



WEEKLY POLICE BLOTTER

Week of December 18, 2023 – December 24, 2023



Total Calls for Service: **422**

Traffic Stops: **43**

Citations Issued: **13**

(including citations from Vehicle Accidents)

Warnings Issued: **38**

Fraudulent Tags Seized: **0**

Traffic Enforcement Details: **96**

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

Directed Area Patrols: **42**

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

Foot Patrols: **10**

School Walk-throughs: **2**

Vehicle Accidents: **9**

Reportable (requiring EMS or Tow): **1**

Non-Reportable: **8**

Assisting other Departments: **0**

INCIDENTS

12/18/23 – 200 block Easton Road, Horsham Township – Springfield Detectives were notified of further information regarding a person of interest in two active cases. Both cases involve organized crime groups that have been involved with illegal use and distribution of firearms. Officers and Detectives were able to locate the subject in question and take him into custody as well as recovering vital evidence to the case. ***As this case is still active and under investigation, limited details are authorized to be released.***

12/19/23 – 1440 Bethlehem Pike, a Retail Theft occurred at the Fine Wine & Good Spirits store, a Black male, bald with beard, reportedly stole several bottles of liquor, he was driving a white van with a blue logo on the side doors. The investigation is continuing.

12/20/23 – 300 block Haws Lane – Officers were dispatched to the area for a reported disturbance between employees. Prior to the Officer's arrival, one of the parties had fled the scene. It was later discovered that a physical altercation had ensued. Harassment charges have been filed against one of the parties.

12/20/23 – 300 block Manor Road – Officers were dispatched to a local residence for a reported burglary that was just discovered. Upon arrival, Officers met with the homeowner where it appeared that 40 feet of copper piping was stolen from the basement of the residence along with a rug. Detectives were requested to the scene to process the possible entry point of a basement window. Detectives also searched for other fingerprints from some tools that were left at the scene.

12/21/23 – 7900 block Old York Road, Cheltenham Twp – Several Springfield Officers responded with Cheltenham Police of a reported robbery in progress. Officers were notified of three male subjects walking through the parking lot possibly armed with a handgun. Springfield Officers assisted with securing a perimeter as well as covering calls while Cheltenham Officers and Detectives were attempting to locate the suspects. ***Cheltenham Township Police Department is the agency having jurisdiction of this incident and will continue the investigation.***

12/22/23 – 8800 block Stenton Avenue – Officers were dispatched to the area for an elderly male laying in the roadway. Another report was received stating that a male matching the same description was trying to chase after a vehicle. Several Officers responded to the area but were

unable to locate the male in question. Officers continued to canvass the area for any further signs, but were unsuccessful.