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WEEKLY REPORT

January 27 – February 2, 2014

DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED

On January 27th an officer was stopped in his patrol vehicle on eastbound Grand River Avenue waiting to turn left onto Mooney Street. A vehicle failed to stop in assured clear distance ahead rear-ending the officers patrol vehicle (CFS 14-549). A LEIN/SOS check on the at fault driver in the accident revealed that his driver's license was suspended. Upon further investigation it was found that the driver did not have valid insurance on his vehicle, and the license plate that was on his vehicle was improper and registered to another vehicle. The driver was arrested and transported to the station where he was issued a citation for Driving While License Suspended, Uninsured Vehicle, Improper Plate, and Failing to Stop in Assured Clear Distance Ahead.

THREATENING COMPLAINT

On January 27th, at approximately 6:16 p.m., an officer was dispatched to Botsford Pediatrics on a threatening complaint. Upon arrival the officer learned from medical staff that they had contacted a father of one of their patients via telephone in order to receive permission to examine the minor. The father became upset with the nurse who called and threatened to kill her if the staff examines his daughter. Staff did not want to press charges against the father for the threats, but company policy requires them to document the incident with police. The officer attempted to contact the father in order to get his version of events but the father refused to return the officer's phone calls.

TRAFFIC WARRANT THIS DEPARTMENT

On February 28th the Orchard Lake Police Department contacted this department to advise that they were out with a subject showing two "fail to appear" warrants out of this department for traffic offenses. The subject was picked up from Orchard Lake police and transported to the station where she was booked and held pending her posting of bond.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE

On January 29th, at approximately 4:51 p.m., officers were dispatched to the 23000 block of Power Road for a report of an attempt breaking and entering. While enroute officers learned from dispatch that the caller is babysitting at a home on Power Road and that an unknown person had been banging on the back window and the front door. The caller and the children

she was babysitting are hiding in the basement. Upon arrival officers learned that the caller's sister was the person knocking on the window and that she was playing a joke on the caller. The girl was advised on the dangers of playing practical jokes on people.

FRAUD

On January 29th, at approximately 10:20 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 23000 block of Floral Street for a report of an internet fraud. Upon arrival the officer learned that the complainant is a professional photographer who was hired on-line to photograph a wedding. The client sent the complainant a deposit check, but had written the check for a larger amount than what was requested. The complainant cashed the check but the client began making several demands that the complainant was unable to fulfill so the complainant terminated the deal. The complainant sent the client a refund and then learned several days later that the original check from the client was fraudulent. The case has been forwarded to the investigation bureau for further investigation.

ASSIST OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY

On January 30th, at approximately 9:56 p.m., officers were dispatched to the area of Farmington Road and North Manor Drive for a report of an accident where the at fault driver is attempting to leave. Officers arrived on the scene and took custody of the at fault driver, who was extremely intoxicated. Officers discovered that the accident had occurred in Farmington Hills so the investigation was turned over to them.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA/NEVER ACQUIRED

On January 31st an officer stopped a vehicle on Grand River near Halsted for an unreadable paper plate. The officer detected a strong odor of Marijuana coming from the vehicle. The vehicle was searched. The officer located a Marijuana blunt in the ashtray of the vehicle and an open pint of Hennessy Cognac on the front passenger seat floorboard. The driver had never acquired a driver's license and had several misdemeanor warrants. The driver was arrested for Never Acquired and the misdemeanor warrants. The front seat passenger was also arrested for Possession of Marijuana and Open Intoxicants in a Motor Vehicle. Both subjects received citations and were housed for morning arraignment. The vehicle was turned over to a sober passenger.

ASSIST OTHER POLICE DEPARTMENT

On January 31st Livonia police contacted this department to request assistance with trying to locate a run-away juvenile out of Livonia. Livonia advised that they believe the run-away teen may have been dropped off at a residence on Power Road. Officers responded to the area and located the teen at a residence on Power Road. The teen stated she had run away after being assaulted at school earlier in the morning. The teen was turned over to Livonia police who arrived at the scene.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On February 1st an officer stopped a vehicle on Freedom and Fleming for a defective driver side headlight. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver admitted to consuming a few Vodka shots at Lucky's Bar in Novi. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .14(5). The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated

(OWI) and the vehicle was impounded. The driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a result of .18. The driver was issued a citation for driving with a high BAC (super drunk) and defective headlight. The driver was housed until sober.

ASSIST OTHER AGENCY

On February 1st an officer on patrol on westbound M-5 near Drake Road came upon a motorist who had lost control of her vehicle and run off the roadway. The motorist was uninjured and there was no damage to her vehicle. The motorist had a tow truck on the way to remove her vehicle.