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WEEKLY REPORT

October 8 - 14, 2012

BREAKING AND ENTERING

On October 8th, at 1:55 p.m., an officer responded to a Mission Court address and made contact with a homeowner who advised that he had left his home at 8:45 a.m., and when he returned at 1:55 p.m., he found that his home had been broken into. Upon investigating it appears that unknown suspect(s) forced entry into the walkout basement through French doors, stole two electronics and fled through the front door, leaving it standing open. No suspects at this time.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On October 8th, at approximately 9:46 p.m., an officer stopped a black Pontiac in the area of Grand River Avenue and Power Road for speeding. A further investigation revealed that the man had been consuming intoxicants. The man failed several sobriety exams and was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated. The man submitted to a breath test at the station which resulted in a BAC of .12.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED THIRD OFFENSE

On October 9th an officer was advised by dispatch that a caller was following a possible drunk driver in the area of Nine Mile and Farmington Road. The officer located the vehicle on Farmington Road and Grand River. The officer observed the vehicle to have illegal window tint and failed to signal. A traffic stop was conducted on Grand River near Oakland. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver admitted to having a "little bit" of alcohol. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .13(7). 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 BAC of .16. The driver had two previous convictions out of Southfield and Wyandotte for OWI. The report was forwarded to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office for OWI third offense. A warrant was obtained and the driver held pending arraignment.

COMMITMENT

On October 9th, at approximately 8:30 p.m., officers were dispatched to the parking lot of the Deluxe Cleaner for a report of a disoriented subject. Upon arrival officers discovered that the subject had been breathing in chemical spray in order to get high (commonly known as "huffing"). The subject was turned over to Community EMS and transported to the hospital for treatment.

UNLICENSED DRIVER/WARRANTS OTHER POLICE AGENCY

On October 9th, at approximately 8:49 p.m., an officer stopped a Pontiac in the area of Grand River Avenue and Orchard Lake Road for having a license plate that is registered to a Ford vehicle. Further investigation by the officer revealed that the driver did not have a driver's license and had several traffic warrants out for her arrest out of the City of Livonia. The woman was arrested for never acquired a driver's license and she was able to post bond on the Farmington charge and the Livonia warrants.

HOME INVASION

On October 10th, at 5:20 p.m., officers were dispatched to the 32000 block of Meadowlark for a report of a home invasion that had just been discovered. Upon arrival officers learned that the crime had occurred sometime between 8:00 a.m. and 5:20 p.m. while the homeowner was at work. It appeared that the crime may have been interrupted by the homeowner since several items were moved in the home, but very little stolen. It appears that the suspect made entry through a bedroom window and exited through the door wall. A K-9 unit responded and tracked the suspect's scent to Chesley Street where the scent was lost, indicating that the suspect had parked on Chesley Street.

WIRES DOWN

On October 11th, at 2:04 p.m., officers and Engine 3 responded to a Longacre address for a report of a fallen tree branch on a wire that is now smoking. Upon arrival officers notified neighbors of the hazard and stood by for DTE to address the matter.

LARCENY FROM AUTO

On October 11th, at approximately 9:07 p.m., a woman reported at the Farmington Public Safety Department front desk that she had parked her unlocked car at the Warner Mansion. When she returned to the vehicle, her purse was missing. The woman has no suspects.

RECOVERED STOLEN OTHER JURISDICTION

On October 12th an officer stopped a vehicle on Grand River and Halsted for an improper left turn. The vehicle had a dealer plate on same. The officer ran the plate and corresponding VIN of the vehicle. The vehicle returned stolen (fail to return borrowed vehicle) out of Farmington Hills on October 11th from a Toyota dealership. The driver explained he momentarily lost his cell phone and car keys to the vehicle and could not return the vehicle before the dealership closed. Farmington Hills police made the scene and the vehicle was returned to the dealership. Farmington Hills police released the driver pending further investigation.

BRUSH FIRE

On October 12th officers were dispatched to Chatham Hills Apartments regarding a brush fire. Upon arrival, officers located smoldering mulch near the landscaping. The fire/smoldering was caused by a cigarette. The fire was extinguished by the apparatus.

ASSIST OTHER POLICE AGENCY

On October 12th, at approximately 9:15 p.m., dispatch advised that there was a woman driving her vehicle in the area of Grand River and Drake being stalked by an ex-boyfriend.

The woman had previously reported that her ex-boyfriend had been stalking her and threatening her life at the Farmington Hills Police Department. The woman was in the process of driving back to the Farmington Hills Police Department when officers were able to catch up to her vehicle. At that time officers learned that the woman was able to evade her ex-boyfriend in traffic. A Farmington officer located the ex-boyfriend at the 7-11 at Grand River and Drake where he was arrested and turned over to the Farmington Hills Police Department for prosecution.

ZERO TOLERANCE

On October 13th an officer stopped a vehicle on Freedom near Farmington Road for running the red light. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The seventeen year old driver admitted to consuming alcohol at a house party. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .08(2). The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated and the vehicle was impounded. The seventeen year old driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a BAC of .07. The driver received a citation for Zero Tolerance and was housed until sober.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On October 13th an officer observed a vehicle travelling 41 mph in a 25 mph zone through downtown Farmington. A traffic stop was conducted in the Valley View Condominiums. The driver was unfamiliar with the speed limit. The officer detected a strong odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver admitted to drinking "a little bit" at her residence in West Bloomfield. The officer also confiscated an open bottle of Vodka from the center console of the vehicle. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .34(5). The driver refused any medical attention. The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated (OWI) and the vehicle impounded. The driver submitted to a breath test at the station with a BAC of .35. The officer issued a citation to the driver for OWI and Open Intoxicants in a Motor Vehicle. The driver was housed until sober.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On October 14th, at 7:00 a.m., an officer observed a running vehicle stopped at the red light on southbound Farmington Road at Nine Mile. The vehicle did not go upon activation of the green signal. The officer made contact with the driver who appeared to be asleep behind the wheel. The officer awoke the driver by knocking on the driver's side window. The officer detected an odor of intoxicants coming from the vehicle. The driver denied being asleep at the wheel but acknowledged consuming alcohol at his friend's residence. The driver failed field sobriety tests with a PBT of .10(9). 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 .11. The driver was issued a citation for OWI and housed until sober.

FAMILY TROUBLE

On October 14th officers responded to a possible domestic assault in progress in the area of Orchard Lake Road and Lamar. It was reported as an older female and younger female fighting in a car. Upon arrival officers learned that the older female was the mother of the fifteen year old female who had been arguing with her mother. The daughter decided that

she wanted to leave the car and run away to her grandmother's home so the mother was attempting to keep her in the car. Officers calmed down the teenager who agreed to allow her mother to drive her to a relative's home.