

# **SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

## **WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY *9/5/22 – 9/18/22***

(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 **465** calls for service.

### **BATTERY**

On September 14<sup>TH</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of two individuals fighting in the roadway at 15<sup>th</sup> and Marquette Avenues. Officers spoke with a 40-year-old Milwaukee woman who stated she was driving in a vehicle with a 32-year-old Milwaukee man when the man began to hit her after they became involved in an argument. When she stopped the vehicle and exited, the man continued to strike her and broke her glasses when witnesses intervened and officers arrived. The Milwaukee man was arrested and taken to the police station. He was found to have a prior open case for Domestic Violence Battery. He was taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility and referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on Domestic Violence related charges of Battery, Disorderly Conduct, Recklessly Endangering Safety, Criminal Damage to Property, and Bail Jumping.

On September 15<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a report of individuals arguing in the 3300 Block of 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Officers spoke with a 19-year-old South Milwaukee man and a 19-year-old South Milwaukee woman who stated they were sprayed with pepper spray by a 23-year-old South Milwaukee woman during the argument. The 23-year-old woman was located a short time later and she was arrested. She was taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility and referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on charges of Domestic Violence related Battery and Disorderly Conduct.

## **HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT**

On September 15<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to the area of 10<sup>th</sup> and Rawson Avenues for a report of a hit and run accident where a van struck a parked vehicle and continued on. Officers located a parked vehicle with damage and based on witness statements and an investigation were able to identify the striking vehicle. Deputies from the Racine County Sheriff's Office located the striking vehicle with consistent damage and spoke with the striking vehicle's owner, a 66-year-old Caledonia woman. She admitted to being in the accident and was issued a citation for Hit and Run-Unattended Vehicle.

## **RETAIL THEFT**

On September 5<sup>th</sup>, officers were dispatched to a business in the 2900 Block of South Chicago Avenue for report of three individuals concealing food items in backpacks and a baby stroller without paying for them. Officers located a 30-year-old Milwaukee man, a 30-year-old Milwaukee woman, and a 46-year-old Franklin man who matched the descriptions given. Officers located store items without receipts in each of the backpacks the three were wearing as well as a baby stroller they had with them. The woman was found to have a confirmed felony warrant with Probation and Parole for a parole violation. All three were arrested and issued citations for Retail Theft and the Milwaukee woman was taken to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility on the warrant.

## **OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED**

On September 10<sup>th</sup>, an officer on patrol conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle with expired registration in the 1200 Block of Blake Avenue. The driver, a 69-year-old South Milwaukee man showed signs of impairment. He was arrested and taken to the police station where he was issued citations for Operating While Intoxicated-Second Offense, Operating with a Prohibited Blood Alcohol Concentration, and Non Registration of Auto.

## **ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY**

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

- 21 911 Hang Ups and Unfounded Calls**
- 22 Animal Complaints**
- 6 Alarm Calls**
- 9 Noise Complaints**
- 1 Domestic Argument Complaint**
- 39 Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 40 Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 11 Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 17 Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 2 Harassment Complaints**
- 13 Parking Complaints**
- 2 Threat Complaints**
- 27 Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 3 Suspicious Vehicle Complaints**
- 3 Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 4 Drug Investigations**
- 4 Unwanted Person Complaints**
- 14 Traffic Complaints**
- 3 Theft Complaints**
- 107 Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 10 Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 28 Welfare Checks**