



CORCORAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

Matthew R. Gottschalk, Director of Public Safety

Corcoran Police Department Weekly Media Release

Week of Monday, August 24 @ 6:00 a.m. through Monday, August 31 @ 6:00 a.m.

Sent to:

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Items are selected from reports made to the Corcoran Police Department and are not intended to provide a comprehensive picture of all services provided by the Corcoran Police Department.

Personal Injury / Property Damage Accident/Incident

☒ The department reported a property damage accident Wednesday, August 26 at 11:39 a.m. in the area of 66XX Zenwood. Vehicle #1 backed out of a driveway and struck the unoccupied vehicle #2. There was no visible damage to either vehicle.

☒ The department reported a property damage accident Thursday, August 27 at 1:30 p.m. in the area of Co. Rd. 30 and Cain Rd. Vehicle #1 came over the hill and observed several vehicles stopped for traffic. As the driver hit the brakes, the brakes failed and they struck the vehicle in front of them. Driver was cited for failure to drive with due care.

☒ The department reported a property damage accident Saturday, August 29 at 1:25 p.m. in the area of Co. Rd. 30 and Cain Rd. The vehicle crossed the center line and went into the ditch on the south side of the road. The driver advised they did not remember what happened or what they hit to cause damage to the vehicle. Alcohol or other substances were not a contributing factor. No injuries were reported.

☒ The department reported a personal injury accident Wednesday, August 26 at 7:56 a.m. in the area of 226XX block of Co. Rd. 30. Vehicles #2 and #3 were stopped in the roadway due to a Hennepin County Public Works Flagger that was stopping traffic for a street sweeper. Vehicle #1 then rear-ended vehicle #2, who then rear-ended vehicle #3. All three drivers had minor injuries.



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Miscellaneous

☒ The department responded to a report of a welfare check on Sunday, August 30 at 8:54 p.m. in the area of Steeple Chase La. and Meadow Rue Ct. The reporting party stated there was someone shouting in the middle of the road. The Officer arrived in the area to find two people out for a walk and one of the people was speaking in a loud manner.

☒ The department responded to a report of a disturbance on Wednesday, August 26 at 7:05 p.m. in the 224XX block of Hwy 55. The reporting party stated motorcycles were ripping through a parking lot. The Officers arrived in the area and did not observe the motorcycles driving in the area. The Officers spoke with a couple of parties in the area and advised them to be aware of the surroundings and cease anymore riding for the evening.

☒ The department responded to a litter report on Monday, August 24 at 9:58 a.m. in the 235XX block of Strehler Rd. The reporting party stated someone had dumped two vending machines in the ditch. Officers checked to see if there was any identifying information for a suspect. Corcoran Public Works picked up the machines to dispose of them.

☒ The department responded to a report of a loud party on Friday, August 28 at 11:09 p.m. in the 201XX block of 78th Pl. The reporting party stated there was a loud gathering and they were unable to sleep. The Officer arrived in the area and found two people on the patio quietly playing music. The homeowner voluntarily went inside to be considerate.

☒ The department responded to a report of a scam on Thursday, August 27 at 2:44 p.m. in the 74XX block of Fir La. The reporting party stopped by the PD office to report they had located a house for rent on Facebook. They found the house was actually not for rent. No money was lost and no pertinent information given to the scammer.

☒ The department responded to a report of a suspicious vehicle on Friday, August 28 at 3:01 p.m. in the 91XX block of Co. Rd. 101. The reporting party stated there was a vehicle just hanging out in the parking lot with WI plates. The Officer arrived in the area and the vehicle was gone on their arrival.

☒ The department responded to a report of a suspicious act on Friday, August 28 at 11:40 p.m. in the 201XX block of 78th Pl. The reporting party stated there was a vehicle they did not recognize parked in their driveway for 10 minutes. The vehicle moved to the next driveway and then left at a high speed. Officers located a matching vehicle on the next street over and in contact with the driver found they had the wrong address.



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Others

The department also reported the following:

- 2 driving and traffic complaints
- 20 traffic citations / violations
- 5 medical incidents
- 4 motor vehicle accidents
- 2 suspicious activities
- 1 civil disputes
- 1 juvenile complaints
- 45 public assists
- 4 alarms
- 5 animal complaints
- 6 assists to other departments