

## Situational Report for June 7, 2020

On June 7, 2020, at approximately 9 p.m., SHPD was advised of a large group of protesters that could potentially travel towards Shorewood. Information received regarding the group indicated the group consisted of approximately 200 cars and about 150 people on foot.

At 11:07 pm, the group was stopped on N. Oakland Ave. and E. Hartford Ave. when a car ran into one of the protestors causing an injury and argument. In addition to the traffic crash, it was reported a Domestic Violence incident was occurring at that location between parties that were in the group. MPD responded to both incidents.

At 11:31 p.m. the group traveled northbound on N. Maryland Ave. toward Shorewood. They traveled northbound on N. Maryland Ave. toward E. Capitol Dr.

At about 12:13 a.m. on 6/8/20, the group traveled west on E. Capitol Dr. and stopped at E. Capitol Dr. and N. Oakland Ave. Many people began getting into vehicles. They then proceeded westbound on E. Capitol Dr. and then Northbound on N. Morris Bl, then westbound on E. Elmdale Ct. and North on N. Ardmore Ave. to pass in front of the Shorewood resident's house who had been previously arrested. The protestors made a lot of noise while going past the residence and then proceeded northbound on N. Wilson Dr. At this point the group started to disperse in multiple directions. Some began to drive recklessly on N. Wilson Dr. A pickup truck was reported to have driven up onto the lawn in front of the police department striking a small tree. Possibly the same truck then struck the Bublr bicycle rack on Wilson at Capitol and destroyed the entire bike rental rack. There is no suspect information at this time.

At about 1:03 a.m. it was clear that this was no longer an organized peaceful protest as numerous vehicles were engaging in destructive and dangerous behavior. Officers activated their emergency lights and started to shut down streets. Most of the vehicles went south on N. Wilson Dr. and then west on E. Capitol Dr.

At about 1:33 a.m. SHPD officers observed a parked car being entered at E. Kensington Ave. and N. Newhall St. The suspects saw officers and fled. The officers attempted to pursue the vehicle but it fled at a high rate of speed and out of sight of officers.

Shorewood Officers documented and photographed the damage to the tree and bicycle rental station near the Shorewood Police department. It is unknown at this time if the same auto damaged both items.

