



## Lakeville Police Department Update

Sunday, August 3, 2025 – Saturday, August 9, 2025

### Weekly Review

Please note, the Weekly Review does not include all calls to which the Lakeville Police Department responded. Incidents included here are based on severity, impact on public safety or other factors.

- Officers located a loose dog, a pug mix, near Dreden Place/Draft Horse Boulevard. Unable to locate the owners, the dog was impounded at Dakota Pet.
- Officers attempted to stop a vehicle traveling southbound on Highview Avenue. The vehicle fled and was last seen near the 175th Street/Highview Avenue intersection. Officers later located the vehicle, heavily damaged, in the Cherry View Elementary parking lot. The suspect driver was not found. The vehicle owner stated he had left it parked in his driveway with the keys inside when it was stolen. Patrol will follow up.
- Officers spoke with the site supervisor of a construction site near 209<sup>th</sup> Street West/Holt Avenue. Some time overnight, an unknown suspect stole a plate compactor off a trailer. Patrol is following up.
- Reporting party reported a theft/fraud after their wallet was stolen at a gas station and later used at our Walgreens and Walmart. Patrol following up.
- Officers observed a stalled vehicle in a turn lane near Cedar Avenue/185<sup>th</sup> Street West. The vehicle was unable to be jump started and was eventually pushed to a better location and secured. Officers assisted the driver with making plans for the night.
- Officers observed a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed on Pilot Knob Road. The driver made a turn without yielding to oncoming traffic, nearly causing a collision. Upon contact, officers noted multiple signs of impairment. Standardized field sobriety tests were conducted, which the driver failed. The driver ultimately refused breath alcohol testing and was taken to jail.
- Loss prevention detained a female suspect for shoplifting approximately \$100 in merchandise. All items were recovered. Loss prevention requested an officer respond to pursue charges and issue a trespass notice. Officers cited the individual for theft and completed the trespass.
- Officers took a fraud report of a check that was stolen out of a mailbox, washed and fraudulently deposited. A \$6,000 loss. Patrol is following up.
- Officers observed a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed (64 mph in a 50 mph zone). A traffic stop was conducted. After indicators of impairment were observed, the driver was put through standardized field sobriety tests, which he subsequently failed. He later provided a breath alcohol test sample with a result of 0.16g/210L and was transported to Dakota County Jail.
- Officers responded to a past-action theft involving \$262.61 in camping merchandise. Loss prevention advised the suspect left approximately 30 minutes prior. Officers confirmed the suspect's identity via surveillance footage and coordinated with an outside agency to check the registered address, where the vehicle was located. A misdemeanor theft citation was mailed to the suspect.
- Officers took a theft from motor vehicle report near 20<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Keokuk Avenue. The reporting party discovered their passenger window had been broken, and an Apple Watch along with other miscellaneous items were stolen. Patrol is following up.