



For Immediate Release

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**Royal Oak Police Department Weekly Update
January 13, 2022 through January 20, 2022**

Breaking and Entering

110 N. Washington Ave. (Shell Gas Station), 1/18/22, 5:18 a.m.: Complainant reported an unknown suspect(s) pried the front door open and stole the safe from the business. 22-1960

Vehicle Theft

600 block of S. Troy St., 1/10/22 – 1/16/22, 8:10 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.: Complainant reported an unknown suspect(s) stole their 2020 BMW from the location. 22-1776

Larceny from Motor Vehicle

4900 block of Cara Ct., 1/15/22 – 1/18/22, 12:00 p.m. – 9:00 a.m.: Complainant reported an unknown suspect(s) stole the catalytic converter from their vehicle. 22-1991

4900 block of Coventry St., 1/15/22 – 1/18/22, 8:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.: Complainant reported an unknown suspect(s) stole the catalytic converter from their vehicle. 22-1986

4900 block of Crooks Rd., 1/13/22 – 1/15/22, 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 a.m.: Complainant reported an unknown suspect(s) attempted to steal the catalytic converter from their vehicle. 22-1675

Additional Incidents and Information

Operating While Under the Influence of Alcohol 3rd Offense and Transport of Open Container of Alcohol Arrest

On January 17, 2022, at approximately 6:55 p.m., officers responded to a possible intoxicated driver in the area of N. Vermont and Parkdale. The caller stated the driver almost struck a couple of parked cars on the street. The officers spoke with the driver who was very confused, slurred speech, and smelled of alcohol. Additionally, the officers observed an open bottle of vodka inside the vehicle.

The driver had two prior alcohol convictions on her driving record.

The 47-year-old Royal Oak resident was arrested for Operating While Under the Influence of Alcohol 3rd Offense and Transport of Open Container of Alcohol.

The following arrests were made during the period:

One (1) Operating While Intoxicated, Child Endangerment, Domestic Assault, and Misdemeanor Warrant
One (1) Conditional Bond Violation
One (1) Driving While License Suspended, and Misdemeanor Warrants
One (1) Disorderly Conduct
One (1) Operating While Intoxicated 3rd Offense, and Open Intoxicants in a Motor Vehicle
One (1) Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and No Insurance
One (1) Friend of the Court Warrant
One (1) Urinating & Defecating in Public
One (1) Resisting a Police Officer, Obstructing a Peace Officer, No Insurance, Driving While License Suspended, Misdemeanor Warrant, and Felony Warrant
Two (2) Felony Warrant
Two (2) Misdemeanor Warrant
Five (5) Operating While Intoxicated

Total Arrests: 18

Now that winter is here residents and visitors are reminded of Royal Oak's Snow Emergency Ordinance. Snow Emergency conditions are generally defined as ***a snowfall of four inches or more and will remain in effect until your street has been plowed.*** All vehicles on residential streets are to be removed or will be ticketed or towed. Vehicles are to remain off the streets until plow trucks have gone through the area. Once a snow emergency is called and plowing begins, it takes approximately 24-36 hours to plow all city streets, depending on how much snow has fallen.

Residents may call the Snow Emergency Hotline, 248-246-3442, to find out if a snow emergency is in effect or go to <http://www.romi.gov>.