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Wisconsin's Alcohol Culture

If you have been reading this newsletter for any period of time, you have read about the impact of alcohol consumption on the crime statistics for the Central District.

A citizen recently shared a link to a published comprehensive article on alcohol in Wisconsin. I have not read it all, but it looks very thorough. I have attached the address for you to check it out.

<http://www.fdlreporter.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/99999999/WIS0110/399990694/1979>



A Walkable Downtown: Pedestrian Safety

I have had a recent rash of citizen complaints regarding motorists who continually failed to yield to pedestrians in crosswalks around the in and outer loops of the Capitol, as well as other major intersections. As a result the Community Police Team and some patrol officer staff ran an initiative to evaluate the problem. The results were somewhat appalling. Violations were regular. Officers reported back that they even saw some pedestrians virtually running across streets in crosswalks to dodge the motorists.

While this problem seems to crop up every summer, this year's construction in the Gorham Street corridor seems to have exacerbated the problem. The officers also report that motorists claim to not know the "rule of the road" when stopped for the

violations. I do not know to what extent this excuse making is to try and dodge the piece of pink paper (a citation), or is an actual reflection of the lack of knowledge for motorists on pedestrian and motorists rules.

While enforcement will be a portion of the police response to this, we need to explore other solutions. While some Central

residents may also be the drivers of these cars, we do have a large volume of commuters to the Central city each day for work. Complaints tend to be related to the heavy commuting times, with people walking and driving to work sites within blocks of the Capitol Square area.

The Central District will continue to work the enforcement end, but I am looking for some creative readers of this newsletter who would like to work with us on other potential solutions. If you have ideas, please send them to the project leader P.O. Grant Hummerickhouse of the Central CPT (gummerickhouse@cityofmadison.com).

If you have any other traffic concerns please send those our way as well by contacting Lt. Joe Balles (jballes@cityofmadison.com).



CRIME OVERVIEW

The following represents an overview of police activity in the Central District. It does not include all cases.

Person Crimes: Robbery

Date	Time	Location	Details
6/5	5:00 pm	10 Blk S Carroll	Home Savings was robbed by suspect stating he had a gun (not displayed). Suspect: M/B 5'7", heavysset, 40s.
6/13	4:53 pm	1700 Blk Fordem	Suspect entered store with blue hood pulled tight to his face, wearing sunglasses and gloves. Suspect displayed a knife and took money which was under a tip jar. A witness provided information; suspect was later located and taken into custody. Charges: Armed Robbery and Felony Bail Jumping.
6/15	11:15 pm	300 Blk W Washington	Victim called escort service who sent a female. There was a dispute over money between the escort and the man. Escort left then returned with two black males who displayed a gun, demanded money, and escort struck the victim with his cell phone. Suspect 1: female white, 20s, 5'4", 135, dark curly hair. Suspect 2: male black, 20s, 5'4". Suspect 3: male black, 20s, 5'10".
6/21	5:00 am	Gorham/Carroll	Victim was walking home, suspect approached from behind and grabbed the purse. Suspect: male black, 22, 6'1", thin build, white and black hood.
6/28	2:47 am	200 Blk W Gilman	Victim battered by group of 8 black males who also stole his wallet.

Person Crimes: Sexual Assault

Date	Location	Details
6/11	600 Blk E Dayton	15-year-old victim reported being at a party at a park, then going to acquaintance's apartment where she fell asleep. Victim was clothed when she fell asleep but awoke naked and suspect assaulted her. Suspect at large.
6/11	10 Blk N Bedford	Victim reported being at the Echo, invites acquaintance to her residence, and is sexually assault. Suspect is male Black with curly hair.
6/19	200 Blk W Gilman	Victim was walking with boyfriend and another friend when approached by suspect who claimed to have a gun. Suspect led the victim to another location and demanded money, he removed cash from victim's purse. Victim pretended to call friend, calling 911 instead, as suspect was robbing her. Suspect then Sexually assaulted victim and threatened her. Victim talked suspect into returning to State Street where victim saw to passing police officer and informed him of situation. Suspect arrested and charged with Sexual Assault, False Imprisonment, and Robbery.
6/21	1400 Blk E Johnson	Intoxicated couple living together had an argument. Victim subsequently sexually assaulted and battered by suspect. Charges: Domestic 2nd Degree Sexual Assault, Intimidation of a Victim, Battery, Disorderly Conduct, Damage to Property.

Person Crimes: Disturbances, Others

Date	Time	Location	Details
5/31	2:00 am	700 Blk State St	Verbal altercation between victim and suspect resulted in victim being cut. Suspect charged with Reckless Endangering.
6/11	1:18 am	1100 Blk Spaight	A man with a knife was threatening to harm/kill himself. Officers ordered him to drop the knife and he complied. Suspect charged with DC While Armed.
6/12	9:39 am	CCB	17-year-old at JRC awaiting transfer to DCJ charged with Assault by Prisoner after she spat on JRC staff.
6/20	10:00 pm	100 Blk E Mifflin	Victim strangled by ex-boyfriend. Suspect identified, at large.
6/28	1:30 pm	300 Blk Livingston	Domestic dispute between a mother and daughter. Suspect charged with DC While Armed, Criminal Damage to Property, Domestic Intimidation, and False Imprisonment.

CRIME OVERVIEW CONTINUED**Property Crimes: Burglaries**

Date	Location	Type	Entry	Targeted/Stolen
6/1	10 Blk Gerry Ct	Residential	Unlocked door	Safe, Ipod.
6/1	200 Blk N Livingston	Residential	Unlocked door	Laptop
6/2	10 Blk N Franklin	Residential	Unlocked door	Laptop
6/6	200 Blk N Blount	Residential	Unknown	Debit card taken and used
6/10	1400 Blk Morrison St	Residential	Unlocked porch	Books, clothing
6/12	600 Blk E Mifflin	Non-Residential	Unknown	Copper wire from construction site
6/12	100 Blk N Hancock	Residential	Unlocked door	Shoes, Earrings, CPU
6/16	2000 Blk Atwood	Non-Residential	With key	Cash
6/17	500 Blk E Mifflin	Residential	Unlocked door	Laptop
6/18	700 Blk Lorillard	Residential	Unlocked door	CDs
6/19	300 Blk Russell St	Residential	Forced deadbolt	Liquor
6/20	900 Blk Fahrenbrook	Residential	Forced entry	Grass trimmers, fuel
6/23	1800 Blk Fordem	Residential	Unknown	Bicycle
6/23	1100 Blk E Wilson	Residential	Locked door	TV
6/24	500 Blk W Mifflin	Residential	Unlocked door	Ipod
6/30	600 Blk E Washington	Non-Residential	Through window	Vehicle (later recovered)

Person Crimes: Batteries

Date	Time	Location	Details
6/7	1:49 am	200 Blk State St	Victim battered while walking alone by nine white males; no further description available. No significant injury.
6/11	1:16 am	500 Blk State St	Verbal altercation resulted in victim being punched by suspect. Suspect identified (known to victim), at large.
6/12	4:12 am	400 Blk W Gorham	Victim reports domestic altercation with live-in girlfriend which resulted in bite marks to victim's back and shoulder. Suspect charged with Domestic Battery.
6/14	5:00 am	600 Blk N Carroll	Victim woke to roommate coming home. While in kitchen with roommate, suspect attempted to break in front door. Victim went to the front door and was subsequently battered by an acquaintance. Probable cause for suspect for Substantial Battery.
6/22	Unknown	600 Blk Howard PI	Victim reported incident from 6/19 where ex-boyfriend battered her. Suspect charged with DC While Armed, Criminal Damage to Property, Domestic Intimidation of Victim, and DC.
6/22	3:00 am	1200 Blk Williamson	Victim reported being cut in chest and neck by a suspect with a knife. Suspect identified by name and as male black, 20 to 25.

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