



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

**March 23-29, 2015**

### **STALKING**

On 03/23/2015 at approximately 8:11 AM officers responded to an apartment complex on the 32000 block of Grand River Ave for a report of an attempt breaking and entering. Upon arrival the officers learned from the victim that she and her mother were in their apartment when all of a sudden someone started shaking their door attempting to enter. The victim looked through her peep hole and noted a man who had previously damaged the victim's car and apartment door. Officers also learned that a neighbor had observed the man walking away from the victim's door after hearing a loud commotion. This department has had previous dealings with the suspect for harassing the victim. The man was arrested for stalking the victim and was housed at the Farmington Jail.

### **SUSPICIOUS PERSON**

On 03/23/2015 at approximately 12:44 PM officers responded to a report of a suspicious man at a business on the 33000 block of Grand River Ave. Upon arrival officers learned that the man had left the scene. Officers spoke with the manager of the business who advised that the man had come inside the business and had started taking pictures of eye glasses that were for sale. The staff confronted the man and he yelled that he was from Medicare and then promptly left the business. Officers contacted the man and learned that he is from Medicare and will contact the owner directly.

### **LARCENY IN A BUILDING**

On 3/23/2015 at approximately 1:34 PM officers were dispatched to the 36000 block of Brittany Hill for a report of a larceny in a building. Upon arrival officers learned from the homeowners that they have been having a drywall company replace the drywall in their home. On today's date one of the workers used the homeowner's bathroom and was in it for an unusual amount of time. When the worker left the bathroom, the homeowner noted that he had left the faucet running. The homeowner turned off the faucet and noted that several medications were missing. The homeowner confronted the worker, who denied taking the medication. Officers interviewed the worker who denied the theft. Officers did not locate the medication on the worker but did find the empty pill bottles in a trash can. Several days later the homeowner called police and advised that the owner of the company (who is also the

father of the suspect) told the homeowner that the worker admitted to stealing the prescription drugs and had flushed them down the toilet when he was confronted by the homeowner. The worker had placed himself into a drug rehab and the homeowner no longer wished to pursue the matter.

### **IDENTITY THEFT**

On 3/23/2015 a Brittany Hill resident came into the public safety department to report that he was the victim of an identity theft. The victim had attempted to file his Federal Taxes and learned that someone else had already filed a fraudulent return. The man is following up with the Internal Revenue Service.

### **TRESPASSING**

On 03/24/2015 at approximately 10:14 AM officers were dispatched to an apartment complex on the 23000 block of Mooney St. for a woman refusing to leave. Upon arrival officers located the woman and interviewed the reporting person. Officers learned from both parties that the reporting person and the woman had had an affair. The reporting person decided to end the affair and the woman was upset about the break up. The woman had previously damaged the reporting person's vehicle so he no longer wanted any contact with the woman. The woman was advised to leave the apartment complex and not to return or she would be arrested for trespassing. The woman left without further incident.

### **IDENTITY THEFT**

On 03/24/2015 a resident came into the public safety department to report that he was the victim of an identity theft. The victim advises that he was contacted by his bank after they noticed several suspicious charges made to his account. The man does not know who stole his identity. The case was forwarded to the Detective Bureau for further investigation.

### **WARRANT ARREST**

On 03/25 while on routine patrol an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation in the area of Orchard Lake and Fink. After making contact with the driver the officer learned that the driver had an arrest warrant from another agency. The person was taken into custody and turned over to the warrant holding agency.

### **BREAKING AND ENTERING**

On 03/27/2015 at approximately 5:21 AM officers responded to a cell phone store on the 30000 block of Grand River Ave for an alarm. Upon arrival officers noted that the front door had a hole cut into it and that the front door was unlocked. Officers checked the building and it was obvious that a crime had occurred. The owner was contacted and he was able to retrieve the video surveillance for the officers. The suspect is a white male, medium build, wearing a gray  $\frac{3}{4}$  length jacket, blue jeans, black shoes, a black mask and black gloves. The suspect stole several items from the store including a bag of used cell phones. Through investigation, officers learned that the suspect has broken into several cell phone stores in the Metro-Detroit area. The case was forwarded to the Detective Bureau for further investigation.

### **MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY**

On 03/27/2015 at approximately 1:31 PM an officer was dispatched to a pharmacy on the 23000 block of Farmington Rd. Upon arrival the officer interviewed the victim and learned the following: the victim had parked in the parking lot of the pharmacy and her door had accidentally brushed up against the car next to her. The occupant of the car began yelling at the victim, which scared her so she went inside the building. When she returned to her car she found two large scratches in her door. The victim has no suspects at this time.

### **IDENTITY THEFT**

On 03/27/2015 a resident came into this public safety department to report that she had been the victim of an identity theft. The woman reported that she had pulled a copy of her credit report and noted several accounts on the report that she had never opened. The case was forwarded to the Detective Bureau for further investigation.

### **MARIJUANA**

On 03/27/2015 at 9:47 PM a commander stopped a vehicle on Freedom near Maple for driving without head lights. Upon contacting the driver, the commander noted the 16 year old female to be extremely nervous and evasive. The female had an odor of Marijuana about her person but denied smoking. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed five Marijuana laced Rice Crispy Treats. The 17 year old male passenger stated that he and the female had driven to Detroit where they purchased the treats for \$55 from an unknown subject. The 17 year old was transported home and the 16 year old was turned over to her mother. The case will be forwarded to Farmington Youth Assistance pending an outcome of toxicology report of the Marijuana laced treats.

### **FLEE AND ELUDE, RESIST AND OBSTRUCT OFFICERS, DROVE WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED, OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED**

On 03/27/2015 at 0130 an officer stopped a vehicle on 9 Mile west of Farmington for speeding and an equipment violation. The driver was belligerent toward officers, smelled of intoxicants and he refused to exit his vehicle. While officers were trying to coax the driver out the car, the driver slammed the door and fled west bound 9 mile. Officers initiated a pursuit of the vehicle. The driver continued to flee until he reached an apartment complex on the south side of 9 Mile, west of Drake Rd where he parked his car and fled on foot. Officers chased the subject on foot. The driver ran until he reached his apartment door at which point he turned and took an aggressive stance. Fearing an assault from the driver, officers utilized Tasers which incapacitated the subject. The subject was taken into custody without injury. The subject complained that he was experiencing a medical emergency so Community EMS was summoned. Community EMS determined that the driver was not experiencing a medical emergency. For precautionary reasons the subject was transported to Botsford Hospital. A blood draw was conducted subsequent to a search warrant. The driver was medically cleared and he was lodged in the Farmington Jail until he could be arraigned

### **SMOKE INVESTIGATION**

On 03/28/2015 at approximately 8:55 AM officers and Engine 3 were dispatched to a report of smoke in a building at an apartment complex on the 32000 block of Grand River Ave.

Upon arrival officers learned that the smoke was caused by a resident who had burnt some toast.

### **IDENTITY THEFT**

On 03/29/2015 a resident came into this public safety department to report that he had been the victim of a fraud. The resident advised that he had attempted to file his Federal Taxes when they were rejected because someone had already filed a fraudulent return. The man is following up with the IRS.

### **DROVE WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED AND WARRANTS**

On 03/29/2015 at 2129 an officer was conducting a selective speed enforcement downtown. The officer stopped a vehicle for speeding 45 in a 25. The driver did not have a license on his person so he was seated in the rear of the patrol car. A subsequent check of his driver's license revealed that he had 19 suspensions and 7 warrants from various agencies for his arrest. The driver was arrested and lodged in the Farmington Jail until he could post bond.

Officers had responded to 14 medical calls this week and 6 traffic crashes