LITHOPOLIS POLICE DEPARTMENT

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POLICE BLOTTER-July 2018

On July 5,a resident reported that a sod lift backed into his vehicle while it was parked in front of the residence. A report was filed in the case.

On July 6,police initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle for an equipment violation. One of the occupants was found to have a felony warrant from Franklin County. She was also found to be in possession of crystal meth and hypodermic syringes. She was arrested and transported to jail. The operator was cited for No Operator's License.

On July 7,an officer was dispatched to assist Fairfield County deputies on a traffic crash on US 33. The officer administered field sobriety tests to the vehicle operator and determined that he was impaired. Deputies placed the operator under arrest for OVI.

On July 11,an officer stopped a vehicle for expired plates. It was determined that the operator had a suspended license and warrants out of Franklin County. She was cited for the driving offenses and turned over to the custody of the Franklin County Sheriff's Office.

On July 12,a resident reported that his vehicle had been stolen overnight while it was parked in front of his residence. It appeared that somebody entered the residence through an open garage door and removed the key fob from inside the residence. The vehicle was recovered behind a local apartment complex on July 17.

On July 13, a resident reported that her two-year-old child was missing. The residence was checked and approximately 20 minutes later, the child was discovered inside a vehicle parked in front of the house. Medics checked the child for heat-related injuries and the incident was referred to Child Protective Services.

On July 20,an officer was dispatched to a local business in regard to drug paraphernalia being discovered in a company vehicle. The employee was confronted and admitted to owning the paraphernalia. He was charged with Possession of Drug Paraphernalia and was also terminated from his position.

On July 23,an officer observed a male walking along the roadway. The male stated he was trying to walk to Lancaster. The officer offered a courtesy transport to get him closer to his destination, which the male accepted. The male then admitted to being in possession of marijuana. The officer confiscated marijuana and a pipe at that time. The male received a summons for the offenses.

On July 26,police stopped a vehicle for speeding, and the officer suspected the operator might be in possession of drugs. The officer asked the motorist if he had smoked marijuana that morning and the operator stated not yet. The officer asked the motorist if he planned to smoke marijuana later, and the motorist stated that he was. The officer then asked if he had any marijuana with him. The motorist then handed over marijuana and a pipe. He was cited for speeding and was also charged with drug possession and possession of drug paraphernalia.

On July 27,police stopped a vehicle for an equipment violation. The operator admitted to having a suspended license, and was on parole for burglary. Officers discovered hypodermic syringes and digital scales with heroin residue in the vehicle. The operator was charged for the offenses.

On July 27,police stopped a vehicle for speeding. It was determined that the operator also had a suspended license. Police located marijuana and associated paraphernalia in the vehicle. The operator was charged for the offenses and was picked up by a valid driver.