

Police Crime Bulletin

Crime Prevention Bureau
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Commercial Burglaries:

Date/Time	Address (block range)	Method of Entry	Description/Suspect Information
<p>04/05/2019 2:10am</p> <p>(3- Incidents in the last month. See details in narrative.)</p>	<p>24000 W Nine Mile Rd. (Commercial- Hotel Supply)</p>	<p>Ceramic Pot was thrown thru a south side window.</p>	<p>R/P for business advises at approx. 2:10am an unknown suspect threw a green in color ceramic pot thru a double pane window on the south side of the building. No entry was gained by the suspect. Surveillance video shows a heavy-set W/F coming over the fence in the 22000 Block of Telegraph Rd. at which time she climbed on top of a construction trailer and subsequently came over the fence separating both properties. Suspect then utilized a green in color ceramic pot to break a window on the south side of the business. The window was compromised at which time the pot landed within the business. Suspect then fled the scene without gaining entry.</p> <p>Note: Additional Incidents at same location:</p> <p>-The same business was broken into 03/08/2019 at 1:42am. In that incident, the suspect was observed on surveillance video breaking out the south door window. He fled over the wall to the rear of the business. Entry was gained into the business on this incident.</p> <p>Suspect Description: One subject wearing a black and grey striped zip up jacket, black sweatpants with a diamond design on the calf and white gloves.</p>

			<p>-On 03/15/2019 the same business was broken into. R/P (Building Manager) stated an unknown suspect broke into the business during the overnight hours. An office window on the east side of the building was broken out. A large rock had been thrown thru the window allowing access to the closed business. The interior of the business was searched and nothing was disturbed or taken.</p>
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-It's believed that these incidents are related.
No vehicles were seen in any of the incidents.

Tips:

- ❖ Do not display valuable items in windows when closed for business
- ❖ Contact the Southfield Police Crime Prevention Bureau for a free security inspection (248) 796-5409

Home Invasion:			
Date/Time	Address (block range)	Method of Entry	Description/Suspect Information
From: 04/07/2019 3:30am To: 04/07/2019 7:30am (Sexual Assault Also. Suspect in Custody!)	27000 Franklin Rd. (Residential- Apartments)	Climbed through unlocked bedroom window.	<p>On 04/07/2019 at 7:45am, Officers were dispatched to the 27000 Block of Franklin Rd. (Apartment Complex), reference a sexual assault.</p> <p>Victim stated she was sleeping in her bed when a B/M approximately 6'-0" entered her bedroom and sexually assaulted her. Victim did not know the suspect or the exact time the incident occurred but she could see the sun starting to rise out of her bedroom window.</p> <p>Victim stated during the sexual assault the suspect threatened her if she reported incident.</p> <p>Victim stated she was then told to count to fifty and keep looking away while the suspect left the apartment. Victim believes the suspect left through the front door of the apartment but is unsure.</p> <p>Victim thinks the suspect may have gone through her purse prior to leaving her apartment.</p> <p>Victim stated that she had left her bedroom window slightly open during the night and this is where Officers believe suspect entered victims ground level apartment.</p> <p>Investigation: Southfield Detectives met with Security personnel and reviewed Surveillance Video. After reviewing surveillance video, a suspect was developed. The suspect was positively identified by Security for the Apartment Complex.</p> <p>It was confirmed that suspect was a resident at the Apartment Complex. Southfield Detectives drafted a search warrant for the suspects residence.</p>

04/07/2019 12:07am	20000 Westover Ave.	Entry into trailer through unlocked door.	<p>On 04/07/2019 Officers were investigating a B&E at residence in the 20000 Westover. A neighbor approached them and stated he is in the process of moving into his residence, also in the 20000 Block of Westover Ave.</p> <p>The neighbor advised that on 04/06/2019 sometime between 2:00pm and when he got home at 12:00am, someone came onto his property and opened his unlocked trailer. The suspect(s) rummaged through several of his belongings. He doesn't think anything was taken.</p> <p>The neighbor also advised his rear screen door to his residence was wide open and the light on the house which was adjacent to the trailer was also unscrewed. No entry into the residence was made.</p>
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Tips:

- ❖ Let trusted neighbors know if you are not going to be at home
- ❖ Be cautious about who you let in your home for service and repairs
- ❖ Contact the Southfield Police Crime Prevention Bureau for a free home security inspection (248) 796-5409

Automobile Thefts:			
Date/Time	Address (block range)	Year, Make, Model	Details
04/02/2019 7:25am	28000 Lahser Rd.	Status S - Stolen Manufacturer GMC Model Envoy Color BLK - Black Vehicle Year 2008 Body Style State MI License Year 2019 Description GMC Envoy	Victim states on Tuesday 04/02/2019 sometime between 5:30am- 7:00am someone stole his 2008 GMC Envoy which was parked in the driveway at residence.
From: 04/06/2019 2:30am To: 04/06/2019 8:45am	15000 Town Ctr. (Hotel Parking Structure)	Status S – Stolen & Recovered Manufacturer TOYOTA Model CAMRY Color GRY - Gray Vehicle Year 2019 Description 2019 TOYOTA CAMRY	Victim states he parked his rental vehicle in the 15000 Block of Town Center, (Parking structure located at Hotel) at approx. 2:30am on 04/06/2019. The vehicle was locked but victim advised there was a spare key located in the vehicle cup holder. When victim returned to the parking structure at approx. 8:45am the same day, the vehicle was missing. Victim also advised that his cell phone and several bottles of alcohol were in the vehicle as well. Note: (Vehicle was Recovered) On 04/06/2019, Officers were dispatched to an unknown injury accident, possible hit & run at W/B 8 Mile Rd. and Beech Rd. Officers located a Gray Toyota Camry (Stolen

Larceny:			
Date/Time	Address (block range)	Item Taken	Details
04/02/2019 9:03am	25000 Shiawassee Rd. (Residential- Apartments)	No signs of forced entry. Building is under renovation.	R/P advised that a private contractor had been rehabbing the Apartment Building. R/P advises that a Hot Water Tank and 2- Furnaces were taken. They were last seen in place on 3/22/2019 and discovered missing on 3/27/2019 by the contracting company. There was no sign of force into the building. The building is currently unoccupied with a lock box for entry. No suspect information.
From: 04/02/2019 9:00pm To: 04/03/2019 8:30am	24000 Civic Center Dr. (Residential- Assisted Living)	Status S - Stolen Manufacturer PONTIAC Model Serial No. License No. Color Description CATALYTIC CONVERTER Notes Stolen From 2004 Pontiac Aztek	Victim states his 2004 Pontiac Aztek had the catalytic converter cut off sometime over the night between 9:00pm- 8:30am. No suspect information.

<p>04/03/2019 2:01pm</p>	<p>24000 Civic Center Dr. (Residential- Assisted Living)</p>	<p>Status S - Stolen Description Turquoise Women's Wallet Containing Checkbook from PNC Bank and 3 PNC Bank Cards.</p>	<p>Victim states she last saw her wallet on 04/02/2019 around 10:00pm when she came back to her apartment after meeting with friends in the front lobby of her apartment complex. Victim noticed it missing on 04/03/2019 around 2:30pm. She believes her wallet was stolen from her apartment while she was downstairs. No suspect information.</p>
<p>04/03/2019 11:24am Inc.# 19/12367</p>	<p>15886 Fairfax St.</p>	<p>Status S - Stolen Description Handgun</p>	<p>Victim states on April 1, 2019 he noticed his gun missing from his bedroom nightstand. He last saw it when he placed it there on March 5, 2019 after cleaning it. The only other person in the home during that time frame was his wife. She states she hasn't moved it or seen it?</p>
<p>From: 04/02/2019 1:50pm To: 04/02/2019 11:33pm</p>	<p>16000 W Nine Mile Rd. (Hospital)</p>	<p>Status A - Attacked Manufacturer DODGE Color Vehicle Year 2013 Body Style State MI Description ATTACKED VEHICLE</p>	<p>Victim came into the front desk and reported she parked and locked her vehicle on 04/02/2019, 2:50pm at hospital in the 16000 Block of 9 Mile Rd. Victim returned to the vehicle on 04/02/2019 at 11:33pm and observed that the rear passenger side window was broken out and the front passenger side tire was flat. Nothing was stolen from her vehicle; however, she believes the suspect(s) were attempting to steal her Wheels & Tires.</p>

<p>04/04/2019 1:38pm</p>	<p>18000 Alta Vista Dr.</p>	<p>Status S - Stolen Description UNKNOWN MAIL</p>	<p>Victim states on 03/30/2019 at approx. 11:50pm he returned home from work and found his mailbox open with no mail inside. Victim spoke with the U.S Postal Service and was told his mail was delivered to his home on 03/30/2019. Unknown what mail was taken.</p>
<p>04/06/2019 5:00pm</p>	<p>25000 Glenbrooke Dr. (Residential- Condo's)</p>	<p>Status S - Stolen Description 4- 20" Chrome Rims and Tires</p>	<p>Victim stated that he placed a set of 20" Chrome Rims & Tires for storage in his mother's basement, some time ago. Victim contacted his parents to pick the rims and tires up and they stated that they were not there and thought he had already picked them up. Victim stated that the tires and rims have been in the basement for a while and his parents frequently vacation away from the home. Victim believes his sister may have taken the rims and tires because she is the only person with access to the home. Victim questioned his sister about where the rims and tires were and she became defensive and did not answers his questions. Suspect has been identified and incident is under investigation.</p>

<p>From: 04/04/2019 12:00pm To: 04/05/2019 1:00pm</p>	<p>22000 Glastonbury Gate Dr.</p>	<p>Status S - Stolen Description 2- Credit Cards were taken.</p>	<p>Victim reports on 04/05/2019 she received a message from her Bank that her Visa Credit Card was used and was inquiring about the transactions. Looking into this further, victim discovered that two of her credit cards were missing and both were used to purchase merchandise. After speaking with representatives from the Banks & Stores it was discovered that it was a male that made the purchases and at one of the stores they asked the subject for his ID. The subject stated he didn't have any ID. He was asked for his name and he gave the first name that was the same as one of victim's sons. Incident is under further investigation.</p>
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Tips:

- ❖ Ensure your vehicle is locked at all times and valuables are out of sight.
- ❖ Thieves wait for the right time and will move quickly
- ❖ Even if playing sports at a park ensure your vehicle is locked

Armed Robbery:			
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Date/Time	Address (block range)	Item Taken	Details
None Reported:			

Tips:

- ❖ Always be aware of your surroundings and report suspicious incidents or persons to your local police.
- ❖ If something doesn't appear right or someone looks like they are up to no good, call the police immediately
- ❖ Trust your intuition

Unarmed Robbery:			
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None Reported:			
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Tips:

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payment method such as a prepaid debit card, gift card or wire transfer. Generally, the IRS will first mail you a bill.

- Threaten to bring in local police or other law-enforcement groups to have you arrested for not paying.
- Demand payment without giving you the opportunity to question or appeal the amount they say you owe.
- Ask for credit or debit card numbers over the phone.

Should you receive an unexpected /erroneous tax refund – contact the IRS either through their website www.irs.gov Tax Topic Number 161 - Returning an Erroneous Refund or Call the IRS toll-free at 800-829-1040 (individual) or 800-829-4933 (business).

The FCC further warns that criminals have used imposter tax preparation sites. Look alike Tax Preparation Services capture your personal information while you believe they are e-filing your tax return. Your information is now used to commit fraud. Always use trusted sites and be careful when clicking.

When using an online tax preparation service, look for the tax preparer identification number. The IRS requires all paid tax preparers to have one before

DWLS/ R&O- 1- Arrest

04/02/2019 5:41am

Maitrott St. & Franklin Rd.

Southfield Officers responded to multiple separate calls from a female regarding her boyfriend following & harassing her. Officers responded each time but the male was gone upon Officers arrival.

Information was gathered regarding the suspect's vehicle. It was a gold 2008 Crown Vic and the license plate was given to Officers.

Officers located and stopped the suspect in this vehicle.

The suspect was uncooperative, refusing to produce I.D., Driver's License, roll his window down or exit the vehicle.

Additional Officers arrived and assisted with the stop. The subject was asked multiple times to step out of the vehicle. He refused to get out of the vehicle or produce his Driver's License. He was advised that the window would be broken out if he refused to get out of the vehicle.

After numerous warnings, Officers broke the window out with a window punch. The subject was removed from the vehicle and taken into custody for DWLS & Obstruction.

filing any returns.

Special Attention: Larceny from Vehicles
How to prevent this from happening to you!

-Citizens should never leave anything of value inside their vehicle. (Especially Handguns, Purses, Wallets, Cash & Cell Phones!)

- If you have a garage you should park your vehicle in the garage and lock the garage.

- Wheel Locks are a deterrent but don't leave the wheel lock key in the interior of your vehicle, especially the center console or glove box. This is the first place they will look for the wheel lock.

-After parking your vehicle turn your wheels all the way to the right or the left. This will make it difficult to get the lug nuts off the front wheels.

-If you don't have a garage, try to park your vehicle as close to your residence as possible.

-If you here any loud noises near where your vehicle is parked, especially during the late night or early morning hours, attempt to look outside without alerting anyone and if someone is tampering with your vehicle immediately call 911, (Do Not Approach

CCW- 1- Arrest

04/03/2019 7:04am

27000 Block of Spring Arbor Dr.

Officers were dispatched to the 27000 Block of Spring Arbor Dr. for a suspicious vehicle. Upon arrival, the Officers investigated the driver and a loaded handgun was recovered inside the vehicle. The suspect was arrested for CCW and was lodged in the Southfield Jail.

DWLS/ Misrep- 1- Arrest

04/04/2019 10:57pm

Telegraph Rd. & W Twelve Mile Rd.

Officers were on routine patrol and stopped vehicle for a traffic violation. During the traffic stop it was discovered that the driver had a Suspended License. The driver gave Officers an alias name. After discovering driver's identity, he was arrested and lodged.

Domestic Assault- 1- Arrest

Inc.# 19/12533

04/04/2019 6:57pm

19000 Block of Dorset

Several Officers were dispatched to the 19000 Block of Dorset Street for a man with a gun threatening a female inside the home. Investigation revealed that male and female were having an argument when the male pulled out a handgun and threatened to kill the female, her children, and her ex-husband. Two minor children were in the home. The male was arrested and a handgun was recovered.

or Scare the Suspects Away) give Police Dispatchers as much information about the suspect(s) and suspect vehicles as you can. Stay on the phone with Dispatchers until the Police arrive.

-Lots of lighting around the area(s) that you park your vehicles is also very beneficial. Criminals don't like to work in well lighted areas. They prefer to work in darkness because it's difficult to see them.

Special Attention:

Larceny of Packages that were ordered and delivered via Common Carrier.

How to prevent this from happening to you!

Recently several citizens have had packages that were delivered to their residences and apartments stolen prior to them retrieving the packages.

Citizens can prevent this from happening by scheduling a specific time to have the package delivered and be waiting for the package.

Citizen can also schedule the package to be picked up by themselves at the common carrier facility.

DWLS/ Reckless Driving- 1- Arrest

04/05/2019 10:14pm

Southfield Rd. & Mount Vernon St.

Officer was conducting stationary speed measurement N/B Southfield Freeway N/ of 8 Mile Rd. when he observed a White Dodge Challenger, weaving lanes erratically and traveling at 106 MPH in the 55 MPH zone. As he attempted to catch up to the vehicle, he observed the vehicle changing lanes multiple times, narrowly missing other drivers, at a continued extremely high rate of speed.

Officer caught up to the vehicle, stopped the vehicle and spoke with the driver. The driver was uncooperative with Officer and denied any wrong doing including speeding or driving recklessly.

Officer conducted a driving record status on the driver and confirmed through LEIN the driver had a Suspended License.

The driver was taken into custody for DWLS and Reckless Driving.

Obstruct Police/ Felony Warrant- 1- Arrest

04/05/2019 9:26pm

23000 Block of Telegraph Rd.

(Hotel)

Officers were working as a double unit patrolling the parking lot in the 23000 Block of Telegraph Rd.

(Hotel known for Prostitution and Drug Trafficking)

Officers observed a W/M and a W/F walking from a dimly lit corner on the E/S of the parking lot toward the hotel. The subjects looked up to see Officers and immediately began walking in different directions.

Officers contacted the female subject. She was barefoot and appeared to be somewhat disoriented. Possibly under the influence of narcotic's. When Officers asked this subject her name she gave Officers an alias name. Officers eventually discovered subject's real name and she had a Felony Warrant for 1st Degree Retail Fraud out of another jurisdiction.

The warrant was confirmed and the female was taken into custody for Obstruction (False Name) & Felony Warrant.

Disorderly Person/ Resist & Obstruct- 1- Arrest

04/05/2019 1:35am

29000 Block of Northwestern Hwy

On 4/05/2019, Several Officers were working an accident scene on S/B Northwestern in the 29000 Block of Northwestern Hwy.

The accident scene was clearly marked with multiple police vehicles with overhead lights on blocking the left three lanes of S/B Northwestern. There were also multiple flares set up around the accident scene.

Officers observed a Black Dodge Avenger driven by suspect drive past the flares into the middle of the accident scene.

Officers ordered the driver to stop and back his vehicle up out of the accident scene into a nearby parking lot. The driver had to be told several times before he would back his vehicle up into parking lot.

Officers contacted the driver and he was extremely agitated with Officers. He refused to give Officers his driver's license and cursed out the Officers. At one point, he handed his driver's license to an Officer but then ripped it out of his hand.

The Disorderly Person was ordered from his vehicle and he refused to exit his vehicle. Officers eventually had to remove the subject from his vehicle and he was taken into custody for Resisting & Obstructing Officers who were actively working an accident scene.

The driver was also issued a violation for entering the accident scene.

MDOP- 1- Arrest

04/04/2019 11:37pm

20000 Block of Vanburen St.

Several Officers were sent to location on a report of several suspects attempting to fight a person who was at the residence. One of the suspects threw a rock through a windshield of a car that was in the driveway. After the males were confronted they fled in a dark sedan. The suspects were not located when Officers first arrived on the scene. Officer's were completing their investigation & reports when the suspects returned. The suspects were stopped by Officers and the suspect who threw the rock through the windshield of victim's car was positively identified by the victim. He was taken into custody for MDOP.