

## WEEKLY POLICE BLOTTER



Week of February 12, 2024 – February 18, 2024

Total Calls for Service: 401

Traffic Stops: 70

Citations Issued: 10

(including citations from Vehicle Accidents)

Warnings Issued: 55

Fraudulent Tags Seized: 0

Traffic Enforcement Details: 97

(Stop sign, intersection, speed, etc. enforcement)

Directed Area Patrols: 46

(Includes all parks, commercial areas, and areas of concern for illegal activity)

Foot Patrols: 8

School Walk-throughs: 0

Vehicle Accidents: 7

Reportable (requiring EMS or Tow): 2

Non-Reportable: 4

Assisting other Departments: 1

## **INCIDENTS**

2/13/24 – 1400 block Bethlehem Pike – Officers were dispatched to a local business where a male entered and stole a bottle of alcohol during business hours. Responding units canvassed the area for the suspect after they fled in a vehicle driven by another occupant. Officers were unable to locate the alleged vehicle.

2/14/2024 – Route 309 (Cheltenham Twp) – Officers were dispatched to assist the Pennsylvania State Game Warden at a traffic stop. The Game Warden on scene had a male occupant at taser point as several Officers from Springfield and Cheltenham arrived on scene. Subsequently, the male driver was taken into custody by the Springfield Township Police Department under the suspicion of DUI.

2/15/24 – 6300 block E. Valley Green Road (Whitemarsh Twp) – Officers were dispatched to assist the Whitemarsh Police Department with two subjects that were banging on the door of a residence. Responding units were able to contact two juvenile females and requested the Springfield Police Department to assist with the transport back to their residence. This incident is under investigation by the Whitemarsh Police Township Department as they are the agency having jurisdiction.

2/16/24 – 1000 block Easton Road (Cheltenham Township) – Officers responded with the Cheltenham Township Police Department to a reported robbery in progress. Further information was received that a male attempted to rob an uber driver. While units were enroute, it was reported that the male suspect in this incident was on top of the victim attempting to choke him. Cheltenham Police were able to take the suspect into custody and the Springfield units were returned to normal patrol operations. This incident is under investigation by the Cheltenham Police Department as they are the agency having jurisdiction.

2/17/24 – Unit block Park Avenue – Officers located a male on the bridge of the train tracks in the area that appeared to be standing. After speaking with the Officers, the male stated that he was waiting for the freight train to pass so he could film it. Officers checked the male for wants and/or warrants. The male came back negative and was sent on his way to continue filming.

2/17/24 – 3000 block Cheltenham Avenue (Cheltenham Township) – Officers were dispatched to assist the Cheltenham Township Police Department with a felony car stop following a report of two armed subjects in the area. Cheltenham units were quickly able to get the situation under control and return the Springfield Officers to normal patrol operations.

2/17/24 – 1100 block Ivy Hill Road – Officers were dispatched to a disturbance at a local business. An adult female was taken into custody for stalking after repeatedly entering the business and harassing an employee after previously being given a lawful order not to return.