

MONTHLY REPORT

SEPTEMBER 2009 POLICE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY REPORT

PATROL ACTIVITY

POLICE ANSWERED 438 CALLS FOR SERVICE IN SEPTEMBER. CALLS INCLUDED A ROBBERY, MAN WITH A GUN, HOME INVASION IN PROGRESS, 3 FIGHTS OR DISTURBANCES IN PROGRESS, 10 DOMESTIC PROBLEMS, MULTIPLE BURGLARIES, CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO VEHICLES, 9 TRAFFIC CRASHES AND 7 JUVENILE PROBLEMS. 74 REPORTS WERE GENERATED.

ARRESTS WERE MADE INCLUDING D.U.I., POSSESSION OF CANNABIS, 14 FOR UNLICENSED SUSPENDED OR REVOKED DRIVERS LICENSES, AND UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON. OFFICERS SERVED 7 WARRANTS THIS MONTH, STOPPED 26 SUSPICIOUS SUBJECTS OR VEHICLES AND MADE 142 TRAFFIC STOPS. THE SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES AND PERSONS ARE MOSTLY SELF INITIATED STOPS BY OFFICERS OF SUSPICIOUS PERSONS IN THE RESIDENTIAL AREAS. OFFICERS ALSO RECOVERED A STOLEN VEHICLE AFTER THE OFFENDER FLED.

TRUCK ENFORCEMENT GENERATED POTENTIAL FINES OF \$45,168.00.

OFFICER DRAKE AND CHIEF ROBERTSON WERE DISPATCHED TO A FIGHT IN THE STREET. UPON ARRIVAL SEVERAL SUBJECTS THAT HAD JUST GOTTEN OFF A HIGH SCHOOL BUS WERE ATTEMPTING TO START A FIGHT. THE SUBJECTS CHASED ANOTHER FEMALE DOWN THE STREET AND THREATENED HER. THREE SUBJECTS WERE ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

OFFICER NOVAK OBSERVED A VEHICLE TRAVELING



OFFICERS CHECK VEHICLES DURING A ROADSIDE SAFETY CHECK CONDUCTED OVER LABOR DAY WEEKEND.

AT A HIGH RATE OF SPEED CONFIRMED ON RADAR AT 61 MPH IN A POSTED 35 MPH SPEED ZONE. AS OFC. NOVAK WAS ATTEMPTING TO CATCH UP TO THE VEHICLE, IT TRAVELED MULTIPLE TIMES OVER THE LANE STRIPING. HE STOPPED THE VEHICLE AND SPOKE WITH THE DRIVER DETECTING A STRONG ODOR OF AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE. WHILE SPEAKING WITH THE DRIVER, HE OBSERVED AN OPEN BOTTLE OF WINE IN THE VEHICLE. THE SUBJECT ATTEMPTED AND FAILED SEVERAL FIELD SOBRIETY TESTS. SHE WAS PLACED UNDER ARREST FOR D.U.I. SHE LATER REFUSED TO GIVE A BREATH SAMPLE. SHE WAS CHARGED WITH SPEEDING, IMPROPER LANE USAGE, D.U.I. AND ILLEGAL TRANSPORTATION OF ALCOHOL.

OF. TULEY AND SGT. WASEK RECEIVED A CALL FROM ONSTAR THAT A STOLEN VEHICLE WAS LO-

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CATED AT A LOCAL HOTEL. UPON ARRIVING THEY OBSERVED THE VEHICLE AND BLOCKED IT IN. THEY WENT IN TO THE HOTEL TO ATTEMPT TO GET INFORMATION ON THE PERSON WHO ARRIVED IN THE VEHICLE. WHILE IN THE HOTEL, THE OFFENDER WENT BACK TO THE VEHICLE AND DROVE IT OVER THE CONCRETE CURBS AND FLED THE AREA. OFFICERS ATTEMPTED TO CATCH UP TO THE VEHICLE AND IT FLED AT A HIGH RATE OF SPEED. OFFICERS DISCONTINUED FOLLOWING THE VEHICLE AND RECONTACTED ONSTAR. THE VEHICLE WAS LOCATED INTACT IN AN ALLEY IN HARVEY. OFFICERS LOCATED EVIDENCE THAT WILL BE FOLLOWED UP ON IN AN ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY THE OFFENDER. THE VEHICLE WAS RECOVERED TO BE RETURNED TO THE OWNER.

SGT. WASEK OBSERVED A VEHICLE TRAVELING WITH NO REGISTRATION PLATES. HE STOPPED THE VEHICLE AND SPOKE WITH THE DRIVER REQUESTING HIS LICENSE. THE DRIVER STATED HE DIDN'T HAVE A LICENSE AND SUPPLIED A NAME. A CHECK OF THE DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTO REVEALED THE INFORMATION WAS NOT THE DRIVER. HIS REAL NAME WAS DISCOVERED AND A NAME CHECK ON HIS TRUE IDENTITY REVEALED HE HAD AN ACTIVE WARRANT OUT OF THE MARKHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT. HE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY. AN OPEN BOTTLE OF VODKA WAS LOCATED IN THE VEHICLE AND THE PASSENGER ADMITTED IT WAS HIS. THE PASSENGER WAS CITED FOR OPEN ALCOHOL AND RELEASED. THE DRIVER WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY. HE WAS CHARGED WITH NO REGISTRATION, NO DRIVERS LICENSE, AND NO INSURANCE. HE WAS THEN TURNED OVER TO MARKHAM P.D. FOR PROCESSING ON THEIR WARRANT.

OFFICER NOVAK OBSERVED A PICK UP PARKED IN A DARK AREA OUTSIDE A CLOSED BUSINESS. UPON APPROACHING THE VEHICLE, ONE MALE AND ONE FEMALE SUBJECT WERE OBSERVED INSIDE THE TRUCK. SGT. MRJENOVICH ARRIVED AND THE TWO WERE SEPERATED AND INTERVIEWED. THE DRIVER WAS VERY NERVOUS AND WOULD ONLY ANSWER PARTS OF THE QUESTIONS ASKED. OPEN ALCOHOL AND DRUG PARAPHERNALIA WERE OBSERVED INSIDE THE VEHICLE. DURING A SEARCH OF THE VEHICLE MORE PARAPHERNALIA WAS LOCATED ALONG WITH A LEAD FILLED SAP (WEAPON) AND A SET OF BRASS KNUCKLES. OFFICERS ASKED THE DRIVER ABOUT THE RECOVERED ITEMS AND IF HE HAD ANY OTHER CONTRABAND ON HIS PERSON. HE REPLIED HE HAD SOME "WEED" AND GAVE OFFICERS TWO BAGS OF PLANT MATERIAL. THE PLANT MATERIAL TESTED POSITIVE FOR CANNABIS. THE DRIVER WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY. HE WAS CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF CANNABIS AND UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON FOR POSSESSION OF THE SAP AND BRASS KNUCKLES.

SGT. WASEK AND OFC. NOVAK WERE DISPATCHED TO A DISTURBANCE IN A LOCAL HOTEL. UPON ARRIVAL, THEY WERE INFORMED BY MANAGEMENT THAT THERE WERE MANY PEOPLE YELLING AND CAUSING PROBLEMS IN ONE OF THE ROOMS. OFFICERS WENT TO THE ROOM AND OBSERVED AT LEAST 15 PEOPLE IN THE ROOM. A NAME CHECK ON THE RENTER OF THE ROOM INDICATED HE HAD AN ACTIVE WARRANT OUT OF SOUTH HOLLAND P.D. HE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AND LATER TURNED OVER TO SOUTH HOLLAND P.D. TO SERVE THEIR WARRANT.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

THE FOLLOWING EMPLOYEES WILL BE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS NEXT MONTH. PLEASE WISH THEM WELL.

BIRTHDAYS

- JALYE CARATACHEA OCTOBER 2
- MITCH DRAKE OCTOBER 6

SEPTEMBER ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

CHIEF ROBERTSON ATTENDED THE NETWORK 3 QUARTERLY MEETING HELD AT HOMEWOOD POLICE DEPARTMENT ON SEPTEMBER 1.

ON SEPTEMBER 2 CHIEF ROBERTSON ATTENDED THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DIVISION OF TRAFFIC SAFETY PRESS EVENT AT NAVY PIER TO PROMOTE THE LABOR DAY HOLIDAY ENFORCEMENT PERIOD.

COOK COUNTY PROJECT SHIELD INSTALLED A NEW DIGITAL VIDEO RECORDER IN THE STRONG BOX CAMERA IN THE VILLAGE HALL PARKING LOT. THIS NOW PLACES ALL OF OUR SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS ON THE TWO LARGE SCREEN MONITORS IN OUR SQUAD ROOM.

ON SEPTEMBER 3 AND 4 WE HOSTED A GANG COMBAT DYNAMICS: A ZERO TOLERANCE APPROACH CLASS. OFFICER TULEY ATTENDED THIS TRAINING.

ON SEPTEMBER 17 OFFICER TULEY ATTENDED IDENTITY THEFT AND RELATED OFFENSES TRAINING CLASS AT LANSING POLICE DEPARTMENT,

OFFICER DRAKE ATTENDED A TRAINING COURSE

ENTITLED COMMUNICATING WITH YOUTHS AND THEIR FAMILIES. THIS COUSE WAS HELD AT THE VILLAGE HALL TRAINING ROOM.

OFFICER NOVAK ATTENDED THE MONTHLY SOUTH SUBURBAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM TRAINING ON SEPTEMBER 27, 28 AND 29 AT THE BLACKWATER TRAINING FACILITY

THE DEPARTMENT HOSTED AN EVENING TRAINING CLASS ON STREET GANGS ON SEPTEMBER 29. OFFICER LOCKETT ATTENDED THIS CLASS.

WE RECEIVED PAYMENT ON AN ASSET FORFEITURE CLAIM FROM THE ICE TASK FORCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$116,030.57.

THE AUTOMATED RED LIGHT ENFORCEMENT SYSTEM SENT OVER 1000 VIOLATIONS TO OUR OFFICERS TO REVIEW DURING THE MONTH. OF THOSE ABOUT 67% WERE APPROVED AND VIOLATION NOTICES SENT BY RED SPEED ILLINOIS.

DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST EMPLOYEES USED 18 DAYS OF VACATION TIME, 4 DAYS PERSONAL TIME AND 3 DAYS OF HOLIDAY TIME.

SEPTEMBER INVESTIGATION REPORT

THE DETECTIVES HAVE RECEIVED 20 NEW INVESTIGATIONS IN THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER. THESE CASES INCLUDE REPORTS OF BURGLARY, THEFT, BATTERY, DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, AND IDENTITY THEFT.

SEVEN BURGLARIES TO STORAGE UNITS WERE REPORTED THIS MONTH FROM PUBLIC STORAGE. NUMEROUS ITEMS WERE REMOVED FROM DIFFERENT STORAGE UNITS. IN MOST OF THE CASES THE LOCKS WERE CUT ON THE UNITS TO GAIN ACCESS. IN SOME CASES ENTRY WAS GAINED BY GOING THROUGH THE WALLS OF ANOTHER UNIT. MOST OF THE UNITS WERE DELINQUENT RENTERS AND WERE GOING TO BE AUCTIONED OFF.

A BURGLARY WAS REPORTED IN THE 1500 BLOCK OF 172ND. A LAPTOP COMPUTER WAS REMOVED FROM A RESIDENCE AND LOCATED ON THE PROPERTY A SHORT TIME LATER. SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AND ARRESTS ARE PENDING.

INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED OF SUBJECTS BREAKING INTO A VACANT RESIDENCE. OFFICERS ARRIVED AND MADE ARRESTS ON SOME OF THE SUBJECTS. FOLLOW UP INVESTIGATIONS WERE DONE AND OTHER SUBJECTS WERE ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL TRESPASS AS WELL. OTHER SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AND ARRESTS ARE PENDING ON THEM AS WELL.

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SEPTEMBER TRAFFIC SAFETY

A ROADSIDE SAFETY CHECK WAS CONDUCTED ON SEPTEMBER 4 TO COINCIDE WITH THE LABOR DAY HOLIDAY. DURING THE FOUR-HOUR CHECK OFFICERS ISSUED 29 CITATIONS, INCLUDING THREE FOR DRIVER'S LICENSE VIOLATIONS, FOUR FOR NO INSURANCE, SERVED TWO CRIMINAL ARREST WARRANTS AND MADE ONE ARREST FOR DRUG PARAPHERNALIA. THE CHECKPOINT WAS SCHEDULED TO MAKE SURE THE SUMMER CONCLUDED WITH A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE HOLIDAY FOR ALL MOTORISTS.

SEVEN SEAT BELT ENFORCEMENT ZONES WERE CONDUCTED IN SEPTEMBER TO VERIFY COMPLIANCE WITH OCCUPANT RESTRAINT LAWS. THIRTY-SIX CITATIONS WERE ISSUED FOR SEAT BELT VIOLATIONS AND THREE FOR CHILD RESTRAINT VIOLATIONS.

THE DEPARTMENT WAS AWARDED GRANT FUNDING FROM THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND ADMINISTERED BY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

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A DELAYED BURGLARY WAS REPORTED IN THE 1300 BLOCK OF 172ND. LEADS ARE BEING FOLLOWED UP ON AND ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE SUSPECTS ARE BEING MADE.

THEFT OF JEWELRY FROM A RESIDENCE WAS REPORTED THIS MONTH. AN OFFENDER WAS LOCATED IN THIS MATTER AND HAS BEEN CHARGED. ATTEMPTS ARE BEING MADE TO LOCATE OTHER SUSPECTS IN THIS MATTER AND FURTHER CHARGES ARE PENDING.

THE HOTELS HAD TWO VEHICLES BROKEN INTO THIS MONTH. IN ONE OF THE CASES A FEW ITEMS WERE TAKEN FROM THE VEHICLE AND IN THE OTHER THERE WAS NOTHING REPORTED TO BE MISSING FROM THE VEHICLE. IN BOTH CASES ENTRY WAS GAINED BY BREAKING OUT A WINDOW.

AN AGGRAVATED BATTERY AND ATTEMPT HOME INVASION WAS REPORTED IN THE 900 BLOCK OF 174TH. OFFENDERS ARMED WITH HANDGUNS ATTEMPTED TO GAIN ENTRY TO THE RESIDENCE BY FORCING A TENANT TO OPEN THEIR DOOR. AFTER AN ALTERCATION BETWEEN THE OFFENDERS AND THE VICTIM, THE VICTIM WAS ABLE TO GET AWAY AND CALL THE POLICE. LEADS ARE BEING FOLLOWED UP ON IN THIS MATTER.