

# **SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

## **WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY 6/29/20 – 7/12/20**



(This report does not include every call for service but rather serves as a highlight of notable calls where a report was filed.)

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The past two weeks the South Milwaukee Police Department responded to **636** calls for service.

### **DISORDERLY CONDUCT**

On July 7<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of an individual creating a disturbance at a business in the 100 Block of North Chicago Avenue. Officers spoke with a 42-year-old South Milwaukee man who according to employees attempted to enter the business after closing hours and then pounded on the doors and windows when he was not allowed entry. After providing false identification to officers, the man was eventually positively identified and arrested. He was taken to the police station where he was issued a citation for Disorderly Conduct.

On July 10<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of an argument occurring in the 400 Block of Southtowne Drive. Officers spoke with a 45-year-old South Milwaukee man, a 55-year-old South Milwaukee woman, and a 49-year-old Milwaukee woman. The South Milwaukee man claimed the South Milwaukee woman slapped him after being upset the Milwaukee woman was at the scene. The South Milwaukee woman was arrested and taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility before being referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on a charge of Domestic Violence Battery.

On July 8<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of threatening phone calls received in the 2400 Block of 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Later that morning, officers from the West Milwaukee Police Department arrested an 18-year-old West Allis woman for making similar calls to 33 establishments in the area, including the one in South Milwaukee. She was referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on Disorderly Conduct and Bail Jumping charges.

## **OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED**

On July 1<sup>st</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of an individual lying in the roadway by a vehicle in the 500 Block of Sherman Avenue. Officers located the vehicle with the driver's door ajar and a male subject in the road who appeared to have fallen out of the vehicle. The subject who was identified as an 18-year-old Racine man, showed signs of impairment. South Milwaukee Fire Department personnel responded and took the man to a hospital for evaluation. He was issued a citation for Operating While Intoxicated-First Offense and later released to a sober, responsible, adult.

On July 5<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of a hit and run accident in the 1500 Block of Marion Avenue with a silver SUV leaving the scene after striking a parked vehicle. Officers located a disabled silver SUV with damage at the intersection of 14<sup>th</sup> and Manitowoc Avenues. The driver, a 27-year-old Milwaukee man, showed signs of impairment and admitted to hitting a vehicle. The man also had confirmed warrants with the Oak Creek Police Department and drug paraphernalia was located inside the vehicle. South Milwaukee Fire Department personnel responded and transported the man to a hospital for treatment of possible injuries. The man was arrested and issued citations for Operating While Intoxicated-First Offense, Operating While Suspended, Operating a Motor Vehicle Without Insurance, Hit and Run Unattended Vehicle, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. He signed a personal recognizance bond on the warrants.

## **RETAIL THEFT**

On July 7<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a retail theft complaint in the 1100 Block of Marquette Avenue where the suspects fled the scene in a vehicle. The vehicle was located after being involved in a crash at the intersection of 15<sup>th</sup> and Milwaukee Avenues. The occupants of the vehicle, A 53-year-old Milwaukee man, a 55-year-old Milwaukee woman, and a 43-year-old Milwaukee woman, were transported to a hospital for injuries along with a 49-year-old Racine woman who was operating one of the vehicles struck in the crash. The Milwaukee man was issued citations for Reckless Driving Causing Bodily Harm, Operating Under the Influence-Drug related, Injury by Intoxicated Use of a Vehicle, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and Retail Theft. The Milwaukee women were issued citations for Retail Theft.

## **ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY**

**During the past two weeks Officers responded to:**

- 5      Animal Complaints**
- 8      Criminal Damage Complaints**
- 8      Harassment Complaints**
- 1      Domestic Argument Complaint**
- 53     Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 5      Drug Investigations**
- 27     Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 12     Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 12     Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 59     Fireworks Complaints**
- 18     Parking Complaints**
- 8      Noise Complaints**
- 23     Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 6      Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 6      Suspicious Vehicle Complaints**
- 6      Fraud Complaints**
- 5      Threat Complaints**
- 18     Traffic Complaints**
- 9      Theft Complaints**
- 238    Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 3      Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 21     Welfare Checks**