

SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY *2/20/23 – 3/5/23*

(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 **441** calls for service.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

On February 24th, officers were dispatched to a business in the 100 Block of North Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual creating a disturbance. Officers located a 54-year-old Ozaukee County man lying unresponsive inside the business. Employees stated the man went behind the food counter, rummaged through employee's personal belongings, threw food on the floor and attempted to fight employees before passing out. South Milwaukee Fire Department personnel responded and took the man to the hospital due to his level of intoxication. He was issued a citation for Disorderly Conduct.

On March 2nd, officers were dispatched to the 3300 Block of South Chicago Avenue for a report of individuals arguing. Officers spoke with a 25-year-old South Milwaukee man and a 45-year-old South Milwaukee man who were arguing over storage space. The 45-year-old man continued to be loud and boisterous despite numerous warnings to calm down. He was arrested and taken to the police station where he was issued a citation for Disorderly Conduct.

On February 22nd, officers were dispatched to a business in the 3100 Block of South Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual creating a disturbance. Employees told officers a 47-year-old woman who was previously trespassed from the business, entered and began threatening and spitting at employees. The woman became uncooperative with officers and was arrested. She was taken to the police station and issued a citation for Disorderly Conduct.

HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT

On March 5th, a caller reported a parked vehicle was struck in the 300 Block of 15th Avenue and the striking vehicle drove away from the scene. The striking vehicle was located by officers near 16th Avenue and Cherry Street and the driver, a 35-year-old Oak Creek man, admitted to being in the accident. The man stated he dropped his phone and when he went to pick it up, he struck the parked vehicle. The man showed no signs of impairment and he was issued citations for Hit and Run Unattended Vehicle and Inattentive Driving.

RETAIL THEFT

On February 28th, officers were dispatched to a business in the 200 Block of North Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual concealing items and failing to pay for them. Officers spoke with a 41-year-old Cudahy woman who was observed concealing cosmetic items in her purse by store security. A total of 83 unpaid for items were recovered and the woman was arrested. She was taken to the police station and referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office

OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED

On March 2nd, an officer on patrol observed a vehicle traveling above the posted speed limit in the 1600 Block of College Avenue. The vehicle failed to signal a turn and a traffic stop was initiated near 11th and College Avenues. The driver, a 24-year-old Milwaukee woman, showed signs of impairment. She was arrested and taken to the police station where she was issued citations for Operating While Intoxicated-First Offense, Failure to Signal Turn, and Unreasonable and Imprudent Speed.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY

During the past two weeks Officers responded to:

- 57 911 Hang Ups and Unfounded Calls**
- 13 Animal Complaints**
- 6 Alarm Calls**
- 1 Criminal Damage Complaint**
- 8 Threat Complaints**
- 48 Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 24 Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 13 Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 12 Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 6 Fraud Complaints**
- 11 Parking Complaints**
- 7 Noise Complaints**
- 12 Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 3 Suspicious Vehicle Complaints**
- 4 Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 1 Drug Investigation**
- 10 Unwanted Person Complaints**
- 9 Traffic Complaints**
- 14 Theft Complaints**
- 88 Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 6 Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 13 Welfare Checks**