



Erie County Sheriffs Office Media Release Summary

Dates: 05/23/2022 to 05/29/2022

The Erie County Sheriff's Office responded to 229 calls the week of this report. Below is a sampling of the noteworthy incidents in **Grand Island**.

Date	Type	Street	Narrative
5/23	DWI / Alcohol	Speedway	Deputies initiated a traffic stop on a gray Ford Explorer at Speedway on Grand Island. The driver, Joseph Farns (35), was found to be under the influence of alcohol following some sobriety tests. Joseph was taken back to the station and agreed to a breathalyzer test sample. The test came back .25BAC, three times the legal limit. Joseph was charged with aggravated DWI and released to a third party.
5/24	Animal Complaint - Dog	Spicer Creek Run	Deputies along with dog control were called to a home on Trails End near Spicer Creek Run. Female caller was attacked by two German Shepherds while walking her dogs on Spicer Creek Run. No serious injuries were reported but caller was very shaken up for having to fend off the animals for several minutes. Report was completed by DCO and all parties were advised of the outcome.
5/24	Suspicious Incident	Country Glen Apts.	Deputies and State Police were called to the Country Glen Apts. for fire extinguishers being used in the hallways causing a mess. Manager believes that juveniles in the complex have been blowing them off recently. State police handled the further investigation, appears to be an ongoing problem.
5/26	Fire Other	Country Glen Apts.	Deputies were called to the apartments for a possible oven fire. Resident called backed and stated that it was getting worse. Deputies and Fire personnel were able to contain the fire before it spread any further. Minor damage to the apartment just the stove.
5/26	Suicide or Attempt	Fareway Lane	Deputies were called by mother stating that her son was threatening to harm himself. Deputies arrived on scene and were able to speak with the subject. Subject had superficial wounds to his hands and was treated by EMS. He was then transported by ambulance to ECMC for evaluation. Report filed.
5/26	Assist Person	Key Bank	Deputies were contacted by Danielle at Key Bank in regards to an elderly male there who seems confused and may have mailed \$25,000 cash to an unknown person. Deputies spoke with the elderly male and were able to stop the delivery of the package through UPS and have it returned with the cash. Police report on file.
5/28	Mental	Grand Island Bridge	State Police were called to the South Grand Island Bridge for a subject in a t-shirt standing at the top of the bridge. Passerby said there was a vehicle parked at the bottom of the bridge. State police arrived on scene and stopped the subject from

			jumping as he appeared to be distraught. Subject was transported to ECMC for evaluation.
5/29	Fire Vehicle	Love Rd.	Deputies and State Police responded to a residence on Love Rd. for a vehicle on fire next to the garage. Deputies arrived to find an engulfed vehicle contained to the driveway. Fire was on scene quickly with engine and put the vehicle out. Cause of fire was from welding under the vehicle.