

SOUTH MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY 1/22/24 – 2/4/24

(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 **459** calls for service.

LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE

On February 4th, an officer was returning to South Milwaukee on Interstate 43 after transporting an individual to the Milwaukee County Criminal Justice Facility when he observed a Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office deputy involved in an altercation with a motorist on a traffic stop. The officer pulled over and was able to assist the deputy in taking a 37-year-old Milwaukee man in custody. The man was referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on charges by the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

On February 1st, officers were dispatched to the 1700 Block of Madison Avenue for a report of an individual in a parked vehicle sounding the horn continuously. Officers spoke with a 43-year-old South Milwaukee man who stated a 35-year-old Cudahy woman arrived in a car and sounded the horn. When the man asked her not to sound the horn, she continued to sound the horn and began to shout at him. The woman stated she arrived to pick up her child at a nearby address and sounded the horn. She also admitted to sounding the horn continuously when asked not to and the officer heard the horn sounding prior to arriving. The woman was arrested and issued citations for Disorderly Conduct and Unnecessary Sounding of Horn.

WARRANT ARREST

On February 1st, An officer on patrol conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle on College Avenue near Holly Lane after the vehicle failed to yield the right of way while turning onto College Avenue from Pennsylvania Avenue. The driver, a 45-year-old Milwaukee man, was found to have a revoked driver's license. The man also had a confirmed warrant with the Racine County Sheriff's Office for Ignition Interlock Device Tampering. The passenger, a 45-year-old Franklin woman had confirmed warrants with the Oak Creek Police Department for Truancy and Child Support. The man was arrested and issued a citation for Operating After Revocation. He was turned over to deputies from the Racine County Sheriff's Office on the warrant. The woman signed a Personal Recognizance Bond on the warrants with the Oak Creek Police Department.

RETAIL THEFT

On February 2nd, officers were dispatched to a business in the 2900 Block of South Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual leaving a store without paying for a bottle of alcohol. Officers spoke with a 33-year-old Milwaukee man who matched the description given near South Chicago and Marshall Avenues. The man was in possession of the unpaid for alcohol and he admitted taking it from the store. He was arrested and during a search incident to the arrest, drug paraphernalia was located in his pocket. He was taken to the police station and issued a citation for Retail Theft. The man was referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office on a charge of Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 25th, officers were dispatched to a business in the 3100 Block of South Chicago Avenue for a report of an individual taking food and drinks without paying for them and locking themselves in the women's restroom. Officers spoke with a 41-year-old Milwaukee man who matched the description near the restroom. An empty pizza box and drink cup were located in the restroom and surveillance video showed the man take the food items and enter the restroom. The man had been trespass from the store previously. He was arrested and taken to the police station where he was issued citations for Retail Theft and Trespassing.

ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY ACTIVITY

During the past two weeks Officers responded to:

- 33 911 Hang Ups and Unfounded Calls**
- 10 Animal Complaints**
- 5 Alarm Calls**
- 1 Vehicle Lockout Call**
- 45 Citizen Assistance Calls**
- 15 Disorderly Conduct Complaints**
- 4 Assist Other Law Enforcement Agency Calls**
- 16 Motor Vehicle Accidents**
- 1 Drug Investigation**
- 11 Parking Complaints**
- 2 Noise Complaints**
- 14 Suspicious Activity Complaints**
- 8 Suspicious Vehicle Complaints**
- 11 Suspicious Person Complaints**
- 4 Snow Shoveling Complaints**
- 12 Unwanted Person Complaints**
- 10 Traffic Complaints**
- 6 Theft Complaints**
- 126 Vehicle Traffic Stops**
- 14 Abandoned Vehicle Complaints**
- 20 Welfare Checks**