

SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY 6/16/22 – 6/26/22

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



The past two weeks the South Milwaukee Police Department responded to **388** calls for service.

DRUG POSSESSION

On June 26th, officers were dispatched to the area of 8th and Manitowoc Avenues to check on a man reported to have been sitting on the ground for a long time and may be in need of assistance. Officers spoke with a 34-year-old South Milwaukee man who was found to have a confirmed felony warrant with the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office and two misdemeanor warrants with the Waukesha County Sheriff's Office. He was arrested on the warrants and drug paraphernalia along with a powdery substance that later tested positive for Fentanyl and Cocaine was located in his pocket. He was taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility on the warrants and referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on charges of Possession of Fentanyl and Cocaine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

BATTERY

On June 20th, officers were dispatched to a business in the 200 Block of North Chicago Avenue for an altercation between two individuals. An investigation revealed a 39-year-old Milwaukee woman and an 18-year-old South Milwaukee woman became involved in an argument while interacting in the drive-thru lane. When the Milwaukee woman entered the business, the South Milwaukee woman struck her with her fist and attempted to throw a chair. The South Milwaukee woman was arrested and taken to the police station where she was issued a citation for Battery.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

On June 22ND, officers were dispatched to the 700 Block of Menomonee Avenue for a report of individuals who appeared to be attempting to break into a parked vehicle. A group of individuals fled the area upon the arrival of officers. Officers apprehended a 13-year-old St. Francis boy, a 14-year-old Milwaukee boy, a 14-year-old South Milwaukee boy, and a 16-year-old South Milwaukee boy. A parked vehicle was located with a broken front window. Two other vehicles with damage from attempted entries were also located in the area. All four youths were arrested and taken to the police station where they were issued citations for Disorderly Conduct, Criminal Damage to Property, Trespassing, and Obstructing an Officer. The youths were released to their parents.

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On June 17TH, officers were dispatched to a report of a reckless driver in the 1200 Block of Sherman Avenue. An officer located the suspect vehicle in the 1300 Block of Sherman Avenue and observed it swerve and back over the curb and grass before stopping. The driver, a 36-year-old South Milwaukee man, showed signs of impairment and he was arrested. Drug paraphernalia was located in the vehicle. The man was taken to the police station and issued citations for Operating While Suspended, Non-Registration of Auto, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. He was taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility and referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office and a charge of Operating While Intoxicated-Third Offense.

RETAIL THEFT

On June 18th, officers were dispatched to a business in the 2900 Block of South Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual who had taken a cell phone from the store without paying for it. Officers located a 25-year-old Brookfield man nearby who matched the description of the individual. The man was found to be in possession of the cell phone that was taken and he was arrested. Store employees also reported the same individual had taken another cell phone from the store a day earlier. The man was issued citations for Retail Theft-First and Second Offense.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY

During the past two weeks Officers responded to:

- 15 911 Hang Ups and Unfounded Calls**
- 17 Animal Complaints**
- 9 Alarm Calls**
- 12 Noise Complaints**
- 6 Criminal Damage Complaints**
- 31 Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 25 Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 10 Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 12 Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 4 Harassment Complaints**
- 15 Parking Complaints**
- 4 Threat Complaints**
- 22 Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 3 Suspicious Vehicle Complaints**
- 2 Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 4 Fraud Complaints**
- 7 Unwanted Person Complaints**
- 11 Traffic Complaints**
- 14 Theft Complaints**
- 82 Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 2 Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 19 Welfare Checks**