



LYTLE POLICE WEEKLY REPORT

August 11, 2025 – August 17, 2025



Monday, August 11

10:09 AM Ofc. A. Lopez – Assist Atascosa County Sheriff's Office – 200 Blk. Los Palomas
Officer responded outside the city limits of Lytle to assist in an active disturbance.

1:57 PM Ofc. A. Lopez/ Sgt. D. Lopez/ Capt. M. Dear – Suspicious Activity – HEB Plus (19300 Blk. McDonald St.) Officers responded to a report of a male selling fake jewelry. Officer made contact with the male, who was a suspect in a theft of a gold necklace from last week. Vasile Caldararu (28) and Larisa Brebnel (28) were detained. It was discovered that they were both wearing ankle monitors (for immigration violations). Paperwork showed they were Romanian and under ICE supervision. A check with ICE (Immigration and Customs Enforcement) confirmed they had not reported as required. The details of the situation were revealed to ICE, and they asked that we detain them. They were both picked up at the PD and taken into Federal custody. The stolen necklace from last week was recovered and returned to its owner.

3:45 PM Cpl. Robison – Follow-Up Investigation – Lytle PD
Officer obtained a written statement for an open theft case.

4:40 PM Ofc. Garcia – Assist Lytle VFD – 16600 Blk. FM 2790
Officer responded outside the city limits of Lytle to a fire to assist the Fire Department.

5:00 PM Cpl. Robison – Property Release – Lytle PD
Officer released a Gold Chain to the owner that was recovered from a theft on 8/8/2025 at the HEB Plus.

8:38 PM Ofc. Tafolla / Ofc. Reyes / Ofc. Garcia – Reckless Driver – 16100 Blk. Farmer
Officers responded to a report of a vehicle doing donuts in the street but could not locate it.

11:50 PM Ofc. Tafolla – Suspicious Activity – 18800 Blk. Pine St.
Officer observed an open vehicle door. Everything was okay.

Tuesday, August 12

8:30 AM Cpl. Robison – Assist the Public – Lytle PD
Officer fingerprinted two females for employment purposes.



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8:41 AM Ofc. Diaz – Assist Motorist – IH 35 NB

Officer responded to assist a male driver in changing a flat tire.

4:49 PM Cpl. Robison – Property Release – Friendly Glen's Towing (700 Blk. SH 132)

Officer released the keys to an impounded vehicle.

5:44 PM Ofc. A. Lopez – Disturbance – Whataburger (19500 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer responded to a report of a verbal disturbance between a male and a female. The male had departed before the officer's arrival.

8:30 PM Ofc. Garcia – Assist the Public – 18800 Blk. N. Prairie St.

Officer provided a courtesy ride to a local resident.

Wednesday, August 13

12:34 AM Ofc. Garcia – Water Problem – Alexander Insurance (19200 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer observed water running in the parking lot and turned the hose off.

12:57 AM Ofc. Tafolla – Open Door – Texas Grappling (15000 Blk. Main St.)

Officer observed an open door and was unable to secure it.

8:37 AM Ofc. Diaz – Neighbor Dispute – 300 Blk. San Jose St.

Officer responded outside the city limits of Lytle for a neighbor dispute over filling a ditch.

2:50 PM Ofc. Diaz – Traffic Hazard – 20000 Blk IH 35 – Debris in the Roadway

3:45 PM Ofc. Garcia – Courtesy Ride – Dollar General (14800 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer provided a courtesy ride to a citizen.

3:53 PM Ofc. Diaz – Lost Property – Best Western Plus

Officer responded to the location after city crews reported a water meter missing

4:26 PM Ofc. Garcia – Suspicious Vehicle – 20000 Blk. Hyde Park

Officer responded to the location for a report of a suspicious vehicle. Officer located the vehicle, and all was fine.



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8:00 PM Ofc. Garcia / Ofc. Reyes / Ofc. Tafolla – Assist Agency - 400 Blk. Naeglin Rd.

Officers responded outside the city limits of Lytle to assist the Atascosa County Sheriff's Office with a disturbance.

Thursday, August 14

5:30 AM Ofc. Tafolla / Ofc. Reyes – Utility Issue – FM 2790 N @ FM 463

Officers responded to the location for a report of a water leak. Public Works was notified, and all was fine.

3:21 PM Ofc. A. Lopez – Theft – Stripes (19500 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer responded to the location for a report of \$250 worth of lottery tickets stolen from the store office.

3:54 PM Ofc. Diaz – Suspicious Person – N. Prairie St. @ Laredo St.

Officer responded to the location for a report of a suspicious person. Officer was unable to locate the vehicle.

4:53 PM Ofc. Diaz – Found Property – Bill Miller's BBQ (19700 Blk. IH 35)

Officer responded to the location for found property (small purple bag).

5:41 PM Ofc. Garcia / Ofc. Diaz / Ofc. A. Lopez – DWI – Stripes (19500 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officers responded to the location for a report of an intoxicated driver. Michael Mendiola (38) was arrested and booked into the Atascosa County Jail for Driving While Intoxicated.

8:17 PM Ofc. Tafolla / Ofc. Reyes – Family Disturbance

Officers responded to the location for a disturbance. Investigation resulted in the arrest of a 16-year-old male for two counts of Assault Bodily Injury – Family Violence, Assault on a Public Servant, and Resisting Arrest. The juvenile was booked into the Atascosa County Juvenile Detention Facility.

Friday, August 15

5:57 AM Ofc. Tafolla / Ofc. Reyes / Ofc. Mendez – Welfare Check – Little Caesars (19500 Blk. IH 35)

Officers responded to the location to check the welfare of a female who appeared to be involved in a disturbance. Officers located the parties, and all was fine.



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11:51 AM Ofc. Mendez – Assist Lost Motorist – 14600 Blk. FM 2790

Officer was flagged down and assisted a lost motorist with directions.

11:54 AM Ofc. Mendez / Capt. Dear / Ofc. A. Lopez – Suspicious Person – N. Somerset St. @ Laredo St. Officers responded to the area for a report of a suspicious person. Officers located the subject who had a solicitor's permit from the city.

2:35 PM Ofc. Mendez / Capt. Dear / Sgt. D. Lopez / Ofc A. Lopez – Suspicious Person – 20000 Blk. Huckleberry St. Officers responded to the area for a suspicious male walking around. Officers located the male who was soliciting without a permit.

3:19 PM Ofc. A. Lopez – Red Tagged Vehicle – IH 35 @ MM 132 SB

Officer responded to the area to red-tag a 2008 Ford F-250 left abandoned along the highway.

5:15 PM Ofc. Mendez – Vehicle Unlock – 15100 Blk. Norvell St. – Unlocked 2020 Jeep

5:17 PM Ofc. A. Lopez / Ofc. Mendez / Ofc. Cortez – Traffic Accident – IH 35 MM 132 SB

Officers responded to the location for a report of 3 vehicles that had struck debris in the roadway, causing damage to their vehicles.

5:30 PM Ofc. A. Lopez – Suspicious Circumstances – IH 35 MM 132 SB

While officers were investigating the previous crash, it was determined that the road debris was from a vehicle that had been red-tagged and then moved. The owner arrived and advised that an unknown person attempted to move his vehicle, which caused the damage and debris in the roadway.

5:55 PM Ofc. Cortez – Civil Matter – 19400 Blk. S. Somerset St.- Child Custody Civil Matter

7:38 PM Ofc. Cortez / Ofc. Barrera – Minor Accident – Burger King (19300 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officers responded to the location for a minor single-vehicle accident.

9:05 PM Ofc. Barrera / Ofc. Cortez – Assist Atascosa EMS – HEB Plus (19300 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officers responded to the location to assist with a medical call.



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10:35 PM Ofc. Barrera / Ofc. Cortez – Minor Accident – 702 Tejas (15300 Blk. Main St.)

Officers responded to a minor 2-vehicle accident. Officers determined that the vehicle that caused the accident departed before police arrived after striking a parked vehicle.

Saturday, August 16

1:27 AM Ofc. Barrera – 911 Hang-Up – 19600 Blk. S. Benton St.

Officer responded to the location for a 911 hang-up. Officers contacted the resident and determined the call was an accident.

2:36 AM Ofc. Cortez – Welfare Check – Davis St. @ Main St.

While on patrol, the officer checked the welfare of a female observed walking alone and crying. The officer learned that the female was involved in a verbal disturbance at a local establishment and was walking home.

11:39 AM Ofc. Mendez – Information Request – Oak St. @ S. Somerset St.

Officer was flagged down by a passing motorist who had questions about flooding along CR 6846. The subject was advised to contact the Medina County Sheriff's Office.

12:05 PM Capt. Dear – Follow-Up – Lytle Police Station (15200 Blk. Hester St.)

Officer conducted a follow-up related to a minor accident that occurred at 702 Tejas. Officer was able to identify the other vehicle and driver.

5:49 PM Ofc. Mendez – Disorderly Conduct – Auto Zone (19200 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer responded to the location for the report of a male urinating in public. Upon arrival, it was learned that the subject had already departed.

9:56 PM Ofc. Cortez / Ofc. Barrera – Suspicious Vehicle – Tassel Branch @ Voyagers Way

Officers responded to the location for a reported suspicious vehicle. The officer determined it was a cleaning crew, and all was fine.

10:30 PM Ofc. Barrera – Motorist Assist – Whataburger (19500 Blk. McDonald St.)

Officer was flagged down by a motorist who needed a jump start.



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10:33 PM Ofc. Cortez / Ofc. Barrera – Disturbance – 14500 Blk. Railroad St.

Officers responded to the location for a reported disturbance. It was determined that all was verbal and there was no criminal offense.

Sunday, August 17

12:34 AM Ofc. Barrera / Ofc. Cortez – Harassment / Warrant Service Arrest – 19200 Blk. First St. Officers responded to the location for a harassment report. While investigating, the Officer determined the complainant had an active warrant out of Bexar County for Burglary of a Habitation. Felicia Salinas-Perez (39) was booked into the Medina County Jail.

1:20 AM Ofc. Cortez – Welfare Check – 15500 Blk. Main St.

While on patrol, the officer checked the welfare of a female seen sitting in the grass. Officer discovered the female had been involved in a verbal disturbance and left. Officer gave a courtesy ride to the Whataburger.

2:33 AM Ofc. Cortez – Assist Atascosa EMS – 19800 Blk. Doc Holiday Dr.

Officer responded to the location to assist EMS.

8:00 AM Capt. Dear – Lost Property – Lytle PD (15200 Blk. Hester St.) – Lost Wallet

9:32 AM Ofc. Mendez / Capt. Dear – Welfare Check – 19300 Blk. McDonald St.

Officers responded to the area to check the welfare of a homeless male. The man was okay.

10:49 AM Ofc. Mendez / Capt. Dear - Disturbance – 19800 Blk. Creek St.

Officers responded to the location for a verbal disturbance between two brothers.

12:58 PM Ofc. Mendez – Talk to Officer – Lytle PD (15200 Blk. Hester St.)

Officer was contacted via a phone call by a resident who wanted the PD to identify a male cutting grass at a neighbor's house. The complainant was advised that the PD could not identify a subject cutting grass.



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1:31 PM Capt. Dear - Vehicle Unlock – Pumphouse Express Wash – Unlocked a 2014 Ram P/U

1:40 PM Ofc. Mendez – Talk to Officer – HEB C-Store

Officer was contacted by a subject who wanted to inform the PD that he was doing better since his last police contact.

3:17 PM Ofc. Mendez – Assist Motorist – Main St./ @ FM 2790 N

Officer contacted the motorist to advise that their gas tank lid and cap were open.