

Woolwich Township Police Department

Crime Log for February 2022

- 2/1 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop for a traffic violation on Second Street. During the stop, officers located an active warrant for the driver of the vehicle. The driver was arrested, processed, and released with a pending court date.
- 2/1 Officers responded to Swedesboro Lake park for the report of vandalism. Sometime overnight individuals spray-painted several signs within the park. Swedesboro Public Works will be cleaning up the affected areas.
- 2/5 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop for a traffic violation on US RT 322. During the stop officers located an active warrant for the driver of the vehicle. The driver was arrested, processed, and released with a pending court date.
- 2/7 Officers responded to South Harrison for a report of a missing person. Officers quickly organized a search plan for the surrounding area. Officers located the missing person and transferred her to a local hospital for medical evaluation.
- 2/8 Officers were dispatched to a rubbish fire on Locke Avenue. Upon their arrival, they were met by the Woolwich Township Fire Department. The fire department was able to extinguish the fire quickly and safely, before it spread.
- 2/8 Officers responded to a dispute on Kings Highway. Officers were able to safely separate the individuals involved. Both parties were advised of their options and a detailed report was generated.
- 2/9 Officers were dispatched to Church Street for the report of a theft. Upon their arrival, they were advised several catalytic converters were taken overnight. Officers on the scene conducted an initial investigation. The Detective Unit will be following up with all leads.
- 2/10 Officers responded to South Harrison for the report of a missing/runaway adult female. The female has been missing since Monday, February 7th, 2022. The Detective Unit will be conducting the investigation.
- 2/11 Officers responded to the area of RT 322, to search for a suspect who committed a carjacking, with a firearm, in Harrison Township. Officers located and attempted to stop the stolen motor vehicle. The suspect fled onto RT 295 and shortly later attempted to cross the center median. Upon doing so, he crashed into a tractor-trailer and was subsequently taken in custody. The firearm used in the carjacking was recovered inside the vehicle. Charges were filed, and the suspect was lodged in county jail.

- 2/15 Officers were dispatched to Kings Highway for the report of a motor vehicle theft. It was reported that two vehicles were stolen over the weekend. Officers conducted an initial report. The matter is being investigated by the Detective Unit.
- 2/17 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop in the area of US RT 322. During the traffic stop, officers located an active traffic warrant for the driver. The driver was arrested, processed, and released with a pending court date.
- 2/19 Officers responded to a motor vehicle crash at the corner of Kings Highway and Glen Echo Avenue. Officers arrived and checked on all occupants. After speaking to one of the drivers, it was determined, the driver was impaired. Officers conducted Standardized Field Sobriety Tests on the impaired driver. Subsequently, the driver was arrested, processed, and issued for Driving under the Influence.
- 2/20 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop of an erratic driver on US RT 322. During the motor vehicle stop, it was determined the driver of the vehicle was intoxicated. The driver was arrested, processed, and issued for Driving under the Influence.
- 2/23 Officers conducted a property check at the US RT 322 construction site. Officers located a suspicious motor vehicle on the property occupied by three adult males. After further investigation officers arrested two of the three males for active warrants. Individuals were processed and released.
- 2/28 Officers responded to Leahy Ave for the report of a motor vehicle theft. The owner of the vehicle advised it was stolen overnight. The vehicle was left unlocked with the keys inside. This matter is being investigated by the Detective Unit.
- 2/28 Officers responded to Westbrook apartments for the report of a motor vehicle theft. The vehicle was taken some time overnight. The vehicle was left unlocked with the keys inside. This matter is being investigated by the Detective Unit.
- 2/28 Officer responded to several locations in Woolwich Township and Swedesboro for motor vehicle burglaries. Burglaries occurred during the overnight hours to vehicles that were left unlocked. The Detective Unit will be following up with the Investigation.
- 2/28 The Detective Unit conducted a follow-up investigation, regarding multiple motor vehicle thefts. Detectives responded to a gas station in Wilmington, DE, where stolen credit cards, from the prior morning, had been used. While reviewing surveillance footage, Detectives observed three stolen motor vehicles enter and exit the gas station. Detectives canvased the area for the stolen vehicles and located one of the stolen vehicles on a dead-end road. The vehicle was recovered and returned to the owner.