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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary
June 2nd – 8th 2013

Crime Map For The Week Of June 2nd – 8th 2013



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

Larceny From Automobiles:

The Pittsfield Township Police Department has responded to an increase in personal property theft from cars over the past thirty days. Computers, purses, golf clubs, designer sun glasses, and other items of value have been taken from **unlocked** and in some cases **locked vehicles**. Individuals involved in these types of crimes usually prey on those who leave valuables out in the open in unsecured vehicles. Please lock your vehicles and remove valuables to prevent crimes of opportunity. For tips from the H.E.A.T. (Help Eliminate Auto Theft) program click on the image below.



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WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service year to date: 1,233

Significant Fire Events:

Mutual Aid Request: Hazmat Team Leader

On June 5th 2013, at 5:37pm, Pittsfield Township Fire Fighter R. Girbach responded to the 1600 block of Dean Road, in the city of Ann Arbor, to provide assistance to the Ann Arbor Fire Department for an active Hazmat situation.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the week: **310**

Total Calls for Service Year to date: **6,446**

Type of Incident: Disorderly / Malicious Destruction Of Property Complaint # 13-6139

On June 2nd 2013, at 2:19am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Pine Bluff Drive for a report of family trouble. The victim was breaking up with an acquaintance. During an argument over property, the suspect obtained a rock and threw it, causing damage to several vehicles. One person was arrested for disorderly conduct and malicious destruction of property.

Type of Incident: Assault With Intent To Do Great Bodily Harm Less Than Murder Complaint #: 13-6181

Information: On June 2nd 2013, at 10:59pm, Pittsfield Township police officers responded to the 3500 block of Fieldcrest Lane on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival, officers located a 45-year-old male who was the victim of a gunshot wound. The victim is a resident of Pittsfield Township. He was transported to an area hospital with non-life threatening injuries. Investigators are actively looking into this case. Investigation at this point revealed this incident was not a random act of violence. The victim and suspect knew each other.

****UPDATED INFORMATION**:** On Monday, June 10, 2013, Ricardo Palmer, the suspect wanted in this shooting incident, turned himself in to the Pittsfield Township Police Department. On Tuesday, June 11, 2013, he was arraigned on a charge of "Assault With Intent To Do Great Bodily Harm Less Than Murder" and issued a \$25,000.00 cash bond. Ricardo Palmer is currently in custody at the Washtenaw County Jail and has a preliminary exam scheduled for June 25, 2013.

Injuries: Gunshot wound with non-life threatening injuries.

Arrested: Ricardo Palmer.

Type of Incident: Accidental Shooting
Complaint #: 13-6184

Information: On June 3rd, 2013, at 2:27am, the Pittsfield Police responded to a local hospital for a report of a victim with a single gunshot wound. Officers made contact with the victim who is a resident of Pittsfield Township. The 25 year old male was suffering from a non-life threatening gunshot wound. The victim indicated to police that he accidentally discharged his firearm in a vehicle while in a parking lot at a business in the 3100 block of Ellsworth Road. The bullet struck him in a non-vital area. A friend of the victim transported him to the hospital. The victim was in lawful possession of the firearm. Pittsfield Police will be preparing an investigation to be submitted and reviewed by the Washtenaw County Prosecutor's Office for possible criminal charges.

Type of Incident: Larceny From Motor Vehicles
Complaint # 13-6189

On June 3rd 2013, at 6:55am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 1600 block of Pond Shore Drive, and the 1600 block of Mallard Cove Drive. Reports were taken regarding items stolen from five unlocked vehicles. Victims reported the following items were taken; I-Pad, golf clubs, laptop, sunglasses, and a Jeep Laredo owner's manual. A travel bag and digital camera were recovered in the neighborhood.

Type of Incident: Armed Robbery – Suspect Arrested
Complaint #: 13-6199

Information: On June 3, 2013 at 9:58 am, the Pittsfield Township Police Department received a call from a witness reporting a robbery in progress. The witness described a subject wearing a mask and holding a shotgun inside the B.P. Gas Station in the 4900 block of Washtenaw Avenue. As officers arrived, the suspect fled in a vehicle. Another witness provided a location the suspect pulled into off Golfside Road. As an officer located the vehicle, the suspect fled on foot. The YPD/PTPD K-9 responded and a track was initiated. While searching for the suspect an officer observed him and took him into custody. The investigation will be turned over to the Washtenaw County Prosecutor for review and authorization of charges. There were no injuries.

Arrested: 25 year old white male from Sebawaing, Michigan.

Type of Incident: Selling Stolen Property
Complaint # 13-6202

On June 3rd, 2013, at 12noon, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 2700 block of Oak Valley Drive for a report of a stolen trombone. The trombone was sold to the music store in March of 2010 and while repairs were being made by the manufacturer, the store owner was notified that it had been stolen.

**Type of Incident: Larceny From An Automobile
Complaint # 13-6229**

On June 3rd 2013, at 7:37pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4700 block of Carter Place for a report of stolen cash, a screw driver, and pen light from an unlocked vehicle.

**Type of Incident: Credit Card Fraud
Complaint # 13-6230**

On June 3rd 2013, at 7:55pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 5200 block of West Michigan Avenue for a report of credit card fraud. The victim reported someone had made eighteen unauthorized charges online.

**Type of Incident: Stolen Motorcycle
Complaint # 13-6246**

On June 4th 2013, at 7:40am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4000 block of Washtenaw Avenue for a report of a stolen Black Suzuki SV650 motorcycle. The incident occurred on June 3rd or June 4th between 6:30pm and 6:45am.

**Type of Incident: Stolen Motorcycle
Complaint # 13-6250**

On June 4th 2013, at 9:15am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Washtenaw Avenue for a report of a stolen Yellow Honda CBR600 motorcycle. The incident occurred on June 3rd or June 4th between 6:30pm and 6:45 am.

**Type of Incident: Stolen Vehicle
Complaint # 13-6254**

On June 4th 2013, at 10:42pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Washtenaw Avenue for a report of a stolen 1996 Plymouth Voyager mini-van. The rear seats were removed from the van and left in the parking lot. The vehicle was recovered in Detroit.

**Type of Incident: Attempted burglary (ATM Machine)
Complaint # 13-6260**

On June 4th 2013, at 1:58pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 6900 block of West Michigan Avenue for a report of damage to an ATM machine.

**Type of Incident: Malicious Destruction Of Property
Complaint # 13- 6285**

On June 5th 2013, at 12:11am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3700 block of South State Street for a report of a subject breaking out a window in a door during an argument with an acquaintance. The suspect was identified and left the scene prior to the officer's arrival.

**Type of Incident: Embezzlement
Complaint # 13-6377**

On June 7th 2013 at 2:35pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 3100 block of Lohr Road for a report of an employee involved in embezzlement. One person was taken into custody.

**Type of Incident: Attempted Breaking And Entering
Complaint # 13-6424**

On June 8th 2013, at 10:29am, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 6400 block of Bedview Drive for a report of an attempted breaking and entering. The resident discovered that someone attempted to gain access to her home through a partially open window.

**Type of Incident: Domestic Violence / Malicious Destruction Of Property / Probation Violation
Complaint # 13-6444**

On June 8th 2013, at 11:30pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4000 block of Carpenter Road for a report of domestic violence. The suspect damaged a fire control panel and left the scene. The victim identified the subject as an acquaintance. Later in the day, the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department arrested the suspect.

**Type of Incident: Aircraft Accident
Complaint #: 13-6464**

Information: On June 9th 2013, at 11:17am, the Pittsfield Township Police and Fire Departments responded to 801 Airport Drive to the Ann Arbor Airport for a reported airplane crash. Upon arrival, all passengers were out of the plane and no injuries were reported. The Cessna single engine aircraft sustained minor damage during the incident.

**Type of Incident: Attempted Breaking And Entering
Complaint # 13-6469**

On June 9th 2013, at 2:55pm, the Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 7000 block of Platt Road for an attempted home invasion. The resident reported someone had tried to kick in his garage door and basement window. The suspect (s) did not gain access to the home. The incident is believed to have occurred June 2nd – 9th 2013.

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.