

EMAIL SPAM INFO

Email spam can come in many disguises. It may claim you have won a foreign lottery or can share in an overseas inheritance. Maybe it's a money-making scheme or an illegal seller of medicines. A simple rule: If you don't know the sender of the email message, don't open it! The FTC (Federal Trade Commission) gives you the chance to go one step further. If you get spam email that you think is deceptive, forward it tospan@uce.gov. The FTC uses this database to pursue law-enforcement actions against those who send spam. You should also check your internet service provider's (ISP) website to find out where to report spam directly to the ISP.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION about IDENTITY THEFT

Identity Theft is real and affects many residents in our city. Precautions that should be taken involve the use of your credit and debit cards. Many card companies will call you if they see suspicious activity on your account. First and foremost, the companies do not ask for your account numbers or personal information when they call you. Questions will be asked about the suspicious activity such as; on-line charges from out of state or large item purchases. When shopping and using 'plastic', keep receipts with you and not with the merchandise. Do not throw out receipts in trash containers outside the businesses - there is enough information on the receipts allowing access to your accounts. Review your accounts frequently for unauthorized activity.

When traveling or leaving your residence for a period of time; place holds on mail and newspapers, contact neighbors or family to keep an eye on your property, use timing devices on lights and contact police for vacation checks. No matter if leaving for the evening or extended periods of time, always secure the doors and windows. If you observe suspicious activity, contact 911 immediately as you are more familiar with the activities in your neighborhood.

If you see something that makes you feel uneasy, call 911!

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

As a reminder to all residents, please do not let people into your homes that you do not know, especially those that show up at your door unannounced and unexpected.

All solicitors and peddlers are required to register and obtain a permit from the Township of Flushing prior to carrying out these activities. This permit must be carried at all times by the solicitor and shown to anyone requesting to see it. Especially in these troubled economic times, there are those using false pretenses (such as pretending to inspect your home to qualify you for government assisted repairs) who have **NOT** been investigated by the Police Department and have **NOT** been issued a permit. **Do not let them into your home.** If any solicitors or peddlers come to your home, ask to see their permit from the Township. If they do not have a permit, if they refuse to leave when asked, or if they are in any way suspicious, rude, or treating you in other than a courteous and professional manner, **CALL 911** immediately so that the Police Department can check these people out. Even if you feel this is not an emergency, **CALL 911** as this is the only way an officer can be dispatched to investigate.

Charter Township of Flushing Police Department

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Brian Fairchild
Chief of Police

Office & Information
810-659-0809
Police Service 911

April 2016 Police Department Statistics

2016

Activity / Date	April
Police Runs	169
Assists	28
Felony Arrests	0
Misd. Arrests	5
Juv.Felony Arrest	0
Juv.Misd.Arrest	2
Persons Invest.	229
Vehicle Invest.	82
Code Enforcement	1
UD-10/Accident	9
Non.Accident Rpt	72
Business Checks	850
Vacation Checks	390
Subdivision Checks	666
Traffic Stops	53
Traffic Citations	8
Traffic Warnings	37
Medicals	7
Alarms	12
OWI	1

MILEAGE	April
Patrol Car 27-1	94191
Patrol Car 27-2	34225
Patrol Car 27-3	82435
Patrol Car 27-4	81887

- 1 – Assault and Battery / Simple Assault
- 1 – CSC
- 1 – Intimidation
- 1 – Computer/Internet used for Harassment, Threats
- 3 – Larceny (2-Buildings, 1-Mail)
- 1 – Uttering and Publishing Checks
- 2 – Disturbing the Peace
- 1 – Disorderly Conduct
- 1 - MDOP
- 1 – Minor in Possession
- 1 – Animals – Cruelty to
- 2 – Motor Vehicle Accidents (Failure to report and stop and identify)