

Morton County Law Enforcement Center Report

February 19, 2008 – February 24, 2008

02-19-08 / 2:13 PM / LEC was called reference Foster Parent Program. RP advised that persons interested in this program would need to be fingerprinted and approved through the State of Kansas.

02-19-08 / 4:21 PM / RP called LEC reference a dog complaint in the 500 block of Adams in Rolla. RP advised the dog is chasing the cats in the neighborhood.

02-19-08 / 4:22 PM / LEC received a driving complaint in Elkhart. RP advised of a driver that almost caused an accident. Driver of the other vehicle drove to the LEC and explained the other side of the story.

02-20-08 / 3:07 PM / RP requested an Officer in the 700 block of Emery Lane for a wild cat in her house. Officer arrived on scene. Officer then called for backup. Second Officer arrived on scene. It took some doing, but Officer managed to release the cat back to the outside world. Officers were unharmed.

02-20-08 / 3:25 PM / 911 call. Morton County EMS paged to the Morton County Care Center to transfer to the Morton County Hospital.

02-20-08 / 10:07 PM / RP called LEC reference a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed by the Lutheran Church. Officer arrived in the area. The Officer could not locate the vehicle in question.

02-21-08 / 7:54 AM / Officer dispatched to the 100 block of Oklahoma for a vehicle unlock. Officer arrived on scene. Vehicle was unlocked.

02-21-08 / 10:00 AM / LEC was contacted by the Kansas Adult Protection Services (KAPS), reference a complaint they received about an elderly woman not being cared for properly in Rolla. An Officer and KAPS rep arrived on scene and was unable to make contact with any person at the residence. A short time later the Officer was contacted by the resident of the home and was welcomed into the house.

02-21-08 / 7:39 PM / 911 call. Elkhart Fire / Rescue paged to the 1100 block of Muncy for a vehicle fire. RP stated that a Ford Ranger pickup was on fire. Fire / Rescue and Officers arrived on scene. The pickup was a total loss.

02-22-08 / 2:06 AM / Officers dispatched to the Morton County Hospital / Elkhart Medical Clinic, for possible people on the roof of the hospital. Officers arrived on scene. Officers met with RP and did not find any person(s) on the roof of the hospital. Officers found that RP and her spouse were involved in a verbal argument and decided to separate for the night, but the spouse could not stay away. All parties left the scene.

02-22-08 / 6:37 AM / 911 call. RP advised that he hit a horse on County Road Z, east of Dermont COOP. Officer arrived on scene and found that a Seaboard truck was traveling west on County Road Z and struck a horse in the westbound lane. Driver of the truck was not injured. The horse was removed by owner. Property damage estimated over \$1,000.00.

02-22-08 / 5:01 PM / Additional Officers were requested at the Morton County District Court for a prisoner that was uncomfortable. Officers arrived at District Court. The prisoner was escorted back to the Morton County Jail without incident.

02-22-08 / 11:12 PM / RP called LEC to let us know they no longer have or take care of any cattle.

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02-23-08 / 1:11 AM / Concerned parent called LEC reference her daughter being out late. Short time later the parent called LEC and advised that her daughter made it home.

02-23-08 / 10:53 AM / Officer dispatched to the Elkhart High School for a vehicle unlock. Officer arrived on scene. Vehicle was unlocked. RP asked the Officer not to tell anyone about this incident. The Officer agreed, and advised he would not tell any person who hasn't already witnessed the unlock.

02-23-08 / 11:53 PM / 911 call. Officers dispatched to the 300 block of South Baca for a fight. Officers arrived on scene and found that 2 (two) male subjects were arguing over a tax return check. Both male subjects were asked to leave the property.

02-24-08 / 8:01 AM / RP called LEC reference a non-injury accident in the 100 block of South Oklahoma. Officer arrived on scene. Officer found that vehicle backed from driveway into a passing vehicle. Property damage over \$1,000.00.

02-24-08 / 1:55 PM / Officer was flagged down reference loud music in the 200 block of Grant. Officer arrived on scene. Officer did hear the loud music and gave a warning to the vehicle driver. Officer advised the driver if a second complaint was taken, a citation would be issued.

02-24-08 / 8:52 PM / Officer dispatched to the 500 block of North Street Road for a vehicle unlock. Officer arrived on scene. Vehicle was unlocked.

Currently in Morton County Jail:

Eugene Stroud
Merlin Andrews – Larned State Hospital
William Hicks
Chad Salazar – Released
Jackie Robertson
Joel Carter