

**SHERIFF GENE CARY REPORTS THE FOLLOWING
ONGOING ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR AND
NARRATIVE EXCERPTS FROM THE WEEK ENDING **June 23**, 2008**

6/16 Two stray dogs were reported running on Tainter Hollow Road, Town of Franklin.

6/17 Michael Ribauda swerved to miss a deer and lost control of his vehicle, hitting a guardrail on State Highway 56, Town of Viroqua. He then overturned and went down a steep embankment, with the vehicle coming to a rest on its top in a creek bed. He reported no injuries at the time of the accident.

6/18 The Department responded to a call about people burning tires on County Road A, Town of Union. The call was investigated and forwarded to the DNR.

6/18 James Brown, Viroqua, lost control of his vehicle on South Asbury Road, Town of Viroqua, and struck a burn barrel belonging to Donald White, Viroqua.

6/19 Sometime between May 27 and today, a round bale feeder was stolen from Michael Sebion, Town of Webster. The feeder is yellow-brown and has four missing dividers.

6/19 A two-vehicle crash occurred when Jennifer Fischer, Stoddard, was blinded by the sun and pulled onto Wiese Lane, Town of Bergen, striking a trailer being pulled by Michael Nickelatti, Stoddard.

6/20 Rodney Davidson, Westby, called the Department to complain that Scott Construction had road equipment parked on his driveway by his garage.

6/20 Frances Sugden, Elroy, called the department to report that two sheep were stolen from her property. One sheep was a black and white neutered male, and the other was a white ewe, weighing approximately 100 pounds.

6/21 Jacob Waller, Genoa, lost control of his vehicle on a curve of Hickory Ridge Road, Town of Genoa, and hit the guardrail. No injuries were reported at the time of the accident.

6/21 Servando Gonzalez-Vasquez, Ontario, lost control of his vehicle on Pleasant Street, Village of Ontario, and struck a tree. Moderate injuries were reported at the time of the accident.

6/21 David Oliver, La Crosse, lost control of his vehicle and struck the guardrail on County Road K, Town of Hamburg. His vehicle then crossed the centerline and struck the guardrail on the other side of the road. He was transported to Gundersen Lutheran Medical Center due to his injuries.

6/21 Kevin Wang, La Crosse, hit a cow on US Highway 14, Town of Viroqua. The cow belonged to Lucy Roger, Westby.

6/22 Six horses belonging to Dan Icenogle were reported loose on Highway 14, Town of Kickapoo.

6/22 A burglary was reported at a residence on Bad Axe Road, Town of Genoa. Taken were two John Deere chain saws and two five gallon gas cans with gas. Also taken were two Craftsman toolboxes with tools for the chainsaw, various sockets and wrenches. A Toshiba laptop and a Cannon scanner were also taken.

06/23 **3** car-deer crash reported this week, as follows:
Christine Netteshiem, Ferryville, on State Highway 82, Town of Sterling;
Amanda Langaard, Westby, on County Road B, Town of Jefferson;
Mary Derouin, Janesville, on US Highway 14, Town of Kickapoo.

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	This past week	This year
Alarm Responses	6	123
Animal Related Issues	12	381
Assisting Municipalities	25	602
Crimes Against People	39	602
Crimes Against Property	19	325
Domestic Crimes	6	57
Fire Responses	28	793
Medical Responses	42	935
Mental Health Cases	3	59
Missing Person Investigations	4	127
Safety Escorts	5	92
Search and Rescues	0	14
Security Check	63	2764
Serving Legal Documents	33	756

Suspicious Activity Investigations	18	295
Threat Investigation	1	16
Traffic Accidents	28	710
Traffic Related Investigations	115	2722
Vehicle Lockouts	15	241
Weapons Investigation	0	6
Unclassified Calls for Assistance	53	1263

TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	567	14,466
ADMISSIONS INTO COUNTY JAIL	25	676

IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION ON AN ABOVE CRIME, OR ANY CRIME, CALL
 VERNON COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS AT 637-8477 OR 1-800-657-6868.

Gene Cary, Sheriff