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Weekly Public Safety Activity Summary
December 7th-13th, 2014
Crime Map for the Week December 7th-13th, 2014



COMMUNITY EVENTS – INFORMATION

Scam Phone Calls Continue: IRS Unveils New Video to Warn Taxpayers

As incidents of an aggressive telephone scam continue across the country, the Internal Revenue Service unveiled a new YouTube video with a renewed warning to taxpayers not to be fooled by imposters posing as tax agency representatives.

The new Tax Scams video describes some basic tips to help protect taxpayers from tax scams. These callers may demand money or may say you have a refund due and try to trick you into sharing private information. These con artists can sound convincing when they call. They may know a lot about you, and they usually alter the caller ID to make it look like the IRS is calling. They use fake names and bogus IRS identification badge numbers. If you don't answer, they often leave an "urgent" callback request. The IRS recommends not responding to the calls and filing a report on their website.

Click the image below for more details from the IRS and to access the video.



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WEEKLY FIRE REPORT

Total Calls for Service, Year to Date: 2,665

Fire Incident: Structure Fire

Complaint # 14-2646

On December 10, 2014, at 2:11 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 4700 block of S. State Street to put out a small fire in a storage unit involving gas fired equipment.

Fire Incident: Wires Down

Complaint # 14-2649

On December 11, 2014, at 2:48 p.m. Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 7200 block of Moon Rd. for wires down.

Fire Incident: Structure Fire

Complaint # 14-2657

On December 12, 2014, Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2000 block of Arbor Circle W. to put out a small kitchen fire.

Fire Incident: Structure Fire

Complaint # 14-2664

On December 13, 2014, at 4:43 p.m., Pittsfield Township fire personnel responded to the 2400 block of Twin Lakes Dr. to put out a small kitchen fire.

WEEKLY CRIME SUMMARY

Significant Police Events:

Total Calls for Service for the Week: 283

Total Calls for Service Year to Date: 15,499

Police Incident: Breaking and Entering

Complaint # 14-10000350

On December 8, 2014, at 12:00 a.m. Pittsfield Township Police took a report of a Breaking and Entering of a detached garage where a snow blower, lawn trimmer and cordless drill were stolen.

This incident was reported to the Police department online through the Pittsfield Township website and it is unknown when the theft occurred.

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.

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