



**FARMINGTON PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT**  
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## **WEEKLY RECAP**

**April 20 - April 26, 2015**

### **Larceny from Auto**

On April 20<sup>th</sup> at 12:45 pm, an officer responded to the 23000 block of Lilac for the report of 2 stolen passports from an unlocked vehicle. The resident advised that he had parked his car in front of his house on 04/17/2015 and when he went back to it on this date, noticed that the passports of he and his wife were missing. There are no suspects or evidence to process.

### **Drove While License Suspended**

On April 20<sup>th</sup> at approximately 9:40 PM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle in the area of Grand River and Cass because a LEIN check of the vehicle's license plate revealed that the registered owner had a suspended license. The driver was arrested for driving on the suspended license and was processed at the Farmington Jail. The driver was released with a citation.

### **Larceny from Auto**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:24 am, an officer responded to the 35000 block of Drakeshire Place for the report of a vehicle break in. The resident advised that she was unsure if her vehicle had been locked or not, but that there were miscellaneous posters taken from the trunk of her vehicle. The posters were located approximately 10 ft from the car and returned to the owner. No other items were missing and there are no suspects or evidence to process.

### **Larceny from Auto**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at 8:56 am, an officer responded to the 35000 block of Drakeshire Place for the report of a vehicle break in. The resident advised that she had locked her vehicle the night prior at 4:30 pm, but that when she returned to her vehicle at 8:50 am she noted that the vehicle had been rummaged through even though it was still locked. Missing from the vehicle was a Garmin GPS device. Fingerprints were obtained from the scene and will be processed in order to develop a possible suspect.

### **Larceny from Auto**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:18 am, an officer responded to the 35000 block of Drakeshire Place for the report of a vehicle break in. The resident advised that sometime overnight unknown

suspect(s) had entered his locked vehicle as well as his locked glove box and stole a Garmin GPS as well as a Sony personal DVD player. The resident then handed over a package of Febreze Car air fresheners that he found in his car but did not belong to him. A fingerprint was lifted from the package of air fresheners and will be processed in order to develop a possible suspect.

### **Stray Dog**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at approximately 6:20 PM an officer was dispatched to the 20900 block of Laurelwood to retrieve a stray dog. Upon arrival the officer took custody of the elderly dog from the reporting person who had found the dog wandering Laurelwood. A picture of the dog was posted on the department Facebook page by Farmington Officers requesting assistance in locating the owner ([www.facebook.com/farmingtonpublicsafety](http://www.facebook.com/farmingtonpublicsafety)). Many residents shared the picture over social media and the owner was located.

### **Larceny from Auto**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at approximately 6:57 PM an officer was dispatched to an apartment complex on the 35000 block of Drakeshire Ln for a report of a larceny from auto. Upon arrival the officer learned that the owner of a blue Honda had parked his vehicle in front of his apartment on 04/20/2015 and the next day noticed a Garmin GPS and money missing. The Officer could not locate any sign of forced entry to the vehicle and the case has been forwarded to the Investigation Bureau.

### **Drove While License Suspended**

On April 21<sup>st</sup> at approximately 8:41 PM an officer stopped a vehicle for speeding in the area of Grand River and Liberty. Further investigation revealed that the driver had a suspended driver's license. The woman was arrested for driving on the suspended license and was processed at the Farmington Jail. The woman was cited and released at the Jail.

### **Identity Theft – Information Only**

On April 22<sup>nd</sup> an Officer responded to Wesley Street and learned that an unknown subject had solicited and obtained permission to purchase/download software onto the RP's laptop computer. The subject was then able to remotely access the computer and was attempting to get more money from the RP by threatening to lock up the computer. RP was advised to remove the software and monitor credit/banking accounts; a report was taken for documentation purposes.

### **Reckless Driving**

On April 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:17 am, an officer responded to the 21000 block of Chestnut for the report of reckless driving. After speaking with the resident the officer recognized this as an instance of 'water wars', a game in which teenagers drive around and squirt each other with squirt guns. A license plate of one of the vehicles was obtained and the officer made contact with the vehicle owner who stated that she would talk to her granddaughter about the incident.

### **Reckless Driving**

On April 24<sup>th</sup> at 1:28 pm, officers responded to the 36000 block of Saxony for the report of a dark colored Ford Explorer along with two other vehicles driving recklessly in the area. Upon

arrival the officers located an Explorer with several teens standing around it. It was learned that this was another instance of 'water wars'. The incident was not witnessed by officers so the teens were advised that careless driving would not be tolerated by this department and to drive safely while playing the game.

### **Never Acquired**

On April 24<sup>th</sup> at 2:18 pm, an officer stopped a vehicle for speeding 44/25 zone near Shiawassee/Farmington. Upon making contact with the driver, the officer noted that there was a 3 year old boy in the rear seat with no child seat, only a seatbelt. When the driver's information was run through LEIN/SOS it was learned that she had never acquired a driver license. The woman was subsequently arrested, her car towed and issued citations for Never Acquired, Improper Child Restraint and Speeding.

### **Flee and Elude**

On April 24<sup>th</sup> at a4:21 AM an officer on patrol responded to the area of Freedom and Ruth in Farmington Hills because a citizen reported 4 African American males attempting to break into vehicle at the caller's apartment complex. As the officer approached the complex the males exited the lot in a red Chevy Cruze and headed east on Freedom Rd at a high rate of speed. The officer activated his overhead lights and siren in an attempt to stop the individuals. The subjects entered east bound Grand River Ave from Freedom and gained speeds of over 100 mph. The officer terminated the chase at Grand River and Middlebelt for fear of endangering other peoples' lives when the suspects went through the red light at an approximate 75 mph. The suspect's identifying information was forwarded to the Investigation Bureau for further investigation.

### **Felony Warrant/Misdemeanor Warrant/Civil Warrant**

On April 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:17 am, an officer stopped a vehicle on Freedom near Fleming for defective equipment. Upon making contact with the driver he was advised of the reason for the stop and his identification was obtained. When his name was run through LEIN/SOS it returned that he had a Civil Friend of the Court warrant for being behind on child support out of Wayne County. Wayne County advised that they would pick the man up on the outstanding warrant so contact was made with the passenger of the vehicle in order to have the vehicle turned over to her rather than towing it. The passengers name was run through LEIN/SOS in order to verify that she was a valid driver. Upon return, it was learned that the passenger did not have a valid license and that she had a Felony Friend of the Court warrant as well as a Misdemeanor Friend of the Court warrant both out of Hillsdale County. Hillsdale County advised that they too would pick up on their warrants so both parties were arrested and housed at this PD until the arrival of their respective agencies.

### **Misdemeanor Warrants/Other PD**

On April 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:19 am, officers responded to a robbery alarm at a business near 8 Mile/Farmington. While in route, dispatch advised that the call was actually a possible domestic violence incident in the parking lot of the business. Upon arrival it was learned that there was a family trouble, but that there was no physical violence involved. Both parties information was obtained and ran through LEIN/SOS which returned that they both had misdemeanor warrants out of other jurisdictions. The warrant holding agencies were

contacted and they instructed this department to advise the parties of their warrants and release them. The two then parted ways.

**Marijuana Possess / Narcotic Paraphernalia / False ID to PO**

On April 25<sup>th</sup> at 12:47 pm, an officer was running stationary speed enforcement in the area of Shiawasse and Prospect. The officer observed a vehicle traveling at an excessive speed, and initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle. Upon making contact with the driver, the driver stated she did not have her driver's license with her and provided her passenger's driver's license. The officer detected an odor of Marijuana coming from inside the vehicle. Both occupants denied any Marijuana being in the vehicle, but upon further inquiry, the passenger admitted to having Marijuana in her purse. A search of the vehicle recovered a baggie containing a green leafy substance that resembled Marijuana. Upon a search of the passenger's person another baggie of Marijuana was found tucked between the stomach and her waistband, along with a Marijuana sifter being found in her pants pocket.

A LEIN/SOS check on the name the driver verbally gave the officer came back no record. Upon further inquiry, it was found that the driver gave the officer a false name because she did not have a valid driver's license and had several outstanding warrants for failure to appear out of other police agencies. The driver was arrested for Never Acquired License and False ID to Police Officer. The passenger was arrested for Possession of Marijuana and Possession of drug paraphernalia.

**DWLS / Misdemeanor Warrant**

On April 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:04 pm, an officer was on patrol on E/B M-05 near Farmington and observed a vehicle travelling with a cracked windshield. Upon stopping the vehicle and advising the driver of the reason for the stop, his identification was obtained. Upon running driver's name through LEIN/SOS it was learned that he had a suspended driver license as well as a warrant out of another jurisdiction. The man was arrested and his vehicle towed. He was issued a citation for DWLS and housed at this department

**Possession of Marijuana**

On April 25<sup>th</sup> at approximately 1:39 AM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle in the area of Grand River and School for speeding. Further investigation by the officer revealed that the driver had been drinking and smoking marijuana. The officer asked the driver if he had any marijuana in the vehicle and the man admitted that he did. The officer located 4 small baggies of marijuana, a marijuana pipe, and a scale. The man was arrested for possession of marijuana and was processed at the Farmington Jail. The man was released with a citation.

During this time period officers responded to 18 medical runs and 2 accidents.