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Milan Police Department Incident and Activity Summary for January 5th Thru January 11th, 2015

This is a summary of incidents that the police department responded to during the listed period. It is meant to provide a review of the type and variety of issues occurring in the community that the PD handled. It does not reflect every incident responded to, as some may be too sensitive to list on a document of this nature, while others are still under investigation. All names of complainants, suspects, and witnesses, as well as residential addresses have been omitted to insure privacy. In some cases the street name has also been left off.

General Notes and Definitions:

- CFS is the Call for Service or police incident number of the given case.
- The next number in line is the military time an incident occurred or was reported.
- Property checks include activities such as checking buildings; they also include checking residences when citizens ask for additional attention due to being out of town.
- Foot Patrols include activities where officers get out of their cars and walk downtown, in and around businesses, through neighborhoods, as well as at the schools.
- Community/public Relations include community or special events that officers work or participate in; they also include instances where an officer stops in at a business and checks in with the owner/employees, or touches base with citizens while conducting patrols in and around neighborhoods to talk, share information, or provide crime prevention tips.
- Medical/Fire Tally is the total of all EMS and Fire runs dispatched out of the Milan PD Dispatch Center each day. Since this is a Fire Authority and serves areas outside the city limits, the tally serves to reinforce the totality of Fire and EMS runs dispatched both inside and outside the city.
- Family Troubles/Domestics are incidents where the PD is called involving any number of disputes between spouses, ex-spouses, boyfriend/girlfriends, ex-boyfriends/girlfriends, custody disputes, as well as property disputes. In these cases, police investigation may not result in formal enforcement action, nonetheless the police are called upon to intervene, insure safety, keep the peace, and attempt to assist in providing solutions.
- Peace Keeping/Civil Matters/Miscellaneous Disputes are incidents that involve some sort of conflict that does not rise to the level of a crime, however the police are called to try and mitigate and/or resolve the issues, assist the disputants solve the underlying problems, stand by while property is removed, resolve neighbor problems, stand by during custody exchanges, or simply keep the peace between individuals that are arguing with one another.
- Background Checks are done for citizens requiring pre-employment fingerprints for criminal history checks, or they involve candidates for law enforcement positions undergoing background checks where the potential hiring agency is asking Milan PD to conduct records queries for contacts and/or police reports.
- Fingerprints are required when a subject who is wanted on an outstanding warrant appears in court; the court directs them to the PD for fingerprinting.

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- Threats/Harassment Complaints include verbal threats, harassing/threatening text messages, and threatening/harassing telephone calls.
- Noise Complaints include any number or ordinance violations such as loud music, loud parties, construction noises, loud engines/exhausts, disturbing the peace, etc.
- Liquor Inspections are required by the State Liquor Control Commission. They involve inspecting establishments that sell alcohol to insure minors are not being served; individuals are not being over-served; licensing guidelines are being followed; and there are no disturbances, disorderly conduct or other illegal activities taking place.
- Traffic Arrests are arrests for drunk driving and license violations, such as Driving on a Suspended License, Driving Without a License in Possession; Operators License never Acquired.
- Emotional/Psychological Incidents are incidents where a subject is in emotional/psychological distress and as a result are a threat to harm themselves or someone else, and therefore require hospitalization for medical/psychological treatment/evaluation.

General Policing Activities for the Period:

Traffic Stops: 16

Park Checks: 8

Property Checks: 11

Community/Public Relations: 16

Vehicle Lock-Outs: 3

Defective Equipment Citation Inspection Sign Offs: 1

Court Ordered Preliminary Breath Tests: 6

Gun Permits Processed: 4

Fingerprint Checks Processed: 1

Background Checks Processed: 3

Milan Area Fire and EMS Dispatch Tally: 33

Extra Patrols at Schools: 15

Sex Offender Registrations Processed: 2

Saturday Jan 10

CFS#197

2347

E Miller

Suspicious Incident

Ofc Walters and Sgt Chatell responded to report from complainant concerned that she heard what sounded like someone knocking on her window. Ofcs checked area, saw no evidence of footprints near or up to any window. House was secure; area was checked as well, and no one was found out on foot.

CFS#196

2305

E Willow

Assist Washtenaw County SD

Ofc Walters assisted WCSD requesting back-up with a disorderly incident.

CFS#193

1842

Assist Medical

Sgt Chatell responded to assist MAFD/HVA on a medical for a male subject having difficulty breathing; subject was transported to the hospital.



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CFS#190 1148 Dexter Assist Michigan State Police

Ofc McLaughlin responded to the area looking for a subject that had been picked up off the expressway due to the vehicle he was driving breaking down. He was reportedly dropped off at a business on Dexter in Milan. The vehicle that the subject had left on the freeway turned out to be reported stolen. Ofc McLaughlin found the subject and detained him until MSP could arrive.

CFS#189 1102 Lee/Miller Possession of Marijuana Arrest

While Ofc McLaughlin was handling the traffic crash noted below, he found one of the drivers on-scene to be in possession of marijuana. Ofc arrested subject; booked and released him pending warrant authorization.

CFS#188 1102 Lee/Miller Traffic Crash

Ofc McLaughlin responded to the above for a 2 car traffic crash. There were no injuries.

CFS#187 0950 Main and Wabash Suspicious

Dispatch received a call regarding someone throwing an egg at the business window. There was no damage to the window. Area was checked and no other businesses had eggs thrown at them; no other similar incidents reported in town.

CFS#185 0854 Wright Ln/Kay St Parking Complaint

Ofc McLaughlin responded to the above area for a report of vehicles that have not moved in over 48 hrs. Ofc spoke to the vehicle owners who stated that the vehicles would be moved asap.

CFS#184 0806 Medical Assist

Ofc McLaughlin responded for a lift assist. 92 YO subject had fallen and needed assistance.

CFS#183 0205 Wabash Liquor Inspection

Ofc Walters conducted liquor inspection at the business; no violations observed.

Friday Jan 9

CFS#171 1606 County Suspicious

Ofc McLaughlin responded to the gas station regarding a report that no one was inside, but there was a sign that said "be back in 5 minutes" on the door. After officer arrived, the clerk did return; there were no problems.

CFS#169 1519 W Main Hit/Run

Ofc McLaughlin responded to a report of a hit and run crash. Responsible vehicle described as an older model silver and blue pickup with a cap driven by an older W/M with a beard. Suspect vehicle last seen driving behind Kroger.

CFS#168 1444 MIPD Warrant Arrest

Officer McLaughlin arrested a subject from St Clair Shores for a civil child support warrant; subject posted the bond.

CFS#165 1310 SB23/Carpenter Ramp Traffic Assist

Officer McLaughlin assisted with traffic due to accident on US23.

CFS#164 1240 Assist Medical

Officer McLaughlin assisted MAFD and HVA for a person having chest pains; subject was transported by HVA.

CFS# 163 1204 Goldfinch Parking Complaint

Caller reported a burgundy van parked on the no parking side of the street and blocking the mailboxes. Officer McLaughlin checked the area and spoke with vehicle owner who was a contractor working on a house in the area.

CFS#162 1119 SB 23/County Suspicious

Officer McLaughlin checked on an occupied vehicle that was parked on the side of the roadway. Subject was ok, just taking a smoke break.

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CFS# 160 1050 Marvin /County Natural Gas Odor

MAFD Officer called in an odor of natural gas in the area. He advised that fire did not need to be toned out. Dispatch Turner contacted DTE, reported the smell, and was provided a response ticket.

CFS#159 1007 Repo

Recovery company reported repossessing a vehicle in town.

CFS#153 0054 Greentree Noise Complaint

Ofc Walters and Sgt Chatell responded to call re loud noise. Ofcs located the source and advised homeowner to keep it down.

Thursday Jan 8

CFS#152 2229 Platt/Canfield Improper Plate

While on a traffic stop Ofc Walters impounded the vehicle for having an improper plate.

CFS#148 1957 35 Neckel Assist DPW

Sgt Chatell requested DPW be contacted to come in and address the roads due to snow/ice.

CFS#147 1730 35 Neckel Special Detail

Sgt Chatell was out delivering council packets.

CFS#144 1409 MIPD Attempt Fraud/Scam

Lt Nieman took a complaint from subject regarding a check scam he received in the mail. He was not out any money. Report was taken for documentation.

CFS#143 1409 Civil/Peace Keeping

Officer McLaughlin spoke with subjects regarding a dispute they were having; verbal only.

CFS#137 0827 Platt/Riverbend Crossing Guard

Officer Heams assisted with the crossing guard detail due to the extreme cold.

CFS#136 0818 Serve Subpoena/Assist Washtenaw County

Officer McLaughlin attempted to serve subject a subpoena for an upcoming case at the request of WCSO; no one was home.

CFS#134 0439 County Assist Fire Department

Ofc Walters responded for an odor investigation. MAFD arrived and checked area. Odor appeared to be sewer gas; no issues/MAFD cleared the scene.

CFS#131 1945 35 Neckel Assist Citizen

Subject came in re questions involving a PPO that had been issued; Sgt. Burgos handled.

CFS#128 0018 Truman Loop Special Detail

Sgt Burgos conducted extra patrol at the Community Center in the area due to reports of possible late night loitering; no problems observed.

Wednesday Jan 7

CFS#125 2340 Daisey/Poppy Assist DPW

Ofc Smith had Dispatch notify DPW that the street sign on the corner of Daisey and Poppy was missing.



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CFS#118 1945 Hurd St Animal

Complainant reported concerns about a dog outside in the cold w/out proper provisions/shelter from the cold. Sgt Burgos responded and the dog was inside the home and it was confirmed that there was straw available to the dog outside.

CFS#117 1759 Larceny/Family Trouble

Complainant reported a family member left the area with property that belongs to complainant and is refusing to return it.

CFS#116 1503 Symons Special Detail

Ofc Heams conducted patrols at the Elementary School.

CFS# 113 1354 SB23/Carpenter Assist

Officer McLaughlin assisted MSP on a traffic stop.

CFS# 112 1329 Dexter/County Assist

Officer McLaughlin assisted with the removal of 2 vehicles that were blocking the driveway.

CFS# 111 1220 Dexter/County Assist

Officer Terrill assisted with traffic for a funeral procession.

CFS# 110 1158 Subpoena Service

Officer Terrill served a subpoena on an upcoming case.

CFS #109 1053 W Main Alarm

Officer McLaughlin checked the ATM machine after Dispatch received a call that the alarm monitoring company had lost communications with it; everything was secure.

CFS#108 1043 Division Ordinance Violation

Officer McLaughlin spoke with and warned the homeowner regarding a vehicle parked on the front lawn.

CFS# 102 709 Medical

Officer Couture assisted MAFD and HVA with a subject having difficulty breathing.

CFS#0101 0401 35 Neckel Ct Assist DPW

Ofc Smith requested dispatch to call DPW for snow removal.

Tuesday Jan 6

CFS#0099 2355 Domestic Assault

Ofc Smith and Sgt. Burgos investigated a domestic assault complaint; victim had left the scene. Ofc Smith located victim in nearby town and conducted follow-up interview. Ofc will submit case to prosecutor for review.

CFS#0098 2229 Suspicious Incident

Sgt Burgos spoke to subject regarding a phone scam. Complainant stated caller wanted him to obtain a VISA gift card and turn it over to the caller, at which point caller stated complainant would receive prize money. No money lost; caller did not respond.

CFS#0097 2123 Assist Citizen

Ofc Smith met with subject who advised he had some emotional issues and wanted to discuss some concerns.

CFS#0096 1956 Dexter/Michigan Possession of Marijuana Arrest

Sgt Burgos conducted a traffic stop and found the driver to be in possession of marijuana. 18 YO male from Britton was arrested and brought back to the station for the booking process. He was released pending warrant authorization.



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CFS#0094 1840 MIPD Vacation Prop Check

Dispatcher Symons took a vacation prop check; extra patrols set up.

CFS#0091 1641 King Fisher/Allen Parking Complaint

Ofc Terrill responded to the above location for a parking complaint. Caller was concerned about a Ford Explorer that was parked too close to the corner creating a blind spot. Ofc checked the area and the vehicle was gone.

CFS# 0088 1344 Neckel Court Suspicious Incident

Officer Couture checked the wooded area behind one of the well houses for what looked like a couple make-shift structures/forts that had been built in the area. There were no signs that anyone was living in them; no signs of any recent activity around them. DPW to arrange for their removal.

CFS# 0087 1241 Area of Ferman and Michigan Ordinance Violation

Officer Terrill checking for someone plowing snow into the street.

CFS#0086 1228 MIPD/WCJ Warrant Arrest

Officer Couture handled a report of a warrant arrest on an outstanding Milan PD Traffic Warrant; Washtenaw County Jail advised they had the subject in custody.

CFS#0085 1014 W Lewis Larceny

Officer Terrill took a report from complainant regarding a bucket of copper fittings that were taken from the driveway. Complainant thinks the theft occurred sometime in November, however just noticed items missing

CFS#0079 0409 MIPD Assist DPW

Ofc Smith instructed Dispatch to call DPW to come out and address the roads due to snow/ice.

CFS#0078 0320 W Main ATM Alarm

Ofc Smith responded to an alarm on the ATM machine inside the store. Ofc checked the machine and the screen indicated it was out of service. Unit may have been hit by floor buffing machine according to employees; it was secure.

Monday Jan 5

CFS#0076 2342 W Main Suspicious Vehicle

Ofc Smith noticed a brown Olds parked in the parking lot of the business that was closed. Ofc checked on the vehicle, which is registered to a subject from Ida. Dispatch left a voice mail w/the owner. Building appeared to be secure ground level and the vehicle was locked. Vehicle owner eventually called back and indicated the transmission had gone out. Owner is having it towed in the AM.

CFS#0074 2302 Truman Loop Extra Patrol

Lt Nieman conducted a property check at the Community Center in the area due to reports of possible late night loitering; no problems found.

CFS#0073 2237 Medical Assist

Ofc Smith and Lt Nieman responded to a report of a subject possibly choking. Subject turned out to be having trouble breathing and was not choking. MAFD/HVA also responded. No transport required.

CFS#0072 1943 Assist Medical

Lt Nieman responded to assist MAFD/HVA on a medical for an unresponsive subject; subject was taken to the hospital.

CFS#0070 1834 E Main/Dexter Traffic Arrest

While on a traffic stop Ofc Terrill arrested a 23 YOM from Milan for Driving While License Suspended. He was brought back to the PD where he was booked/released pending charges.

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CFS#0069 1609 200 Big Red Assist MAFD

Ofc Couture responded to assist MAFD on a fire alarm at the High School. Ofc arrived on scene and determined that it was a false alarm and MAFD was cancelled.

CFS#0068 1535 Goldfinch/Barn Swallow Reckless Driving

Ofc Couture responded for report of 3 pickup trucks driving recklessly. Ofc checked the area. They were gone.

CFS#0067 1435 Wilson Park Detail

Ofc Terrill advised skaters that the ice rink was closed due to poor ice conditions.

CFS#0060 0747 Assist Medical

Ofc Couture assisted MAFD and HVA on a medical; subject was transported by HVA.

CFS#0059 0720 Blue Bird Assist Fire Department

Ofc Couture assisted the MAFD with a fire alarm at the address. It was determined to be unfounded.

CFS#0058 0710 200 Big Red Assist MAFD

Ofc Heams assisted the MAFD with a fire alarm at the high school. It was determined to be unfounded.

CFS#0057 0241 W Main/York Traffic Hazard

Ofc Smith removed a Christmas tree from the roadway at the above location due to it being a traffic hazard.

Sunday Jan 4

CFS#0054 2246 Assist Medical/Lift Assist

Ofc Smith responded to assist 92 YO subject who had fallen out of a chair. HVA also responded; no transport necessary.

CFS#0053 1757 35 Neckel Warrant Arrest

Dispatch received a message from Washtenaw County Jail that they had a 56 YOF from Ann Arbor in custody on an outstanding Milan PD warrant for Driving While License Suspended; Ofc Terrill handled the report.

CFS#0051 1506 Assault

Ofc Terrill met with subject who reported being assaulted by two other subjects at the address in question; report only/no prosecution being requested at this time.

CFS#0048 1221 Civil/Family Trouble

Ofc Couture assisted with a verbal argument between family members over a pending civil matter; verbal only.

CFS#0045 0435 County Suspicious

Ofc Smith responded to call from subject regarding someone possibly throwing rocks on the roof and the sound of possible footsteps near a bedroom window. Ofc checked area and found nothing suspicious or out of order; no sign of footprints near any windows/no one out on foot in the area.

CFS#0044 0217 Medical Assist

Ofc Smith and Sgt Burgos responded to a report of a subject having trouble breathing. MAFD/HVA responded and transported subject to the hospital.