

Bloomfield Police Department

Monthly Report for September 2018

This is the monthly report for the Month of September 2018 from the Bloomfield Police Department. It is the police department's goal to keep the citizens of Bloomfield Township/Village informed as to the police department's activities, statistics, and community projects. It is very important that the citizens be aware of the various concerns that have and are occurring within our community.

On Sunday, September 2nd at approximately 11:17am officers responded to a hit & run property damage only traffic crash near the intersection of Hwy 12 and Townline Road. At the conclusion of the investigation a 30-year-old male was issued traffic citations for hit & run property damage, failure to notify police of a crash, reckless driving, violation of driver's license restrictions, operating a motor vehicle without insurance and deviation from designated lane. Additionally, a charge of operating after revocation was forwarded to the Walworth County District Attorney's office.

On Sunday, September 2nd at approximately 10:34pm officers responded to a residence in the 1000 block of Wisteria Road for a criminal damage to property complaint. The complainant reported the window pane of the exterior storm door had shattered. The complainant advised they did not see anyone in the area and were not sure how the glass was broken. This complaint remains active.

On Monday, September 3rd at approximately 1:07pm officers responded to the intersection of Hwy 120 and Hwy H for a personal injury crash. At the conclusion of the investigation a 32-year-old female who was transported to an area hospital for minor injuries was issued traffic citations for unsafe turn at an intersection and violation of traffic control device.

On Monday, September 10th at approximately 9:55am officers received a theft complaint which occurred in the 1200 block of Walnut Road. The complainant reported that person(s) unknown operating a white truck had taken an 18ft extension ladder without permission. This incident remains under investigation.

On Thursday, September 13th at approximately 1:44pm officers responded to a fatal single vehicle crash which occurred on Pell Lake Drive at the Hwy 12 overpass. A 50-year-old male driver was pronounced dead at the scene of the crash. Pell Lake Drive was closed for approximately 2hrs while the crash was investigated.

On Thursday, September 13th at approximately 9:39pm officers responded to a theft complaint which occurred on the 1000 block of Florence Road. The complainant reported person(s) unknown had taken an advertising sign and decorative metal chicken from the front yard. The complainant also reported advertising signs were missing from a couple of intersections where the signs had been previously placed.

On Saturday, September 22nd at approximately 12:11am officers executed a traffic stop in the area of Florence Road and Jasmine Road. At the conclusion of the traffic stop a 24-year-old male was arrested for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated 1st offense. Additionally, the driver was issued traffic citations for failure/improper stop at a stop sign and unreasonable and imprudent speed.

On Monday, September 24th at approximately 9:06am officers received a complaint of damage to mailboxes occurring in the 1100 block of Hwy U. The complainant reported that it appeared as though

the mailboxes had been struck by a vehicle traveling on Hwy U. The complainant reported hearing a commotion at approximately 12:20am.

Anyone having information about the active investigations listed within this report or any other crime is strongly encouraged to contact the Bloomfield Police Department or the Walworth County Sheriff's Office. Tips/Information can be provided anonymously. Information can be provided to the Bloomfield Police Department by telephone (262) 279-3454 or (262) 741-4400, by fax (262) 279-3625 or by website bloomfieldpolicedept.com.

During the month of September 2018, the Bloomfield Police Department responded to 873 calls for service compared to 1003 calls for service during the month of September 2017. During the month of September 2018, the police department affected 140 arrests for various violations of Bloomfield Municipal Ordinances and Wisconsin State Statutes compared 113 arrests during the month of September 2017.

The month and year to date statistics have been listed on the next page for review.

Respectfully Submitted,

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