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WEEKLY RECAP

February 22, 2016 – February 28, 2016

HARASSING PHONE CALLS

On February 22nd at approximately 10:53 AM an officer was dispatched to a report of harassing phone calls at a restaurant on the 32000 block of Grand River Ave. Upon arrival the officer learned from management that an unknown male caller had been calling the restaurant making up stories of unknown employees. Management advises that the caller sounded confused and management did not have the phone number that the suspect called from.

DROVE WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED

On February 22nd at approximately 9:36 PM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle in the area of Grand River and Blanchard for a defective equipment violation. Further investigation revealed that the driver had a suspended license and a felony warrant for her arrest for embezzlement. The driver was arrested for driving on the suspended license and was housed at the Farmington Jail.

OPERATE WHILE INTOXICATED

On February 23rd at approximately 2:54 AM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle for speeding in the area of Grand River and Gill. Further investigation revealed that the driver had been drinking alcohol and exhibited signs of intoxication. The driver failed several sobriety exams and was subsequently arrested for operating while intoxicated. The driver also had a suspended license and a warrant for her arrest. The driver submitted to a Datamaster Breath Test with a result of a .15 BAC. The driver was housed at the Farmington Jail.

VEHICLE THEFT

On February 23rd at approximately 10:56 AM a Kingslane Ct resident came into the public safety department to report that her vehicle had been stolen the night before from outside her residence. The vehicle was located in the City of Detroit and had been involved in an apparent hit and run accident. The case was forwarded to the detective bureau for further investigation.

DROVE WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED

On February 23rd at approximately 7:25 PM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle on the M-5 Expressway for speeding. Further investigation revealed that the driver had a suspended license and two warrants for his arrest. The driver was arrested for driving on the suspended license and was housed at the Farmington Jail.

MISDEMEANOR WARRANT ARREST OTHER POLICE AGENCY

On February 23rd at approximately 11:48 PM an officer on patrol stopped a vehicle in the area of Farmington Rd and Nine Mile for having an unreadable license plate. Further investigation revealed that the driver had a warrant for his arrest out of a nearby city for violating his probation. The driver was arrested on the warrant and turned over to the nearby police agency.

SNOW EMERGENCY

On February 24th at 8:10 PM the City of Farmington declared a snow emergency prohibiting cars from parking on city streets. On February 25th Farmington Public Safety towed 11 cars for disobeying the snow emergency.

MISDEMEANOR WARRANT ARREST OTHER POLICE AGENCY

On February 25th at approximately 9:47 PM a Commander stopped a vehicle in the area of Nine Mile and Farmington Rd for having an expired license plate. Further investigation revealed that the driver had a warrant for his arrest out of a nearby police agency. The other police agency was unable to pick up the driver so he was advised of his warrant and released.

LARCENY OF CELL PHONE

On February 26th at approximately 9:41 AM a West Bloomfield resident came into the public safety department to report that his daughter's iPhone was stolen out of her unattended jacket while she was at a business on the 31500 block of Grand River the night before. The case was forwarded to the detective bureau for further investigation.

CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM

On February 26th at approximately 11:34 AM officers were dispatched to a residence on Lamar St for a CO alarm activation. Upon arrival officers noted that alarm was defective and needed to be replaced.

EMBEZZLEMENT

On February 26th at approximately 2:44 PM officers were dispatched to a report of an embezzlement at a business on the 22000 block of Farmington Rd. Upon arrival officers learned that an employee had been fraudulently returning items and pocketing the cash. The employee is on probation out of a nearby city for retail fraud. The employee was arrested for embezzlement and was housed at the Farmington Jail.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA / HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT

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On February 27th at approximately 1:52 AM officers were dispatched to the area of Heatherton and Treehill for an accident where the driver fled the scene on foot. Upon arrival officers located the involved vehicle which had driven over several lawns in the subdivision and crashed into a tree. The homeowner witnessed a subject flee the vehicle after the accident and he was discovered by officers at his home, several houses away. The suspect advised that he was a passenger of the vehicle and not the driver. A pat down of the suspect revealed 3.1 grams of marijuana. The suspect was arrested for being in possession of marijuana and the accident is still being investigated.

ODOR INVESTIGATION

On February 27th at approximately 11:20 PM officers and Engine 3 were dispatched to a report of an odor of smoke at an apartment complex on the 36800 block of Blanchard. Upon arrival it was discovered that one of the tenants had burnt some food while cooking and that there was no problem at the scene.

STOLEN VEHICLE

On February 28th at approximately 4:30 PM a Freedom Rd resident came into the public safety department to report that his van had been stolen sometime from 02/27/2016 to 1:30 PM on 02/28/2016. The owner does not know who may have stolen his van.

FLEE AND ELUDE

On February 28th at approximately 11:02 PM an officer on patrol attempted to stop a vehicle for speeding and for driving without any headlights on as it headed north on Farmington Rd from Cloverdale. When the officer activated the overhead lights and siren the suspect vehicle took off speeding from the officer. The officer pursued the vehicle until it was determined at Grand River and Pearl that the pursuit posed to great a danger so the pursuit was terminated. Officers later learned that the vehicle had been involved in a traffic crash in the City of Redford where the suspect driver was arrested for operating while intoxicated. The case was forwarded to the detective bureau for flee and elude charges on the driver.

Note: Officers responded to 10 medical calls and 5 traffic crashes this week.