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**Department of Public Safety**

**Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary**  
**August 17<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**  
**Crime Map for the Week August 17<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**



**COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION**

**IRS Reiterates Warning of Pervasive Telephone Scam**

Did you received a call saying that you owed money to the IRS and if you didn't pay the police would be coming to your home to arrest you? Residents throughout the area are getting this phone call, some have fallen prey to the scam and lost money and others are doing the right thing, "hang up on them" they are attempting to scare you into sending money. If you get a phone call from someone claiming to be from the IRS, here's what you should do:

- A. If you know you owe taxes or you think you might owe taxes, call the IRS at 1.800.829.1040. The IRS employees at that line can help you with a payment issue, if there really is such an issue.
- B. If you know you don't owe taxes or have no reason to think that you owe any taxes (for example, you've never received a bill or the caller made some bogus threats as described above), then call and report the incident to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration at 1.800.366.4484.
- C. If you've been targeted by this scam, you should also contact the Federal Trade Commission and use their "FTC Complaint Assistant" at [FTC.gov](http://FTC.gov). Please add "IRS Telephone Scam" to the comments of your complaint.

Click on the image below for more from the IRS.



## **WEEKLY FIRE REPORT**

**Total Calls for Service, Year to Date: 1,817**

**Fire Incident: Vehicle Fire**

Complaint # 14-1796

On August 21, 2014, at 1:47 p.m. Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to a vehicle fire at the corner of Deake Ave. and Packard Rd.

## **WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY**

**Significant Police Events:**

**Total Calls for Service for the Week: 290**

**Total Calls for Service Year to Date: 10,730**

**Type of Incident: Larceny from a Building / Home Invasion**

Complaint # 14-10703

On August 23, 2014, at 9:32 a.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to a report of Larceny of two flat screen televisions stolen from a home. The suspect entered the home without permission and was identified by the homeowner. The suspect was arrested in a different jurisdiction with outstanding warrants and charges will be filed on this incident.

**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.**

**Residents are encouraged to sign up for Pittsfield Township alerts and department notices through "Notify Me". Please go to [www.pittsfield-mi.gov](http://www.pittsfield-mi.gov) to sign up.**