

Manalapan Twp. Police Dept. Press Releases
August 28 – September 3, 2024
Residents are reminded to remove any valuables from unoccupied
vehicles and remember to lock your vehicle's doors.
*****DO NOT LEAVE KEY FOB'S IN VEHICLES! *****

24MN34908 – Theft

On Tuesday, September 3, 2024, at approximately 4:27 p.m., a 43-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor stole approximately \$4,852.83 in funds paid for a travel itinerary. Patrolman Frank Maisano handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34899 – Fraud

On Tuesday, September 3, 2024, at approximately 2:47 p.m., a 34-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported unknown actor(s) made unauthorized purchases in the amount of \$19,044.34 using the victim's credit card. Patrol Officer Hope Barina handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34884 – Fraud

On Tuesday, September 3, 2024, at approximately 1:00 p.m., employees of the Valley National Bank, located at 801 Tennent Road in Manalapan, reported that an unknown actor obtained \$4,010.92 using a fraudulent check. Patrolman Vincent Rubino handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34857 – Theft

On Tuesday, September 3, 2024, at approximately 7:56 a.m., a 38-year-old Hackensack resident reported unknown actor(s) removed several items (value unknown) from a construction site located at 200 Crossing Lane in Manalapan. Patrol Officer Hope Barina handled the report.

24MN34728 – Fraud

On Monday, September 2, 2024, at approximately 10:58 a.m., a 91-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that between August 28, 2024 and August 30, 2024, unknown actor(s) made \$7,168.00 in fraudulent transactions using the victim's bank card. Patrolman Peter Pagano handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34537 – Burglary to a Motor Vehicle

On Saturday, August 31, 2024, at approximately 2:58 a.m., a 39-year-old Manalapan resident reported two unknown actors entered an unlocked vehicle that was parked in the driveway of a Country Oaks Drive residence. No items were reported missing as a result of this incident. Patrolman Brian Schank handled the report.

24MN34522 – Warrant Arrest

On Saturday, August 31, 2024 at approximately 12:02 a.m., Patrolman Matthew Parke conducted a motor vehicle stop on Route 9 for a motor vehicle violation. The driver of the vehicle, identified as Nigar Azimova, a 40-year-old, unmarried, female resident of Milltown, NJ, who is employed as a driver, was found to have a warrant issued for her arrest by the Elizabeth Municipal Court. Ms. Azimova was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where she was processed and subsequently turned over to the Elizabeth Police Department.

24MN34460 – Warrant Arrest

On Friday, August 30, 2024, at approximately 11:35 a.m., Patrolman Kyle Williams conducted a motor vehicle stop on Route 9 in for a motor vehicle violation. The driver of the vehicle, identified as Tyrone Harris, a 54-year-old, unmarried, unemployed, male resident of Tenafly, New Jersey, was found to have a warrant issued for his arrest by the Bergen County Sheriff's Office. Mr. Harris was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Department Headquarters where he was processed and subsequently turned over to Bergen County Sheriff's Office. Patrolman Kyle Williams was the arresting officer.

24MN34347 – Theft

On Thursday, August 29, 2024, at approximately 12:31 p.m., a 51-year-old Staten Island resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported the theft of \$5,000.00 as a result of a fraudulent investment. Patrolman Anthony Cascella handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34289 – Harassment

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024 at approximately 7:37 p.m., a 63-year-old Manalapan resident reported being harassed by by an unknown actor over the phone. Patrolman Brandon Rodrigues took the report.

24MN34254 – Fraud

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at approximately 12:30 p.m., a 66-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) fraudulently obtained their social security number. Patrol Officer Hope Barina handled the report.

24MN34258 – Fraud

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at approximately 1:37 p.m., a 32-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported being defrauded in the amount of \$4,800.00 via the internet. Patrolman Anthony Cascella handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34257 – Shoplifting

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at approximately 1:32 p.m., loss prevention employees of the Wegmans Supermarket, located at 55 Route 9 in Manalapan, reported that an unidentified female entered the store and shoplifted \$805.81 worth of merchandise. Patrol Officer Hope Barina took the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN34282 – Fraud

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at approximately 6:40 p.m., a 48-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor(s) fraudulently opened a bank account in the victim's name and obtained \$13,000.00 from the account. Patrol Officer JeanMarie Kaminski handled the report.

24MN34203 – Driving While Intoxicated

On Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at approximately 12:47 a.m. Patrolman Matthew Parked conducted a motor vehicle stop on Route 9. The driver, identified as Justin Liotta, a 28-year-old, unemployed, unmarried, male resident of Marlboro, NJ, was found to be Driving While Intoxicated. Mr. Liotta was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where he was processed and released after being issued summonses. Patrolman Matthew Parke was the arresting officer.