



ANOKA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SHERIFF JAMES STUART

FRIDAY UPDATE: 07.21.17-07.28.17

Weekly we receive an update from our Commander about things that are happening in the Patrol Division. One of the highlights of this update is the "Mission Moment." Our mission statement at the Anoka County Sheriff's Office is "To protect and serve the community in a manner that preserves the public trust." Many times, during each shift, deputies have an opportunity to impact a life. The following information is from Commander Podany describing a few incidents that have happened recently – and we thought it was worth sharing with you.

- We have had multiple incidents lately in which our Deputies have shown great restraint in effecting arrests or getting citizens much needed help. On July 2nd Deputy Young and Bayer were able to arrest a male armed with a knife who fled from the vehicle after a pursuit and stabbed himself in the neck. On July 4th Deputies Nelson and Yantos responded to a suicidal male who had PTSD and cut himself in the bathroom. They forced entry and were able to get the male secured for the paramedics. On July 13th Deputies Lien, Heinemann, and Bangerter responded to a suicidal male who was also on drugs. The male was covered in blood and asked for a gun to shoot himself before yelling gun and moving towards Deputy Lien. Deputies were able to get him handcuffed despite him resisting and get him secured and turned over to medics. We frequently hear about lethal force encounters in which law enforcement is questioned about their decisions. What we rarely hear about are incidents where law enforcement uses restraint and successfully resolves a situation without using lethal force. It can be a balancing act as it is imperative to do what you must do to protect yourself and others, yet attempt to peacefully resolve situations. We are also careful not to become complacent in the performance of our duties. The frequency and the professionalism with how these situations were handled is to be commended and hopefully gives these citizens a chance to get the help they need. Thank you to all involved Deputies, you are preserving the public's trust.*

Andover

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.24 160xx Nightingale St NW – vending machines broken into

07.23 13613 Orchid St NW – truck stolen from the driveway; keys were in it

Arrests

07.28 Round Lake Blvd NW/Bunker Lake Blvd NW – 3rd Degree DWI, Speeding, Seat Belt; a deputy stopped a driver for speeding. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .09

07.24 Hanson Blvd NW/161 Ave NW – 5th Degree Possession of Narcotics, a deputy stopped a driver for going through a red light. The driver did not have insurance on the vehicle. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The female was arrested.

Bethel

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.27 27xx 225 Ln NW – appliances stolen from a vacant home

Columbus

Thefts & Damage to Property

Arrests

07.24 76xx 162 Ave NE – OFP Violation; deputies responded to a report of an order for protection violation. It was determined that the order was violated. The male was arrested.

East Bethel

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.21 14xx 205 Ave NE – forced entry into a storage unit; tools

07.21 183xx HWY 65 NE – unsecure vehicle; radio cut out

Arrests

07.24 181xx Hwy 65 NE – Warrant Arrest; deputies responded to a report of multiple people attempting to break into a vacant trailer. Upon arriving a male was located. The male had an active warrant. During the search of the male narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

07.23 Hwy 65 NE/Viking Blvd NE – 3rd Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. The male was arrested. .20

Ham Lake

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.21 23xx 139 Ln NE – unsecure shed; tools

Arrests

07.26 133xx London St NE – 5th Degree Domestic Assault; deputies responded to a mother/daughter domestic assault. The daughter was arrested.

07.24 1400 Block of 143 Ave NE - DAC-IPS, Possession of Narcotics; a deputy stopped a driver for not having a valid driver's license. During the search of the vehicle narcotics were located. The male was arrested.

07.22 12xx 154 Ave NE – OFP Violation, Warrant Arrest; deputies responded to the location in an attempt to locate a male with a warrant and violating an order for protection. The male was located and arrested.

Linwood

Arrests

07.22 Typo Creek Blvd NE/227 Ave NE – 2nd Degree DWI; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The driver appeared intoxicated. Field sobriety tests were conducted and failed. .240

Nowthen

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Nowthen this week.

Oak Grove

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.23 199xx Nightingale St NW – smashed vehicle window; nothing of value was stolen

Laura Landes & Missi Reeder

Crime Prevention

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**Information shared in this report covers crimes that may affect you - things like burglaries, thefts, damage to property, identity theft, etc. We only include a fraction of the calls that deputies regularly respond to.*

If you want to see data about what types of calls and how many we respond to log on to www.anokacounty.us/crimewatch and click on Crime Statistics on the left side. Stats are updated monthly.