

ANOKA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SHERIFF BRAD WISE

FRIDAY UPDATE: 07.25.25

Scams

07.23 The victim stated she was contacted by a woman who identified herself as Suzanne Clark from US Banks Fraud Department and called using phone number 1-800-872-2657. She stated Clark told her they were suspecting an employee of theft and that her information had been compromised. Clark asked her to withdraw \$6,600 from her US Bank account and stop in at the Chase Bank, located in Roseville and use the ATM in the lobby to secure her funds onto a debit card. The deputy asked what the debit account information was, and she stated she uploaded it into her apple wallet but after the transaction she was told to delete it and now doesn't have the information anymore. The victim stated this person now has her money and access to her social security number, email, and personal identifying information.

07.23 The victim stated that on 6/24/25, she received an email from an unknown email address stating that she had the opportunity to purchase a vacuum for a discounted rate \$11.97. The email address appeared as though it was from Target and she had recently purchased the same vacuum for full price. She completed the transaction using her Target Credit Card. She printed out a confirmation. On July 17th, she noticed a second charge of \$76.42, from the same company, Elite Craft Uniforms D HUNTINGTN BCH CA, on 6/28/25 that she did not authorize. She reached out to Target and flagged the purchase as fraud. Target began an investigation and recently asked her for the case number for local law enforcement.

Andover

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.20 34xx 141 Lane NW – vehicle vandalized overnight; slashed tire, sugar in gas tank

Arrests

07.22 42xx 141 Lane NW – Disorderly Conduct; deputies were called to a family domestic involving a gun. When they arrive they separated and interviewed everyone. A female was arrested. The caller admitted there was no gun, she just said that to get a quicker law enforcement response.

07.23 1500 Block bunker Lake Blvd NW – No Driver's License; a deputy stopped a driver for not having license plates. He was identified and he did not have a driver's license. He has been stopped and warned 10 times in the last month to get it resolved and he didn't. He was arrested this time.

Bethel

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Bethel this week.

Columbus

No incidents that would be reflected in this report were reported in Columbus this week.

East Bethel

Arrests

07.19 226xx E Waconia Cir NE – Disorderly Conduct; deputies were responding to a medical, a woman fell down the stairs. They arrived and she was intoxicated and belligerent. She refused help and told the deputies to leave. When leaving, a family member ran outside and stated the woman was physically assaulting a female trying to help her. The woman was arrested.

07.20 9xx 189 Ave NE – Disorderly Conduct, Obstructing Legal Process; deputies were called to a runaway from the location. Deputies located her and returned her to the facility. Once there, she fought with staff and deputies. She was arrested.

07.20 221 Ave/Bataan St NE – DWI Refusal; a deputy stopped a driver for weaving on and off the shoulder. The driver appeared impaired and had a music video playing on his phone that was on his lap. He didn't speak English so the language line was used. Field sobriety tests were failed. He was arrested. .143

07.23 Hwy 65 NE/221st Ave NE – DWI 4th degree; a caller reported a possible drunk driver. The deputy located the vehicle and stopped it for poor driving conduct. When the deputy made contact, he smelled marijuana and a joint was seen in the cup holder. He stated he had smoked the day before. The driver did not have a license or proof of insurance. He provided a passport. His DL was revoked. Field sobriety tests were failed. A warrant for blood was obtained. He was arrested.

Ham Lake

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.22 23xx Crosstown Blvd NE - theft of an enclosed trailer from the property

Arrests

07.19 35xx 172 Lane NE – Domestic Assault; deputies responded to an altercation between a husband and wife. The husband was arrested.

07.19 30xx 166 Lane NE – DWI Refusal; a deputy stopped a driver for poor driving conduct. The driver appeared impaired. He started doing the walk and turn test without the deputy saying anything. The driver did not speak English, so the translation line was used. Field sobriety tests were failed. He refused the official test and was arrested. He provided a weak sample of .11

07.19 Pierce/Bunker Lake Blvd NE – DWI 3rd degree; a deputy responded to assist a Reserve Deputy who was dealing with difficult person. The male was intoxicated. The male had come to the location in his work van. His parents were on scene trying to help and confirmed he drove there. Field sobriety tests were started but could not be completed due to intoxication. He was arrested. .18

Linwood

Thefts & Damage to Property

07.24 78xx Baylor St NE – theft of mail; check

Nowthen

Arrests

07.21 224XX St Francis Blvd NW – Disorderly Conduct x2; deputies responded to two clients threatening a staff member. They were uncooperative and damaging property. Two juvenile females were arrested.

Oak Grove

Arrests

07.23 2200 Block Viking Blvd NW – DWI 4th degree; a deputy stopped a driver for speeding 85/55. When the deputy made contact he smelled alcohol and observed and open beer in the cup holder. The driver stated he only had two beers. Field sobriety tests were failed. He was arrested. .16 He was also only 20 so he was charged with Underage Consumption as well.

07.23 221 Ave/University Ave NW – Warrant Arrest; a deputy observed a male driving and knew he had a warrant for DUI and carrying a pistol while under the influence. He stopped and driver and he was arrested.

*Information shared in this report covers crimes that may affect you - things like burglaries, thefts, damage to property, identity theft, etc. We only include a fraction of the calls that deputies regularly respond to.

If you want to see data about what types of calls and how many we respond to log on to <u>www.anokacounty.us/crimewatch</u> and click on Crime Statistics on the left side. Stats are updated monthly.