

Woolwich Township Police Department

Crime Log for September 2023

- 9/1 Officers conducted a well-being check on two individuals sleeping at Wawa on Paulsboro Road in Woolwich Township. Upon the officers' arrival, they realized the individuals were under the influence of narcotics. A search of the individuals yielded suspected narcotics. Both were arrested, processed, and charged, then released with a pending court date.
- 9/4 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop in the area of US Rt 322 and Garwin Road in Woolwich Township. During the stop, officers detected the odor of an alcoholic beverage emanating from the vehicle. The driver underwent standardized field sobriety testing and failed. The driver was arrested for driving under the influence, processed, charged, and then released with a pending court date.
- 9/8 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop on Oldmans Creek Road in Woolwich Township. They discovered the driver had an active warrant for their arrest. The driver was arrested, processed, and turned over to the Salem County Jail.
- 9/10 Officers were dispatched to Lake Ave in Swedesboro following a report of an assault. On arrival, they learned the victim had sustained injuries from an assault. The suspect was located, arrested, processed, charged, and then released on a summons with a pending court date.
- 9/12 Officers responded to South Harrison Township concerning a stolen vehicle report. They found broken glass from the vehicle in the driveway. It appears the suspect(s) smashed the window, reprogrammed a key, started the vehicle, and drove away. The stolen vehicle was later used in a crime in Philadelphia. The Woolwich Township Detective Unit and the Philadelphia Police Department are investigating.
- 9/15 Officers were dispatched to Shoprite following a shoplifting report. They were shown surveillance footage of subjects taking items without paying. The suspects were arrested, processed, charged, and then released on a summons with a pending court date. The stolen items were valued at over \$190.00.
- 9/15 Officers responded to Frederick Boulevard in Woolwich Township about a package theft from a porch. Surveillance footage from a Ring doorbell camera showed a Hispanic male stealing the package before fleeing in a gray or silver sedan.
- 9/17 Officers responded to Shoprite on another shoplifting report. Surveillance footage showed a subject taking items without paying. The suspect was arrested, processed, charged, and released on a summons with a pending court date.

- 9/18 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop at Rt 45 and Marl Road in South Harrison Township. Both the driver and passenger had active warrants from several jurisdictions. They were arrested, processed, given new court dates for all warrants, and released.
- 9/19 Officers responded to Back Creek Road in Woolwich Township about mail theft.
 The suspect stole mail from the victim's mailbox and altered a check that was then deposited into a fraudulent account. Detectives are investigating.
- 9/19 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop at Kings Highway and Mechanic Street in Swedesboro. The driver, who had an active warrant, was released with a new court date.
- 9/20 Officers were dispatched to Tranquility Trails near High Hill Road in Woolwich Township regarding a theft. They found the back window of the victim's vehicle smashed. The victim's purse and iPad had been stolen during her walk. The detective unit is investigating.
- 9/25 Officers conducted a motor vehicle stop at Rt 45 and Monroeville Road in South Harrison Township. The driver, with an active warrant, was arrested, processed, given paperwork and a new court date, then released.
- 9/25 Officers responded to Sunbelt Rental in Woolwich Township about a theft. A trailer had been rented out and not returned. A fake ID was used for the rental, and the provided credit card was deactivated. After several days of investigation, a female suspect was located. Charges and further investigation are pending.
- 9/25 Officers were dispatched to Wawa concerning a theft. Surveillance footage showed a Black female stealing several items and then fleeing in a vehicle. The suspect and vehicle were later found in Pennsylvania. Investigation and charges are pending.
- 9/28 Officers responded to Shoprite on another shoplifting report. Surveillance footage showed subjects taking items without payment. The suspects were arrested, processed, charged, and released on a summons with a pending court date. The stolen items were valued at over \$450.00.