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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **Deputies Respond to Multiple Incidents on County Buses**

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Sheriff deputies responded to multiple incidents on the Milwaukee County Transit System since 4:00 p.m. today.

Today at 4:00 p.m., TEU deputies on route 27 arrested a 50-year-old man for delivering and selling THC to a woman at a bus shelter. The 26-year-old woman was with her 7-year-old daughter. Both adults were taken into custody and the child was referred to Child Protective Services. The child indicated two other children, age 5 and 9, were at home alone, but deputies found them with the mother's boyfriend.

The mother faces charges of Possession of a Controlled Substance-THC and Child Neglect, both misdemeanor charges. The man was arrested for Possession with Intent to Deliver-THC, within 1000 feet from a school. Both were transported to the County Correctional Facility-Central.

Three other incidents occurred between 7:45 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Five high school students were arrested on a bus at 91<sup>st</sup> and Fond du Lac Avenue involving a fight between several females and a male student who pepper sprayed them and passengers on the bus. A witness was also arrested for disorderly conduct. The juvenile male who used pepper spray faces Felony Battery to Transit Passenger and Disorderly Conduct while Armed charges and was turned over to the Juvenile Justice Center. Three others face felony charges for Battery to Transit Passenger and were turned over to the CCF-C. Several passengers required medical care due to the pepper spray. Another female received a disorderly conduct citation and was taken to the CCF-C where she was booked and released.

Freeway squads responded to an incident on a bus at 35<sup>th</sup> and Hampton when subjects were throwing rocks at a bus and a passenger kicked out a window. The passenger faces Criminal Damage to Property charges.

The last incident occurred at 35<sup>th</sup> and Highland, and involved three men who knew each other and were involved in a fight. The victim refused medical treatment, and the suspects fled before officers arrived.

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