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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary
February 24th – March 2nd 2013

Crime Map for the Week of February 24th – March 2nd 2013



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

National Consumer Protection Week: March 3rd – 9th 2013

The N.C.P.W. website is more than a destination for consumer information. The site is a source for outreach tools you can share with family and friends. We can thank 64 federal, state, local agencies and nonprofit organizations who are making information on critical consumer protection issues available through this website. Throughout the year work is done to provide consumers with access to a wide range of useful information. Some objectives are; teaching citizens how to recognize and report frauds, scams, managing credit and debit cards, using technology, and staying safe and healthy. Click on the image below for more details.



WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service year to date: **463**

Significant Fire Events:

Mutual Aid: Structure Fire

Fire Incident # 425

On February 27, 2013 at 4:50am the Pittsfield Township Fire Department responded to a mutual aid request by the City of Ypsilanti Fire Department for a structure fire in the 700 block of Pearl Street. Five people were displaced from their home due to the fire. There were no injuries.

Downed Power Lines: During the week of February 24th – March 2nd 2013, the Pittsfield Township Fire Department responded to sixteen calls for downed power lines throughout our community. We would like to thank alert residents who called and encourage all residents not to touch or attempt to move downed power lines. Call 9-1-1. No injuries or fires were reported in these incidents. DTE Energy has information for services they provide by clicking on the image link below for details.



WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the week: **305**

Total Calls for Service Year to date: **2,388**

Type of Incident: Home Invasion

Complaint # 13-2117

On February 24th 2013, at 11:38pm the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 1600 block of Cypress Pointe Court where a homeowner stated someone had cut the screen to a rear patio door that was unlocked. No one had entered the home.

Type of Incident: Breaking and Entering

Complaint# 13-2121

On February 25th 2013, at 4:08am the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3300 block of Carpenter Road for a reported Breaking And Entering at Home Depot. At 3:12am an alarm was activated and employees discovered a sliding glass door bottom panel had been broken out. Officers on the scene made a search of the building and packaging covers. Four I-phones were found on the ground.

Type of Incident: Assault With Intent To Murder

Complaint#: 13-2207

Location: Wooded area south of Michigan Avenue, East of US-23.

Information: The Pittsfield Township Police Department responded to the area of US-23 and Michigan Avenue on February 27, 2013 at 12:36 am. A 9-1-1 caller reported that a man in a black trench coat was standing near the overpass shooting at traffic with a firearm. Upon arrival, officers observed the suspect walking westbound and placed him in custody. Officers backtracked footprints in the snow and found a sawed off shotgun that was collected as evidence. No vehicles were struck and no people were hurt in this incident. The suspect has been lodged at the Washtenaw County Jail pending review by the Washtenaw County Prosecutor's Office.

Update 2/28/13:

On February 28, 2013 the Washtenaw County Prosecutor's Office authorized charges against Elmore Tarice Ray. Charges include four counts of ***Assault With Intent To Murder***, four counts of ***Assault With Intent to Do Great Bodily Harm Less Than Murder***, one count of ***Weapons Offense- Possession Of A Short Barrel Shotgun***; one count of ***Possession Of A Dangerous Weapon- Carrying With Unlawful Intent***, and one count of ***Felony Firearm***.

No additional details have been released at this time in order to maintain the integrity of the investigation.

Bond - Elmore Tarice Ray was arraigned. Bond was set at \$20,000.00 cash.

Arrested: Elmore Tarice Ray - 28 years of age.



Type of Incident: Breaking and Entering
Complaint # 13-2312

On March 1st 2013 at 8:25am the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 5800 block of Plum Hollow Drive to a reported breaking and entering of a shed. A padlock was cut off the door and it had occurred sometime during February 28th – March 1st 2013. Nothing was reported missing from the shed nor was the shed damaged.

The above named incidents remain under investigation. If anyone has been a witness to any of these crimes, please contact the Pittsfield Township Department of Public Safety at 734-822-4911 or the confidential tip line at 734- 822-4958.