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### Department of Public Safety

## Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary March 23<sup>rd</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>, 2014 Crime Map for the Week of March 23<sup>rd</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, 2014



### COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

#### FTC: Dialing for Dollars IRS Tax Scam

There's a new scam going around and if your family name is from South Asia, there's a chance you already know about it. If the scam sounds familiar, that's because it's been around for years, targeting one group, then another. Right now, the people being targeted seem to be from India and Pakistan.

Here's what's happening: You get a call from someone claiming to be from the government maybe the IRS, maybe a law enforcement agency, maybe the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS). The caller often has a foreign accent, and might even speak to you in Hindi or Urdu.

The caller might have information about you the last four digits of your Social Security number, for example. The caller tells you that you owe money and that if you don't pay, many bad things will happen, deportation for you and your family, freezing your assets, and even going to jail if you don't pay. The caller will tell you to pay using a prepaid card, and will threaten you if you protest.

If you've gotten one of these calls or any call asking you to buy prepaid cards or to wire money the Federal Trade Commission wants to know about it. Please call **1-877-FTC-HELP** and tell your story. It helps our investigators build cases against these scammers. Click the image for more details.



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## **WEEKLY FIRE REPORT**

**Total Calls for Service, Year to Date: 841**

**Fire Incident: Mutual Aid**

Complaint # 14-823

On March 27, 2014, at 7:18 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 12300 block of Ostrander Rd. in Milan to assist with extinguishing a house fire.

**Fire Incident: Mutual Aid**

Complaint # 14-840

On March 29, 2014, at 3:53 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 3000 block of Prospect Rd. in Ypsilanti Township to assist with finding a missing person.

## **WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY**

**Significant Police Events:**

Total Calls for Service for the week: **286**

Total Calls for Service Year to Date: **3,874**

**Type of Incident: Breaking and Entering**

Complaint # 14-3637

On March 24, 2014, at 11:15 a.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4800 block of Washtenaw Ave. for a report of a Breaking and Entering that occurred. The front door lock was punched and money stolen from the cash registers.

**Type of Incident: Stolen Vehicle**

Complaint # 14-3751

On March 27, 2014, at 9 a.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4900 block of Cedarview Court for a report of a stolen 2001 Royal blue Honda CRV.

**Type of Incident: Home Invasion**

Complaint # 14-3764

On March 27, 2014, at 3:15 p.m., Pittsfield Township Police responded to the 4700 block of Bemis Rd. for a reported Home Invasion. Entry was gained by kicking in the interior garage door. Nothing was reported missing.

**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.**