

Eagle Lake Police Department Report

The Eagle Lake Police Department (ELPD) reported the following calls and cases for the week ending May 25.

May 18

At 7:31 am, Officer Brandon Wilson was dispatched to the 800 block of E. Main St. in regards to an activated alarm. All was found to be in order.

At 9:24 am, Officer Wilson was dispatched to smoke in a pasture on FM 3013. Wilson saw no flames and concluded that the fire had burned itself out.

At 10 am, Chief W. E. Lattimore met with a complainant at the PD in regards to a past assault. Information was received.

At 1:25 pm, Officer Wilson met with a comp. at the PD in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 3:40 pm, Officer Wilson enforced the 18-wheeler ordinance in the 700 block of Church St.

At 6:25 pm, Sgt. David Wiese spoke via phone with a caller in regard to narcotics activity. Information was received.

At 9:34 pm, Sgt. Wiese was dispatched to Honeydew Lane in regards to a suspicious person. The described person was not located.

At 9:54 pm, Sgt. Wiese was dispatched to the 700 block of Tate St. in regards to a welfare concern. All was found to be in order.

May 19

At 10:27 am, Officer Wilson met with a comp. at the PD in regards to a loose dog. Information was received.

At Noon, Chief Lattimore spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 12:18 pm, Chief Lattimore met with a comp. in regards to damaged property. Information was received.

At 1:42 pm, Sgt. Wiese met with a comp. at the PD in regards to missing property. Information

was received.

At 3:06 pm, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 300 block of N. McCarty St. in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 3:45 pm, Sgt. Wiese was flagged down in the 300 block of Mills St. in regards to threats. Information was received.

At 5:35 pm, Sgt. Wiese was dispatched to the 500 block of Pendleton St. in regards to damaged property. Information was received.

At 7:45 pm, Officer John Williams was dispatched to the 700 block of S. McCarty St. in regards to an activated alarm. All was found to be in order.

May 20

At 12:11 am, Officer Williams initiated a traffic stop in the 800 S. McCarty St. 31 year-old Larry Parker was arrested for driving while license invalid and possession of drug paraphernalia. Parker was processed at the PD and released with a citation.

At 10:15 am, Chief Lattimore spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 11:26 am, Officer Malcolm Carter was dispatched to the 500 block of Pendleton St. in regards to suspicious activity. Information was received.

At 1:15 pm, Chief Lattimore was dispatched to the Kevin Court Apartments in regards to a disturbance. The matter was settled at the scene.

At 1:50 pm, Chief Lattimore spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 5:25 pm, Chief Lattimore, Sgt. S. D. Nelson and Officer John Sebastian assisted the Colorado County Sheriff's Department.

At 7:51 pm, Officer Sebastian received a call of a missing child. The child was located before Sebastian arrived.

At 8:09 pm, Officer Sebastian was dispatched to the 1500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a welfare concern. All was found to be in order.

At 8:57 pm, Officer Sebastian was dispatched to Seaholm St. in regards to suspicious activity. The described activity was not located.

May 21

At 7:22 am, Officer Carter was dispatched to the Airport in regards to damaged property. Case open for investigation.

At 11:05 am, Officer Carter was dispatched to the 500 block of Stephens St. in regards to a disturbance. 36 year-old Frederick Wilkes was arrested for assault by threat/family violence. Wilkes was processed at the PD and transported to the Colorado County Detention Center (CCDC) for confinement.

At 3:30 pm, Officer Carter was dispatched to the intersection of Prairie and Tate Streets in regards to solicitors. Warnings were issued for violating the city of Eagle Lakes ordinance.

At 9:39 pm, Officer Sebastian met with a repo man at the PD. Information was received.

May 22

At 12:59 am, Officer Sebastian was dispatched to the 1600 block of E. Main St. in regards to an activated alarm. All was found to be in order.

At 3:29 am, Officer Sebastian spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a welfare concern. Information was received.

At 4:59 am, Officer Sebastian was dispatched to the Kevin Court Apartments in regards to suspicious noises. The source of the noise was not located.

At 8:30 am, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the intersection of FM 3013 and Hwy 90A in regards to a reckless driver. The described vehicle was not located.

At 8:46 am, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 200 block of Johnson St. in regards to a welfare concern. All was found to be in order.

At 9:51 am, Officer Wilson provided a business escort.

At 12:22 pm, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 200 block of Center St. in regards to a suspicious person. The described person was not located.

At 1:13 pm, Officer Wilson issued a citation for a violation of the city of Eagle Lake's animal control ordinance.

May 23

At 12:57 am, Sgt. Wiese met with a comp. at the PD in regards to an ongoing juvenile problem. Information was received.

At 8:30 am, Officer Wilson was dispatched to Austin Road in regards to a stranded motorist. Assistance was provided.

At 2 pm, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 200 block of Airline St. in regards to a dog bite. Information was received.

At 3 pm, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 5:17 pm, Sgt. Wiese was dispatched to N. Lake St. in regards to kids putting objects on the RR tracks. The kids were not located.

At 6:55 pm, Officer Williams was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 9:32 pm, Sgt. Wiese was dispatched to the 400 block of Pendleton St. in regards to loud music. The music was turned down.

May 24

At 7:13 am, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 300 block of Stockbridge St. in regards to a suspicious person. The described person was gone when Wilson arrived.

At 7:22 am, Officer Wilson arrested 36 year-old Patrick Middleton on an outstanding warrant for failure to appear on an original criminal trespass charge. Middleton was processed at the PD and transported to the CCDC for confinement.

At 1:40 pm, Officer Wilson was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive

off. Information was received. At 10:35 pm, Sgt. Wiese was flagged down in the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a motorist assist.

May 25

At 12:23 pm, Officer Carter met

with a comp. at the PD in regards to loose dogs. Information was received.

At 1:10 pm, Officer Carter met with a comp. at the PD in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.



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Steve and Linda Balas of Eagle Lake met with local Congressman Lloyd Doggett during a recent trip to Washington, D.C. Balas, owner of the Eagle Lake Drug Store and member of the Lower Colorado River Authority Board of Directors, attended the annual Legislative Conference of the National Community Pharmacy Association. Congressman Doggett is a supporter of the Community Pharmacy Fairness Act, a bill to level the playing field for independent pharmacies by allowing them to negotiate fair contracts with health plans to benefit patients.

Disaster Assistance For Small Business

Small, non-farm businesses in the Texas counties of Calhoun, Fayette, Fisher, Foard, Motley and the neighboring counties of Aransas, Austin, Bastrop, Baylor, Briscoe, Caldwell, Colorado, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Gonzales, Hall, Hardeman, Jackson, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Lavaca, Lee, Matagorda, Mitchell, Nolan, Refugio, Scurry, Stonewall, Taylor, Victoria, Washington, and Wilbarger are eligible to apply for low-interest disaster loans from the U. S. Small Business Administration (SBA).

These loans offset economic losses because of reduced revenues caused by a drought in Calhoun, Fayette, Fisher, Foard, and Motley Counties from January 1 through December 31, 2008, announced Alfred E. Judd, Director of SBA's Disaster Field Operations Center - West.

Small businesses may qualify for Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDLs) of up to \$2.0 million to help meet financial obligations and operating expenses, which could have been met, had the disaster not occurred.

"Eligibility for these working capital loans is based on the financial impact of the disaster only and not on any actual property damage.

These loans have an interest rate of 4%, a maximum term of 30 years, and are restricted to small businesses without the financial ability to offset the adverse impact without hardship,"

Judd said.

By law, SBA makes EIDLs available when the U. S. Secretary of Agriculture designates an agricultural disaster.

Secretary Tom Vilsack declared this disaster at the request of Governor Rick Perry.

Businesses primarily engaged in farming or ranching are not eligible for SBA disaster assistance. Agricultural enterprises should contact the Farm Services Agency (FSA) about the U. S. Department

of Agriculture (USDA) assistance made available by the Secretary's declaration. However, in drought disasters nurseries are eligible for SBA disaster assistance.

For information and application forms, call toll-free (800) 659-2955, or visit SBA's website at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.

Hearing impaired individuals may call (800) 877-8339.

The deadline to apply for these loans is January 19, 2010.

Rover's Snoring Could Be Due To Season Allergies

The same pollen and allergens that keep you from enjoying your garden come the warmer weather could also be affecting your pet.

Now that more dogs spend time snuggling up to their pet parents in bed or share the same room at night, many people are discovering that their pooch has a snoring problem.

Dogs snore for many of the same reasons people do. Causes can include being overweight, nasal obstructions, illness, and allergies.

Some dogs with flat faces and compact noses may be more prone to snoring as well. Secondhand smoke can be another cause.

By visiting a veterinarian you

can help rule out certain causes of the snoring. If together with the vet you determine that the cause of the snoring is allergies, you don't have to lose anymore sleep.

Pollen counts are generally the highest in the morning and at night. Walk your dog during the afternoon when the levels are lower. Also, keep your pet out of the garden during peak pollen times.

Allergies other than from the environment may be the result of additives in dog food or from flea and tick products.

Talk about your concerns with the veterinarian to choose products that may help your dog to be more comfortable.

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