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WEEKLY REPORT

May 6 - 12, 2013

MINOR CONSUMING ALCOHOL

On May 6th, at approximately 2:00 a.m., an officer stopped a vehicle for having a burnt out headlight in the area of Grand River and Halsted. The officer smelled the odor of alcohol in the vehicle. The officer's investigation discovered that a nineteen year old passenger had been drinking alcohol. The passenger took a preliminary breath test that showed a .05 breath alcohol content. The passenger was issued a citation for Minor Consuming Alcohol and was released from the scene.

SUSPICIOUS PERSON

On May 6th officers responded to Freedom Road for the report of a man walking in and out of traffic. When the man was located he advised that he was "just playing with them". The man was advised that these actions were dangerous and was transported home. It appears that the man suffers from some sort of mental condition.

WIRES DOWN

On May 7th officers responded to Power Road for a report of a cement truck hitting overhead wires and causing same to come down. Investigation revealed that the lines were AT&T lines. AT&T was advised of the issue and provided with the cement company info.

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF

On May 8th an Oakland Street resident came into this department to report that someone had stolen a decorative flagpole and attached American flag. An officer responded to the area and found the flagpole on the walking path that connects the two sections of Oakland. The officer also learned from a neighbor that their recycle container had been dumped and their gas grill had been tipped over the same evening. It is unknown who committed these acts.

WIRES DOWN

On May 10th officers, along with Engine 3, responded to Mayfield Street for the report of wires down and arcing. Upon arrival it was learned that a large limb from a Maple Street address had fallen and disconnected the wires. Residents were advised to not go in their backyards. Officers stood by until the arrival of DTE who then took over.

PRIVATE PROPERTY CRASH

On May 10th officers were dispatched to the Charter One Bank for a car vs. building crash and bank staff was worried about a possible gas leak. Engine 3 responded and upon investigation found a heavy sewage odor, but no gas. Consumers Energy responded to the scene to verify that the gas main had not been compromised.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED, SECOND OFFENSE/VEHICLE ACCIDENT

On May 11th, at approximately 6:10 a.m., officers were dispatched to Violet Street on a report of a car striking an unoccupied parked vehicle. Officers arrived at the scene and quickly learned that the driver that caused the accident had been consuming alcohol. The driver was administered and failed roadside sobriety evaluations. The driver submitted to a preliminary breath test with a result of .14. The driver was arrested for Operating While Intoxicated and taken to the public safety department. Once there she submitted to two breath samples which showed a .13 breath alcohol level. The driver was held at the station awaiting sobriety. A criminal history check of the driver showed she has a prior driving while intoxicated conviction. The case is being submitted to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office.

POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA

On May 11th, at approximately 9:07 p.m., an officer on patrol was alerted via the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) that a subject in a Pontiac G6 had a warrant for his arrest out of a neighboring jurisdiction. The officer stopped the vehicle and noted that there was a strong odor of Marijuana emitting from inside the vehicle. The subject denied smoking any Marijuana, as did his passenger. A search of the vehicle revealed a half gram of Marijuana in a plastic baggy. The man was arrested on the warrant and the drug possession.

THREATENING COMPLAINT

On May 12th an officer responded to a report of a threatening text message. Upon arrival the officer learned that the resident is prosecuting an ex-friend for a Malicious Destruction of Property case in Farmington Hills. The ex-friend has been sending texts asking that the resident take restitution rather than going through with the court case. The resident has never responded to any of the texts. On this date, a text came through that said "I've been stockpiling ammunition." The resident found this threatening and wished to make report of the incident.