



CITY OF LA CRESCENT
Department of Police
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La Crescent Police Department – Calls for Service April 23, 2023 through May 6, 2023

Sunday, April 23

12:17 a.m.	Traffic Stop	La Crosse, WI man verbally warned for equipment violation.
12:31 a.m.	Traffic Stop	La Crosse, WI man verbally warned for speeding.
12:41 a.m.	Traffic Stop	Wonewoc, WI woman verbally warned for equipment violation.
12:46 a.m.	Traffic Stop	La Crosse, WI woman verbally warned for equipment violation.
1:26 a.m.	DWI	La Crosse, WI man arrested for Fourth Degree DWI and issued a citation for failing to maintain lane.
4:28 p.m.	Public Assist	Grinder pumps quit working. Public works notified.
6:05 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Rochester, MN man verbally warned for stop sign violation.
7:07 p.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.
8:27 p.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
9:25 p.m.	Harassment Restraining Order	Order for Protection violation reported.

Monday, April 24

1:39 a.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.
9:56 a.m.	Burglary	Local business burglarized. Case is related to other burglaries in the area. Suspects were identified and case is pending.
11:04 a.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.
12:14 p.m.	Harassment Restraining Order	HRO violation reported. Incident was referred to city attorney's office.
12:54 p.m.	Firearm Permits	Permit to Carry background check conducted.
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1:10 p.m.	Domestic Abuse Papers	Order for Protection papers received.
3:53 p.m.	Death	Natural cause death occurred in the City of La Crescent.
5:55 p.m.	Community Policing	Officer met with boy scout troop.
8:20 p.m.	Harassment Restraining Order	Harassment Restraining Order violation reported.
8:30 p.m.	Parking Complaint	CP Rail reported people parking their vehicles and crossing their tracks to access their properties.

Tuesday, April 25

1:31 a.m.	<i>Parking Complaint</i>	<i>Report of trailers parked on roadway.</i>
4:44 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Mabel, MN man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
4:51 a.m.	<i>Door Checks</i>	<i>Business door checks.</i>
11:57 a.m.	<i>Trespassing</i>	<i>Report of man walking on rail road bridge. Subject was gone on officer arrival.</i>
2:17 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop (TZD)</i>	<i>Brownsville, MN woman verbally warned for speeding.</i>
2:25 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop (TZD)</i>	<i>La Crosse, WI woman issued citation for speeding.</i>
3:06 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN man verbally warned for hands free violation, expired registration, and no proof of insurance.</i>
3:22 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop (TZD)</i>	<i>La Crosse, WI woman issued citation for speeding.</i>
4:31 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop (TZD)</i>	<i>Sioux Falls, SD woman verbally warned for speeding.</i>
5:25 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Brownsville, MN man verbally warned for expired registration and no proof of insurance.</i>
5:30 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop (TZD)</i>	<i>West Des Moines, IA woman verbally warned for speeding.</i>
6:25 p.m.	<i>911</i>	<i>Accidental 911 call investigated.</i>
7:25 p.m.	<i>Harassment</i>	<i>Verbal harassment report received.</i>

Wednesday, April 26

4:50 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Menomonie, WI man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
5:27 a.m.	<i>Community Policing</i>	<i>Business door checks.</i>
8:09 a.m.	<i>Found</i>	<i>Downed drone was located by resident.</i>
10:31 a.m.	<i>MAARC Report</i>	<i>Minnesota Adult Abuse Reporting Center report received.</i>
12:59 p.m.	<i>Juvenile</i>	<i>School staff reported a child that refused to go inside after recess.</i>
2:36 p.m.	<i>Firearm Permits</i>	<i>Permit to Purchase application received.</i>
4:07 p.m.	<i>Animal Complaint</i>	<i>Report of an animal that rips into a screen door in the night. The mystery mammal is persistent in its efforts and a live trap has been lent to the property owner. Currently awaiting capture.</i>
5:26 p.m.	<i>Traffic Complaint</i>	<i>Report of three motorcycles driving recklessly.</i>
5:30 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
6:16 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>West Salem, WI man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
7:02 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Houston, MN woman verbally warned for speeding.</i>
9:07 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN juvenile verbally warned for equipment violation.</i>

Thursday, April 27

4:31 a.m.	<i>Community Policing</i>	<i>Business door checks.</i>
5:00 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
11:52 a.m.	<i>Community Policing</i>	<i>Officer conducted a presentation about policing at the school.</i>
2:25 p.m.	<i>Assist Other Agency</i>	<i>Case follow up conducted.</i>
3:36 p.m.	<i>911</i>	<i>Accidental 911 call investigated.</i>
4:06 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Black River Falls, WI man verbally warned for speeding.</i>

6:47 p.m.	Permits	Burn permit.
8:24 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Onalaska, WI woman verbally warned for speeding.
9:50 p.m.	Traffic Complaint	Report of vehicle all over the road.
9:59 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Brownsville, MN man verbally warned for equipment violation.

Friday, April 28

4:58 a.m.	Community Policing	Business door checks.
9:24 a.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.
10:42 a.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
2:47 p.m.	Assist Other Agency	Assisted Houston County Sheriff's Office with apprehending man with warrants.
6:40 p.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
7:08 p.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
8:45 p.m.	Traffic Complaint	Parking warning tag placed on vehicle parked illegally.
9:10 p.m.	Suspicious	Suspicious/unusual vehicle located outside of business for an extended period of time.
10:57 p.m.	Assist Other Agency	Report of underage drinking in township. Call was sent to Houston County Sheriff's Office.

Saturday, April 29

8:38 a.m.	Suspicious	Report of people in boats in the flooded waters. Caller was concerned it was a burglary. Officers investigated and determined it was not.
11:29 a.m.	Domestic	Report of verbal domestic.
1:09 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Elk Mound, WI woman verbally warned for speeding.
1:17 p.m.	Community Policing	Event created for assistance with 5k run/walk.
9:30 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Manitowoc, WI woman verbally warned for speeding.
9:49 p.m.	Trouble with Party	Report of unruly juvenile at Prom. Juvenile left before the officer arrived.
10:24 p.m.	Parking Complaint	Warning tag placed on unattached camper on city street.
10:49 p.m.	Traffic Stop	La Crosse, WI juvenile verbally warned for stop sign violation.
11:16 p.m.	Found	Abandoned bicycle taken by police department after business reported it and wanted it moved.
11:54 p.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.

Sunday, April 30

12:30 a.m.	<i>Parking Complaint</i>	<i>Warning tag placed on vehicle parked over time limit.</i>
3:24 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
11:50 a.m.	<i>Information</i>	<i>Flood information logged.</i>
11:51 a.m.	<i>911</i>	<i>Accidental 911 call investigated.</i>
4:09 p.m.	<i>Animal Complaint</i>	<i>Mischievous dog confinement. The dog was later apprehended by its owner and returned home without further incident.</i>
4:57 p.m.	<i>Assist Other Agency</i>	<i>Assisted Houston County Sheriff's Office with domestic investigation.</i>
10:57 p.m.	<i>Damage to Property</i>	<i>Report of broken window at school. Damage had already been reported and was caused by snow removal equipment.</i>

Monday, May 1

1:22 p.m.	<i>Information</i>	<i>Report of scammer activity in the area.</i>
2:16 p.m.	<i>Animal Complaint</i>	<i>Defiant dog took off from home when nobody was watching it. An officer caught the dog and contacted the owner who was unable to come get the dog. The dog was booked into animal rescue without further incident.</i>
4:19 p.m.	<i>Information</i>	<i>Report of water valve leaking. Public works is aware of the situation.</i>
4:34 p.m.	<i>Found</i>	<i>Found cell phone. Returned to rightful owner upon proof of ownership.</i>
6:17 p.m.	<i>Medical</i>	<i>Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.</i>
8:55 p.m.	<i>Community Policing</i>	<i>Business door checks.</i>
9:26 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>La Crescent, MN woman verbally warned for equipment violation.</i>

Tuesday, May 2

9:17 a.m.	<i>Parking Complaint</i>	<i>Warning tag placed on vehicle parked over time limit.</i>
12:08 a.m.	<i>Fingerprinting</i>	<i>Fingerprinting for employment.</i>
2:21 p.m.	<i>Accident</i>	<i>Hit and Run reported. Case pending investigation.</i>
4:12 p.m.	<i>Harassment Restraining Order</i>	<i>Harassment Restraining Order violation reported and investigated.</i>
7:11 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Winona, MN woman issued citation for speeding.</i>
7:22 p.m.	<i>Parking Complaint</i>	<i>Multiple residents warned for unattached trailer after receiving resident complaint. All owners had been warned before and were advised further noncompliance would result in citations.</i>
11:48 p.m.	<i>Suspicious</i>	<i>Officer observed vehicle with lone occupant stopped at park after hours. Contact was made with the driver who was advised of park hours.</i>

Wednesday, May 3

5:32 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>St. Landry, LA man verbally warned for speeding.</i>
6:49 a.m.	<i>Juvenile</i>	<i>Report of young child on top of house roof.</i>

7:03 a.m.	Community Policing	Bike to School Day escort.
8:35 a.m.	Extra Patrol	Extra patrol requested in the area of the elementary school for drivers passing in the bike lane.
9:57 a.m.	Motor Vehicle Unlock	Assisted La Crescent, MN woman with unlocking her vehicle.
11:26 a.m.	Accident	Two vehicle accident reported. La Crescent, MN woman was issued a citation for careless driving, driving after revocation, and uninsured motorist.
7:03 p.m.	Animal Complaint	Feral felines wreaking havoc on resident. Live trap was issued to catch the cats.
9:01 p.m.	Welfare Check	Welfare check requested. Subject was in need of medical assistance. La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance provided care.
10:01 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Winona, MN woman verbally warned for speeding.
10:59 p.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.

Thursday, May 4

2:03 a.m.	Information	Mental health information noted.
4:32 a.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
6:47 a.m.	Medical	Assisted La Crescent First Responders and Tri-State Ambulance with medical.
9:45 a.m.	Information	Federal Firearm license renewal application notice received.
12:26 p.m.	911	Accidental 911 call investigated.
3:42 p.m.	Motorist Assist	Assisted Winona, MN woman whose vehicle broke down.
8:39 p.m.	Welfare Check	Officers responded to check welfare of resident possibly in distress.

Friday, May 5

3:14 a.m.	Information	Report of a man who stole his wife's vehicle in Winona who was traveling to La Crosse, WI to purchase drugs. Officers notified to watch out for suspect vehicle but the vehicle was returned home shortly after the call.
11:40 a.m.	Theft	Report of stolen items.
2:32 p.m.	Information	School staff reported that kids cleaning up trash found an abandoned BB gun designed to replicate an actual firearm. Item was turned over to officer.
3:01 p.m.	Permits	Permit to Purchase application received.
3:09 p.m.	Scams	Resident provided their banking information to a scammer.
4:32 p.m.	Trespassing	Report of juveniles trespassing on private property after school. Extra patrol to be conducted.
9:45 p.m.	Suspicious	Report of loud bang and smell of possible gas leak. Fire Department responded and verified no gas leak was present.
10:08 p.m.	Traffic Stop	Winona, MN woman verbally warned for equipment violation and expired registration.
10:25 p.m.	Traffic Stop	La Crescent, MN juvenile verbally warned for stop sign violation.
11:25 p.m.	Civil Matter	Barge beached itself on Shore Acres causing home damage.

Saturday, May 6

2:35 a.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Houston, MN woman verbally warned for equipment violation.</i>
3:08 a.m.	<i>Assist Other Agency</i>	<i>Assisted Houston County Sheriff's Office with attempting to locate suspect vehicle.</i>
8:55 a.m.	<i>Animal Complaint</i>	<i>Stray cat left bamboozled after entering live trap. The cat had the last laugh when it escaped custody, turning the tables on the officer.</i>
10:52 a.m.	<i>Information</i>	<i>Road rage incident involving a firearm occurred on Interstate 90 and the suspect vehicle was reported exiting towards La Crescent.</i>
1:33 p.m.	<i>Death</i>	<i>La Crescent resident found deceased. No threat to the public.</i>
5:16 p.m.	<i>Scams</i>	<i>La Crescent resident fell victim to online scam/fraud.</i>
7:23 p.m.	<i>Suspicious</i>	<i>Report of suspicious man walking through resident's yard.</i>
10:22 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Rochester, MN woman verbally warned for equipment violation.</i>
10:31 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Hokah, MN woman verbally warned for equipment violation.</i>
11:19 p.m.	<i>Traffic Stop</i>	<i>Onalaska, WI woman verbally warned for stop sign violation.</i>