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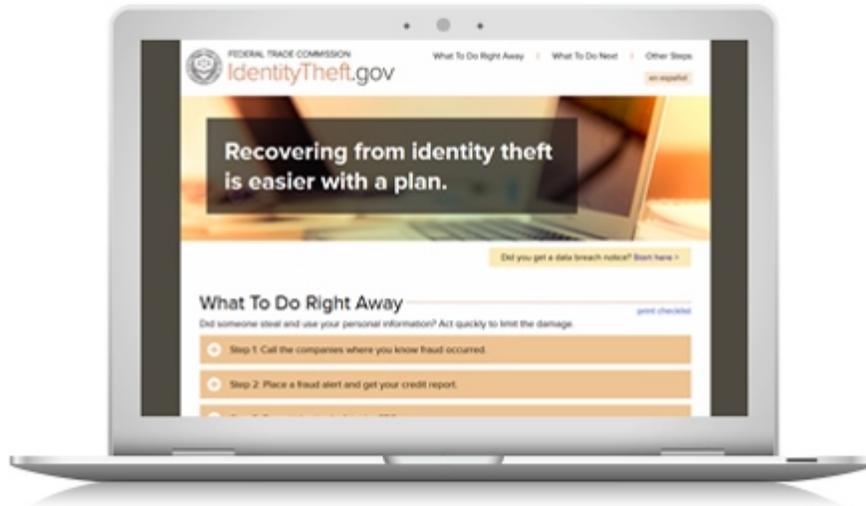
Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary May 3rd - 9th, 2015

Crime Map for the Week May 3rd - 9th 2015
(Click the image below for details)



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

Federal Trade Commission: Recovering from identity theft is easier with a plan
IdentityTheft.gov — a new resource from the FTC — can help. Click the image for more details on the new program.



IdentityTheft.gov can help you determine which critical step come first, and gives detailed advice and helpful resources like easy-to-print checklists and [sample letters](#). The site also connects you to organizations that are critical to the recovery process, like credit bureaus, the Social Security Administration, the IRS, and local consumer protection offices.

WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service Year to Date: **1,034**

Fire Incident: Fire Outdoors
Complaint# 15-985

On May 4, 2015, at 3:32 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to W. B. I-94 and N.B. US -23 to put out a brush fire.

Fire Incident: Fire Outdoors
Complaint# 15-1024

On May 8, 2015, at 3:10 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2100 block of Glencoe Hills Dr. to put out a brush fire.

Fire Incident: Fire Outdoors
Complaint # 15-1034

On May 9, 2015, at 6:50 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2100 block of Glencoe Hills Dr. to put out a fire in a shed that had been intentionally set. This incident remains under investigation.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the Week: 305

Total Calls for Service Year to Date: 4,902

Larceny from Motor Vehicles – Crime Prevention tip

GPS devices, computers, purses, clothing and other items of value have been taken from **unlocked** and, in some cases, **locked** vehicles. Individuals involved with these crimes of opportunity prey on those who leave valuables stored visibly inside their vehicle, and/or may leave their vehicle unlocked or unsecured (window open or partially open). Anti-theft systems for GPS devices are available. It is highly recommended to **remove the GPS device and other valuables from the vehicle** or, minimally, to **store the item(s) in the trunk or other vehicle compartment when not in use**.

It is extremely important to **LOCK and SECURE** your vehicle and to make sure that valuables are taken out of the vehicle, **especially at night**. If items must be left in the vehicle, make sure they are secured in the trunk or other vehicle compartment to keep them **hidden from sight**.

Your efforts to secure your vehicle and property and to watch for suspicious activity in your neighborhood will assist greatly with eliminating these crimes and keeping you and your neighbors safe. Please call 9-1-1 immediately if you see (or hear) any criminal or suspicious activity.

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 734-822-4959. Residents are encouraged to sign up for Pittsfield Township alerts and department notices through "**Notify Me**". Please go to www.pittsfield-mi.gov to sign up.