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WEEKLY REPORT

May 5 - 11, 2014

OPERATE WHILE INTOXICATED (OWI) SECOND OFFENSE

On May 5th, at 11:17 p.m., officers were dispatched to Farmington Road north of Eight Mile for a stalled vehicle. Upon arrival officers made contact with a lone female who was visibly intoxicated. The female denied driving but a witness informed officers that she had been the driver until the vehicle stalled out at its current location. The female submitted to and failed field sobriety tests and a preliminary breath test (PBT) .19. The female was arrested and transported to the station where a breath test was administered with a result of .24. The driver who had a prior OWI conviction was processed and housed until arraignment and sober.

SMOKE INVESTIGATION

On May 6th, at 8:33 p.m., officers were dispatched to a possible structure fire in the 33900 block of Oakland Street. Upon arrival the homeowner met officers at the street and informed them that the fire was out. The fire which started on the stove top was confirmed out by officers and ventilation fans were used to remove the smoke from the home.

OPERATE WHILE INTOXICATED (OWI) SECOND OFFENSE

On May 6th, at 11:09 p.m., an officer stopped a vehicle at Grand River and Halstead for improper lane use. Upon speaking to the driver, the officer smelled alcohol coming from the interior of the vehicle. The driver denied having anything to drink. The driver submitted to field sobriety tests and a PBT with a result of .11. The driver was arrested and transported to the station where he took a breath test with a result of .12. The driver who had a prior OWI conviction was housed until arraignment and sober.

DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED (DWLS)/WARRANTS OTHER DEPARTMENT

On May 7th an officer stopped a vehicle at Grand River and Orchard Lake Road with the registered owner showing a suspended license and several warrants out of Detroit. Subsequent to the traffic stop the driver who was the registered owner, was arrested and transported to the station to be held pending his posting of bond.

MISSING PERSON

On May 7th, at approximately 6:14 p.m., officers received a missing person report at the front desk. Officers located the man at St. Mary's Hospital.

DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED (DWLS)

On May 8th, at approximately 12:15 a.m., an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle for having an improper license plate in the area of Nine Mile Road and Farmington Road. Further investigation by the officer revealed that the driver had a suspended license and numerous warrants for her arrest. The driver was arrested and housed at the Farmington jail.

FRAUD

On May 8th an officer was dispatched to NRC Construction on a fraud complaint. Upon arrival it was reported that NRC Construction had rented a condominium in San Francisco CA via an internet posting to house employees working there. Upon signing a rental agreement, and the cashing of a security check, it was found that the rental posting was fraudulent and the residence was sold a few days prior to the rental listing.

FIRE ALARM

On May 8th officers were dispatched to White Pines Rehabilitation on a reported fire alarm going off. Upon arrival staff stated that there was light smoke and an electrical burning smell in one of the patient rooms. Officers investigated and found a faulty HVAC pump had overheated and was giving off an odor. Power was removed from the HVAC unit and staff was advised to contact a HVAC service company to repair the unit.

SOLICITING

On May 8th an officer on patrol in the area of Smithfield and Smithfield Court observed a suspicious male subject walking from a residence. Upon further investigation it was found that the male was soliciting for Bushmasters Inc. and did not have a permit filed with the City of Farmington. The male was issued a citation to appear and released.

ASSIST OTHER POLICE DEPARTMENT

On May 8th a Farmington public safety officer overheard over the radio that Farmington Hills officers were being dispatched to Independence Green Apartments on a possible breaking and entering suspect being detained by apartment management. The Farmington officer made the scene until Farmington Hills officers arrived. Upon further investigation, the subject was found to be a resident of the apartment complex and had gotten locked out of his apartment building so he tried to break out a vestibule window to gain access to the building.

POSSESSION OF NARCOTIC PARAPHERNALIA

On May 9th, at approximately 1:48 a.m., a sergeant on patrol stopped a vehicle in the area of Farmington Road and Flanders for driving with a headlight out. Further investigation by the sergeant revealed that the driver had a suspended license and she was subsequently arrested for the violation. An inventory search of the vehicle revealed a Marijuana grinder and pipe. The driver was housed at the Farmington jail and will be charged with being in possession of drug paraphernalia as well as driving on a suspended license.

OPERATE WHILE INTOXICATED

On May 10th, at 1:44 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle near Grand River and Orchard Lake Road for speeding. Upon speaking to the driver, the officer noted the odor of alcohol coming from the driver and interior of the vehicle. The driver who admitted to drinking, failed field sobriety tests and a PBT with a result of .13. The driver was arrested and transported to the station where she submitted to a breath test with a result of .17. The driver was processed and housed awaiting bond and /sobriety.

DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED (DWLS)

On May 10th, at 11:42 p.m., an officer stopped a vehicle on westbound M5 near Halstead for improper lane use. Upon speaking to the driver it was learned that the driver had a suspended driver's license and a Secretary of State check confirmed that. The driver, who also had seven warrants for his arrest, was arrested for DWLS and transported to the station. The driver was processed and held awaiting bond and arraignment.

OPERATE WHILE INTOXICATED

On May 11th, at 2:29 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle near Eight Mile and Chesley for an equipment violation and a plate violation. Upon contact with the driver, the officer smelled the odor of alcohol. The driver admitted to drinking. The driver submitted to field sobriety tests and refused to take a PBT. The driver was arrested based on his poor performance on the field sobriety tests. The driver was transported to the station where he submitted to a breath test with a result of .13. The driver was processed and housed until sobriety and bond.

NOTE: Dayshift officers also responded to four medical runs.