Manalapan Twp. Police Dept. Press Releases May 26 – June 1, 2021

21MN10510 – Theft of Property

On Tuesday, June 1, 2021, at 11:12 am, loss prevention employees from the Target Department Store located at 55 Route 9 in Manalapan reported that a former employee, unknown age, had stolen \$232.49 worth of merchandise. This incident is pending the signing of complaints. Patrolman Hayden Hrymack took the report.

21MN10512 – Theft of Property

On Tuesday, June 1, 2021, at 11:31 am, loss prevention employees from the Target Department Store located at 55 Route 9 in Manalapan reported that a former employee, unknown age, had stolen \$265.00 worth of merchandise. This incident is pending the signing of complaints. Patrolman Hayden Hrymack took the report.

21MN10437 – Theft of Property

On Monday, May 31, 2021, at 3:15 p.m., a 71-year- old Manalapan resident reported that unknown actor(s) removed a catalytic converter from a vehicle between May 27 and May 31, 2021 while it was parked on Pine Cluster Circle. Patrolman Charles Alaimo handled the initial report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10492 – Possession of Controlled Dangerous Substances/Possession of Drug Paraphernalia/Tampering with Evidence

On Tuesday, June 1, 2020, at approximately 9:35 a.m., Patrolman Kyle Williams conducted a motor vehicle stop on State Route 33 for a motor vehicle violation. The driver, identified as Janell Morris, a 36-year-old unmarried, unemployed, female resident of Millstone, NJ, was found to be in possession of controlled dangerous substances and drug paraphernalia. Ms. Morris was arrested and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where she was processed and released after being issued a summons. Patrolman Kyle Williams was the arresting officer.

21MN10364 – Fraud / Identity Theft

On Sunday, May 30, 2021, at 11:44 a.m., a 27-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that fraudulent TD Bank account opened in their name. Patrolman Hayden Hrymack handled the report.

21MN10367 – Theft of Property

On Sunday, May 30, 2021, at approximately 12:10 p.m., a 39-year-old Manalapan resident reported that during the course of the past month, several USPS packages were stolen from a Chatsworth Road residence. The victim reports that the value of the stolen or undelivered packages at \$301.00. Patrolman Peter Bylsma handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10284 – Theft of Property

On Friday, May 28, 2021, at 7:06 p.m., an 18-year-old Jackson resident reported that an Apple iPhone12 Max Pro, valued at \$1,200.00 had been stolen from one of the businesses located at 55 Route 9 South in Manalapan. Patrolman John Lightbody handled the report.

21MN10276 – Fraud / Identity Theft

On Friday, May 28, 2021, at 3:36 p.m., a 55-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that a fraudulent unemployment application was filed in their name. Patrolman John Lightbody handled the report.

21MN10223 – Identity Theft

On Friday, May 28, 2021, at approximately 9:07 a.m., a 54-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown subject opened a TD Bank checking account and filed an unemployment claim under the victim's identity. Patrolman Ross Dessel handled the report

21MN10231 - Theft

On Friday, May 28, 2021, at approximately 10:55 a.m., a 27-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that license plate was removed from the victim's vehicle. It is unknown when or where the incident occurred. Patrolman Matthew Meyler took the report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10162 - Criminal Mischief

On May 27, 2021, at approximately 4:54 p.m. employees of the Manalapan Township Recreation Center reported damage to various objects and equipment in the park. Patrolman James Guarino took the report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10166 - Fraud / Identity Theft

On May 27, 2021, at 5:33 p.m., patrols responded to a Manalapan residence for a fraud report. It was determined that a 64-year-old Manalapan resident became a victim of unemployment fraud. The incident was handled by Patrolman Brian Schank.

21MN10140 - Vehicle Taken Without Owner's Consent

On Thursday, May 27, 2021 at approximately 1:31pm, a 53-year-old Mineral, Virginia resident reported a 57-year-old Manalapan resident took possession of a 2002 Mercedez Benz and became involved in a motor vehicle crash on May 3, 2021. This incident is pending the signing of criminal complaints. Patrolman J. Morgan Joiner took the report.

21MN10097 - Vehicle Burglary / Theft

On Thursday, May 27, 2021, at approximately 8:06 a.m., a 37-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor entered an unlocked vehicle and removed an item valued at \$90.00 while it was parked at a Fountayne Lane residence in Manalapan. Patrolman Ryan Brady took the report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10080 - Trespassing

On Wednesday, May 26, 2021, at approximately 10:56 p.m., a 48-year-old Manalapan resident reported that unknown actors were observed looking in the windows of a Cozy Drive residence. Patrolman Peter Bylsma handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

21MN10045 - Bad Checks

On Wednesday, May 26, 2021 at 1:41 p.m. representatives of a company located on Kinney Rd. in Manalapan reported being paid for work with a check with insufficient funds, resulting in a monetary loss of \$6,000.00. This incident is pending the signing of criminal complaints. Patrolman Jeffrey Emslie took the report.

21MN10019 – Fraud / Identity Theft

On May 26, 2021, at 8:28 a.m., a 65-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters to report that an unknown actor had filed for unemployment utilizing the victim's personal information. Patrolman Ryan Brady took the report.

21MN10029 - Harassment

On Wednesday, May 26, 2021, at approximately 10:30 a.m., a 56-year-old resident of Manalapan reported that trash had been put on a vehicle while it was parked at a St. Andrews Place residence. Patrolman Bartholomew Mattaliano handled the report.