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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary
June 8th – June 14th, 2014
Crime Map for the Week of June 8th – 14th, 2014



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

TORNADOES



Inspire others to act by being an example yourself, [Pledge to Prepare](#) & tell others about it!



Tornadoes are nature’s most violent storms. Spawned from powerful thunderstorms, tornadoes can cause fatalities and devastate a neighborhood in seconds. A tornado appears as a rotating, funnel-shaped cloud that extends from a thunderstorm to the ground with whirling winds that can reach 300 miles per hour. Damage paths can be in excess of one mile wide and 50 miles long. Every state is at some risk from this hazard. Some tornadoes are clearly visible, while rain or nearby low-hanging clouds obscure others. Occasionally, tornadoes develop so rapidly that little, if any, advance warning is possible. Before a tornado hits, the wind may die down and the air may become very still. A cloud of debris can mark the location of a tornado even if a funnel is not visible. Tornadoes generally occur near the trailing edge of a thunderstorm. It is not uncommon to see clear, sunlit skies behind a tornado.

Click “Pledge to Prepare” for details and tips on planning for emergencies.

WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service, Year to Date: 1,351

Fire Incident: Mutual Aid
Complaint # 14-1331

On June 11, 2014, at 1:04 p.m., Pittsfield Township Fire personnel responded to E. B. I-94 and Huron to assist the Ypsilanti Fire department with clean up from two trucks involved in an accident.

Fire Incident: Vehicle Fire
Complaint # 14-1343

On June 13, 2014, at 11:00 a.m., Pittsfield Township Fire personnel responded to the 2300 block of Carpenter Rd. to put out a vehicle fire.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Event:

Total Calls for Service for the Week: 329
Total Calls for Service Year to Date: 7,397

Type of Incident: Felonious Assault / Road Rage
Complaint # 14-7087

Information: On June 8, 2014, at 3 p.m., Pittsfield Police responded to a report of a felonious assault involving a handgun in the area of Carpenter Rd. and Ellsworth Rd. Police determined that a 23 year old male resident of Saline who had a valid CPL permit was driving a motorcycle and got into an argument with an SUV driver after he felt that he was cut off. The argument continued while going down the road. The driver of the motorcycle produced a handgun from his waistband and pointed it toward the SUV after he claimed the SUV attempted to hit him. The motorcycle driver was taken into custody by police in a nearby business parking lot and a handgun was recovered. The motorcycle driver was booked on charges of Felonious Assault and released pending further investigation into the case. Nobody was injured during the incident.

Suspect Arrested: 23 year old male resident of Saline.

Type of Incident: Arson
Complaint # 14-7208

On June 10, 2014, at 9:57 p.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 5200 block of W. Michigan Ave. for a report of a garbage can on the basketball court that had been set on fire.

The above named incidents remain under investigation. If anyone has any information about or 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.