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SHERIFF JOHN SPEARS REPORTS THE FOLLOWING ONGOING ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR AND NARRATIVE EXCERPTS FROM THE WEEK ENDING August 6, 2018.

08/02 Milan Gilman, Viroqua, was traveling westbound on Main Street, in the Village of DeSoto. Gilman reported a tie rod broke on the vehicle, which caused him to lose control of the vehicle, and strike a utility pole. No injuries were reported.

08/04 Ian Erbecker, Wausau, was traveling westbound on State Highway 33, in the Village of Ontario. Erbecker was negotiating a curve in the roadway, collided with the guardrail, and slid off the road. Erbecker was able to move his motorcycle off the roadway. Erbecker received a scrape on his left rib cage, and a scrape on his right elbow, but declined medical treatment.

08/05 Campbell Stowell, Richland Center, was traveling westbound on State Highway 82, in the Town of Hillsboro. Stowell reached to grab an item, and traveled too far onto the gravel shoulder. Stowell lost control, went down the ditch, and stuck a communications box and a fence. The vehicle came to a rest facing eastbound. No injuries were reported.

08/05 Alvin Felch, Soldiers Grove, was backing out of a parking stall in the Crazy Franks Flea Market parking lot, in the Village of Readstown, and struck a legally and unoccupied vehicle, owned by Jeffrey Marsh, Westby. No injuries were sustained.

08/05 Seth Reuben Paulson, La Farge, was traveling eastbound on State Highway 82, in the Town of Viroqua. Reuben Paulson became distracted, and drove off the shoulder of the roadway into the ditch. Reuben Paulson attempted to steer back onto the road, although the vehicle already rolled several times, so he was unsuccessful. No injuries were reported.

08/05 Taylor Kozelka, Prairie du Chien, was backing out of a parking stall in the Kwik Trip parking lot, in the Village of Stoddard. Kozelka struck a pole, and received damage to the rear driver's side. No injuries were received.

08/06 0 reportable car / deer crashes.

Table with 3 columns: Category, This past week, Year to Date. Rows include Alarm Responses (2, 249), Animal Related Issues (33, 733), and Assisting Municipalities (32, 1029).

Crimes Against People	14	469
Crimes Against Property	15	462
Domestic Crimes	2	85
Fire Responses	32	1202
K-9 Calls	1	19
Medical Responses	38	1128
Mental Health Cases	3	88
Missing Person Investigations	10	167
Public Talks	0	11
Safety Escorts	9	190
School Walk Through	0	305
Search and Rescues	0	8
Security Check	103	3738
Serving Legal Documents	17	646
Suspicious Activity Investigations	28	562
Threat Investigations	3	52
Traffic Accidents	18	724
Traffic Related Investigations	95	3227
Vehicle Lockouts	9	269
Weapons Investigation	0	16
Unclassified Calls for Assistance	46	1892
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	557	18668
ADMISSIONS INTO COUNTY JAIL	23	545

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

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John B. Spears, Sheriff