Wednesday, December 18, 2024

The Turlock Police Department processed <u>222</u> calls for service during the 3 shifts covering December 18, 2024. This includes the following attached notable police activities and reports taken for the 24-hour period of Wednesday, December 18, 2024.

SHIFT: DAY SHIFT Sgt. Argueta

NUMBER OF REPORTS: 14

CATEGORIES

1 Auto Theft 1 Auto Burglary 4 Larceny
1 Disturbance 1 Sick Person-Suicide 1 Fraud

1 Public Intoxication 1 Damage Property 2 Suspicious Incident

1 Death-Unknown

SUPERVISOR COMMENTS

We had a busy shift today with calls for service but officers were able to handle them in a timely manner. Officers were dispatched to the 200 block of N. Broadway for a disturbance involving a male. Officers located the male and determined that he was under the influence of a controlled substance. The male was ultimately arrested and booked into jail.

SHIFT: SWING SHIFT Sgt. Cervantez

NUMBER OF REPORTS: 6

<u>CATEGORIES</u>

1 Damaged Property1 Juvenile Runaway1 Larceny1 Violation Court Order1 Trespassing1 Robbery

SUPERVISOR COMMENTS

Officers responded to a report of a vehicle collision that turned out to be a robbery inprogress that was taking place in the middle of the roadway. Three males from the bay area had come to Turlock to meet a female who was selling French bullies. One of the males gave the victim \$2,000 for two dogs and while the victim was counting the money one of the males grabbed it from her hands and tried to drive away with the dogs. The victim attempted to get the dogs back by entering the back seat of the suspect's vehicle, at which time the suspect driver accelerated with the victim half way in the vehicle. The driver lost control and crashed into a light pole, knocking the victim onto the ground and causing injury to her leg. At this point a second vehicle pulled up and the suspects from the first vehicle got into it and they drove away. As officers arrived in the area they saw a vehicle leaving at a high rate of speed, at which time a pursuit was initiated. The pursuit went onto HWY 99 and officers lost it as they entered into Modesto. A short time later CHP located the vehicle and another pursuit was initiated. Information was also given that there was a 5-year-old child in the vehicle, and that the suspects had thrown out one of the dogs during the pursuit, which was then ran over by another vehicle. The pursuit went all the way to the Altamont where the driver leg-bailed. Then, one of the passengers got in the driver seat and drove off, starting another pursuit. Eventually two of the suspects were arrested and transported back to meet TPD officers in Modesto. As of the time of this log, the third suspect that leg-bailed was still outstanding. A perimeter was set up and a search was being done. All suspects will be wanted for several felonies, including robbery, aggravated assault, animal cruelty, pursuit, and child endangerment, and hit & run.

<u>SHIFT: GRAVEYARD SHIFT</u> <u>Sgt. Neves</u>

NUMBER OF REPORTS: 2

CATEGORIES

1 Juvenile Runaway 1 Warrant Arrest

SUPERVISOR COMMENTS

The last night of our work week was steady, and the officers kept busy for a majority of the night. They assisted swing shift in their investigation of a major incident that occurred in the south side of town. With 2 of their officers involved in a pursuit of the suspects, and the rest of swingshift on the scene of the incident, the graveyard shift took over primary duties to free swingshift and allow them to focus in their incident. During the night an officer spotted a subject that he knew had an outstanding warrant. The subject was contacted and his warrant was confirmed. During the contact, the officer spotted signs and indicators that he had narcotics on his person. After a search, narcotics was found. The subject was taken to jail.