

**Manalapan Twp. Police Dept. Press Releases
December 4 – December 10, 2024**

**Residents are reminded to remove any valuables from unoccupied vehicles and remember to lock your vehicle's doors.
DO NOT LEAVE KEYS IN VEHICLES! **

24MN46500 – Warrant Arrest

On Monday, December 9, 2024, at approximately 7:28 p.m., Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo conducted a motor vehicle stop on Route 9 for motor vehicle violations. A passenger in the vehicle, identified as Dareyona Corbett, a 20-year-old, unmarried, female resident of Manalapan, who is employed as a care giver, was found to have a warrant issued for her arrest by the Tinton Falls Municipal Court in the amount of \$1,500.00. Ms. Corbett was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where she was processed and subsequently released on her own recognizance pending a future court date.

24MN46395 – Burglary

On Sunday, December 8, 2024, at approximately 6:12 p.m., a 30-year-old Manalapan resident reported that unknown actor(s) entered a Lamb Lane residence and removed items valued at approximately \$150.00. Patrolman Christopher Capuzzo handled the report, which is pending further investigation.

24MN46338 – Theft of a Motor Vehicle

On Sunday, December 8, 2024, at approximately 4:47 a.m., a 54-year-old Manalapan resident reported that an unknown actor stole a vehicle, valued at approximately \$150,000.00, from a parking area on Fells Drive in Manalapan. That vehicle was subsequently recovered in Philadelphia. Patrolman Jake Mann handled the report, which is pending future investigation.

24MN46323 – Theft of a Motor Vehicle

On Sunday, December 8, 2024, at approximately 2:44 a.m., a 26-year-old Little Egg Harbor resident reported that an unknown actor(s) stole a vehicle, valued at approximately \$30,000.00, from a parking lot on Arrowwood Road in Manalapan. Patrolman Brandon Rodrigues handled the report which is pending further investigation.

24MN46289 – Driving While Intoxicated

On Saturday, December 7, 2024, at approximately 7:45 p.m., Christina Bicker, a 60-year-old, unmarried, female resident of Manalapan, who is employed as a project manager, was found to be driving while intoxicated after being involved in a motor vehicle crash on Tennent Road in Manalapan. Ms. Bicker was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where she was processed and released after being issued summonses. Patrolman Marshall Bitsko was the arresting officer.

24MN46242 – Driving While Intoxicated / Fugitive from Justice

On Saturday, December 7, 2024, at approximately 9:02 a.m., William T. Demato, a 60-year-old, unmarried, male resident of Monroe Township, who is employed as a marketer, was found to be driving while intoxicated at the Enrite Gas Station, located at 140 Route 33 in Manalapan. Mr. Demato was also found to have a warrant issued for his arrest by the Montgomery Township Sheriff's Office in Pennsylvania. Mr. Demato was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where he was processed and subsequently turned over to the Monmouth County Correctional Institution. Patrolman James Guarino was the arresting officer.

24MN46187 – Theft

On Friday, December 6, 2024, at approximately 4:09 p.m., a 72-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor(s) stole a package, valued at approximately \$223.78, from the porch of a Newport Drive residence. Patrolman Vincent Rubino handled the report.

24MN46183 – Harassment

On Friday, December 6, 2024, at approximately 3:57 p.m., a 62-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported being harassed by a neighbor. Patrolman James Guarino handled the report.

24MN46184 – Fraud

On Friday, December 6, 2024, at approximately 3:42 p.m. a 77-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported being defrauded in the amount of \$6,930.00 via the internet. Patrolman Christopher Makwinski took the report.

24MN45960 – Driving While Intoxicated

On Wednesday, December 4, 2024, at approximately 9:09 p.m., Patrolman Marshall Bitsko conducted a motor vehicle stop on Route 9 for a motor vehicle violation. The driver of the vehicle, identified as Ylli Myrtaj, a 52-year-old, unmarried, male resident of Lodi, who is employed as a carpenter, was found to be driving while intoxicated. Mr. Myrtaj was placed under arrest and transported to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters where he was processed and released after being issued summonses.

24MN45882 – Fraud

On Wednesday, December 4, 2024, at approximately 12:58 p.m., a 43-year-old Manalapan resident responded to Manalapan Township Police Headquarters and reported that an unknown actor fraudulently withdrew \$400.00 from the victim's Zelle account. Patrolman Frank Maisano handled the report.