



## Erie County Sheriffs Office Media Release Summary

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The Erie County Sheriff's Office responded to 193 calls the week of this report. Below is a sampling of the noteworthy incidents on **Grand Island**.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Street</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Narrative</b>
1/2	Staley Rd.	Traffic Complaint	The complainant states that a red minivan was driving recklessly on Staley Rd. and crossing into oncoming traffic. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given.
1/2	Grand Island Blvd.	Welfare Check	Deputies responded to a report of a 911 hang up call during the late hours of the night at a closed business. Deputies checked but found nothing out of order. No persons were observed on the premise.
1/2	I-190	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 52 y/o Dwayne Gamble of Grand Island for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor), Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently suspended/revoked. Gamble was transported to the Erie County Holding Center in lieu of \$1000 bail.
1/2	Waterford Pk.	Traffic Complaint	The complainant states that a black pickup truck and a teal jeep were racing through the neighborhood. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the vehicles by the description given.
1/2	South State Pkwy.	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 22 y/o Shane Bennett of Grand Island for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently suspended. Bennett was transported to the Erie County Holding Center in lieu of \$250 bail.
1/2	Pin Oak Cr.	Hunting Complaint	The complainant states that hunters with dogs were behind the residences and too close. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subjects.
1/2	Revere Rd.	Residential Burglary	The complainant states that several days ago, his residence was entered by unknown person(s) who stole numerous items from inside.
1/2	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that an intoxicated male was walking in the street. Deputies located the subject and

			determined the complaint to be unfounded.
1/2	Bedell Rd.	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 32 y/o Michael Michlin of Grand Island for Operating a Motor Vehicle with a Suspended Registration (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his plates were currently suspended. Michlin was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
1/2	Whitehaven Rd.	ATV Operation	Deputies observed an ATV operating on the street and when attempting to stop it, the driver took off on the powerline trail. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the ATV.
1/3	Carter Creek Dr.	Suspicious Incident	The complainant states she was awoken by a loud crash that seemed to come from the first floor of her home during the late hours of the night. She then saw headlights pulling out of her driveway. Deputies checked the residence and did not observe any damage. No persons made entry and nothing was reported stolen.
1/3	Carter Dr.	Animal Loose	The complainant states that a dog was running loose during the late hours of the night. The Dog Control Officer was notified.
1/3	Ferry Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident near the intersection of Oakfield Rd. No injuries were reported.
1/3	Baseline Rd.	Larceny	The complainant states that sometime during the night an unknown person(s) stole items from his unlocked vehicle.
1/3	Baseline Rd.	Deer Struck	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident involving a deer. No injuries were reported.
1/3	Grand Island Blvd.	Deer Struck	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident involving a deer. No injuries were reported.
1/3	Jamestown Rd.	Suspicious Vehicle	The complainant states that a vehicle was parked on the street that did not belong and the occupants appeared to be up to no good. Deputies located the vehicle and advised the occupants who left without incident.
1/4	East River Rd.	Traffic Complaint	The complainant states that a vehicle was doing donuts in a nearby parking lot before leaving the area. Deputies checked but were unable to locate the vehicle by the description given.
1/4	East River Rd.	Identity Theft	The complainant states that a known subject opened numerous credit cards in her name without authorization. Investigation Ongoing.
1/4	Baseline Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident. No injuries were reported.
1/4	Baseline Rd.	Unknown Trouble	The complainant states that a male subject was yelling at someone during the late hours of the night in a nearby apartment. Deputies spoke with and advised the male.
1/5	Ransom Rd.	Traffic Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 33 y/o Nicholas Murphy of Grand Island for Aggravated Unlicensed Operation 3 <sup>rd</sup> Degree (Misdemeanor) and other traffic infractions after a DMV check showed his license was currently suspended. Murphy was issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island

			Court.
1/5	Tracey La.	Marijuana Possession	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 21 y/o Robert Rovison, 20 y/o Stephanie Grant both of Grand Island and 23 y/o Corey Meer of Kenmore for Unlawful Possession of Marijuana (Violation) and a traffic infraction. All offenders were issued an appearance ticket returnable to the Town of Grand Island Court.
1/6	Crescent Rd.	Attempted Larceny	The complainant states he observed a male subject looking into vehicles and then entering an unlocked one during the late hours of the night. The complainant confronted the subject who jumped into a dark colored car and fled the area. A plate was obtained by the complainant before it fled. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the suspect vehicle. The owners of the car entered were not interested in pursuing charges. No other vehicles were reportedly entered in the area.
1/6	Grand Island Blvd.	Accident Injury	Deputies responded to a report of a 1 car motor vehicle accident where a building was struck. The driver drove through the front window area of First Niagara Bank causing minor injuries to a person inside. The Erie County Sheriff's Office Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and the incident investigation is ongoing.
1/6	Baseline Rd.	Suspicious Person	The complainant states that a male subject with dark colored clothes was staggering down the roadway and appeared to be intoxicated. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate the subject by the description given.
1/7	Long Rd.	Alarm Ringing / Door Open	Deputies responded to a report of a burglary alarm at a residence on Long Rd. and upon arrival found an open door. The residence was checked but no persons were found inside and no signs of a disturbance were observed.
1/7	Staley Rd.	Motorist Broke Down	Deputies assisted a motorist whose vehicle had become disabled.
1/7	Long Rd.	Larceny	The complainant states that sometime in recent months an unknown person(s) stole her EZ Pass and had been using it ever since. Investigation Ongoing.
1/7	Grand Island Blvd.	Noise Complaint	The complainant states that a subject in a nearby apartment was blasting his TV and music during the late hours of the night. Deputies made contact with the subject and advised him.
1/8	Grand Island Blvd.	Motorist Broke Down	Deputies assisted a motorist whose vehicle had become disabled.
1/8	Grand Island Blvd.	Warrant Arrest	Following a traffic stop, Deputies arrested 22 y/o Jonathan Oyer of Grand Island after a check showed he had an outstanding bench warrant from the City of North Tonawanda. Oyer was transferred over to the custody of North Tonawanda Police Department.
1/8	Bedell Rd.	Parking Complaint	The complainant states that a vehicle was blocking the door to the apartment building. Deputies checked and determined the complaint was unfounded.

1/8	Grand Island Blvd.	Suspicious Vehicle	The complainant states that a dark colored pickup truck was parked in the Mighty Taco parking lot and was full of drunks during the late evening hours. Deputies checked the area but were unable to locate any vehicles matching the description given.
1/8	Love Rd.	Accident PDO	Deputies responded to a report of a 2 car motor vehicle accident in the parking lot of Say Cheese during the late hours of the night. No injuries were reported.

**Deputies responded to 15 Burglary False alarm calls and 16 Fire Alarms during the dates of this report.**