicle was conducted and Marijuana was discovered. The driver admitted that the Marijuana belonged to him and he had purchased it earlier in the evening. The driver was arrested and transported to the public safety department where he was processed, issued an appearance citation, and released.

LARCENY OF A BICYCLE

On June 16th, at 11:10 a.m., an officer responded to Jamestown Apartments for the report of a stolen bicycle. The owner stated that he left his bike resting up against his building while he went inside to get a drink of water. He believes an unknown white male with blonde hair stole his bike.