

Morton County Law Enforcement Center Report

May 5th, 2010 – May 11th, 2010

05-04-10 / 7:50 AM / RP called the LEC and advised of a vehicle at County Road D & County Road 16 on Cimarron National Grassland. Officer arrived on scene. Officer found that the vehicle was involved in an accident. Officer found that the tag on the vehicle was stolen from Liberal, Kansas. At this time the driver was nowhere to be found. The vehicle was towed.

05-04-10 / 12:25 PM / Officer dispatched to the 600 block of Morton for a dead cat. Officer arrived on scene. Officer found that the cat had been there for awhile. The cat was removed and disposed of.

05-04-10 / 8:01 PM / Officer performed traffic stop in the 700 block of Emery Lane. Vehicle stopped for exhibition of speed (spinning tires) from the corner for Cosmos & Morton. Driver produced valid registration, insurance, and driver's license. Driver was issued citation for exhibition of speed.

05-05-10 / 6:53 AM / Alarm called the LEC and advised of an active alarm in the 400 block of Morton. Officer arrived on scene. Officer confirmed the building to be secure. The key holder arrived on scene. Everything was found to be okay.

05-05-10 / 12:29 PM / RP called the Elkhart City Hall and requested an Officer meet them at the Elkhart Animal Shelter. Officers arrived on scene. RP advised that she could no longer take care of her dog. At this time the RP surrendered her dog to the City of Elkhart.

05-05-10 / 9:20 PM / Officer dispatched to Sunset Drive for a vehicle unlock. Officer arrived on scene. The vehicle was unlocked.

05-06-10 / 6:03 AM / RP called the LEC and requested an Officer to the Dermont Blacktop for a vehicle vs. Deer accident. Officer arrived on scene. Estimated damage over \$1,000.00. An accident case has been filed. Pretty sure the deer did not make it.

05-06-10 / 11:27 AM / Elkhart High School called the LEC and requested an Officer pick a juvenile male to be picked up. Officer arrived on scene. The juvenile male arrived at school.

05-06-10 / 8:25 PM / RP called the LEC and advised that a juvenile female was driving around harassing her daughter and friends. At this time the Officer was not able to find the vehicle in question. Criminal charges are pending.

05-07-10 / 7:45 AM / Alarm Company reported an active alarm in the 400 block of Morton. Officer arrived on scene. Key Holder reported alarm set off by accident. Everything 10-4 at this time.

05-07-10 / 12:46 PM / RP called the LEC and asked to talk to an Officer reference an inmate. RP advised that he was told by a common friend that a certain inmate had STD's, and he had a right to know. The Officer advised the RP that the LEC could not release any information on that certain inmate.

05-07-10 / 10:41 PM / Officer performed traffic stop on Morton. The vehicle was stopped for tail light violation. The driver produced valid registration, insurance, and driver's license. The driver was issued a warning for the tail light.

05-08-10 / 2:06 AM / Officer performed traffic stop in the 600 block of Morton. Vehicle was stopped for failure to maintain single lane traffic. Julian Chavez was arrested and transported to the Morton County Jail. Chavez is charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, and transporting open container. Bond set at \$1,223.00 cash / surety.

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05-08-10 / 8:21 AM / RP walked into the LEC and asked to speak with her son. LEC advised the RP that she would be able to visit with her son until Sunday from 1 PM to 3 PM during visitation hours. The RP stated that her son had to get out of jail and go to work. At this time the inmate in question did have a bond and was able to bond out. The RP left the LEC.

05-08-10 / 12:40 PM / Officer dispatched to the Ricks Video for a subject who had found a vehicle title by the bank. If anyone had lost a vehicle title, please call the LEC and produce information proving the title belongs to you. LEC, 620-697-4313.

05-08-10 / 10:02 PM / Officers dispatched to the corner of Border & Colorado for down power lines. Officers arrived on scene. Unknown person(s) struck a power pole knocking it over and leaving the scene. A cash reward is being offered for the arrest and conviction of the person(s) involved. Please call the LEC 620-697-4313.

05-09-10 / 8:35 AM / RP asked if an Officer could travel out west of Elkhart to unlock a vehicle. Officer arrived on scene. The vehicle was unlocked.

05-09-10 / 10:35 AM / Officer dispatched to the 100 block of Elkhart Ave for a criminal damage report. Officer arrived on scene. At this time a criminal case has been filed. Unknown estimate of damage. With any information on this crime, please call the LEC 620-697-4313. A cash reward is being offered!

05-09-10 / 6:58 PM / Officers dispatched to the Rolla Race Track for a fight. Officers arrived on scene. The way the Officers understood the situation is that 2 (two) horse owners had a race. No one like to loose a race, it seems the winner maybe rubbed it in a little bit, which started some named calling, them some belt whipping, them some beer can throwing. The fight was broke up.

05-09-10 / 11:21 PM / Officer performed traffic stop in the 800 block of Morton. Vehicle was stopped for disorderly conduct (loud music). The driver produced valid registration, insurance, and driver's license. The driver was issued a warning for disorderly conduct (loud conduct).

05-10-10 / 12:03 AM / Officer dispatched to County Road D for a welfare check. Officer arrived on scene. Officer found that crimes have occurred. Eric Orosco was arrested and transported to the Morton County Jail. Orosco is charged with aggravated battery, criminal threat, and criminal damage to property. Bond has not been set at this time.

05-10-10 / 1:45 AM / RP called the LEC and requested Officers to the 300 block of Baca for a prowler by her garage. Officers arrived on scene. Officers found a subject sleeping in his car. Officers made contact with the male subject. The male subject stated that he was waiting for his vehicle to start. The male subject stated that he had a device on the vehicle that would not allow him to drive until his breath alcohol was normal. At this time the Officer let the male subject sleep it off.

05-10-10 / 8:14 AM / RP called the LEC and requested an Officer to the 100 block of Oklahoma for a vehicle unlock. Officer arrived on scene. The vehicle was unlocked.

05-10-10 / 11:55 AM / Morton County EMS, Fire / Rescue paged approximately 2 to 3 miles west of Rolla then south for a rollover accident. All crews arrived on scene. The driver was checked for injuries and released on scene. An accident case has been filed. Estimated damage over \$1,000.00.

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Currently in Morton County Jail:

Lance Blakeley - Failure to comply with probation requirements.

Alfredo Herrera – Failure to comply with probation requirements.

Ruben Hernandez – Failure to comply with probation requirements.

Anthony Ammons – 3 (three) separate cases. Charges (too many to list).

Krista Guenther – Sentenced 90 days.

David Fisher – Charges (too many to list).

Richard Draper – Warrant.

April Mills – Returned from Seward County.

Luis M. Morales – Aggravated indecent liberties with a child (X4).

Eric Orosco - aggravated battery, criminal threat, and criminal damage to property.

Julian Chavez – Driving under the influence of alcohol, transporting open container.

Jacob McDonald – Bond Revoked – Bonded.