Police Accountability Board of Montgomery County, MD August 2025 Complaint Report

Complaints entered into the Portal: 1

• 1 was defined as Eligible by the Montgomery County Department of Police and is currently Under Investigation.

Complaints received through other methods*: 14

- 2 were defined as Eligible by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office and are currently Under Investigation.
- 2 were defined as Eligible by the Takoma Park Police Department and are currently Under Investigation.
- 10 were received by the Montgomery County Department of Police. 9 are Eligible and Under Investigation, and 1 is Ineligible.

*Other methods are defined as:

- o PAB Staff
 - By Phone to the Office of the County Executive or PAB staff
 - By Email to the County Executive or other local, state governing agencies
 - In Person or Hand Delivered to the Office of the County Executive or PAB Staff
 - Mailed to the Office of the County Executive or PAB staff
- Law Enforcement Agency
 - By Phone to the Agency
 - By Email to the Agency
 - In Person to Agency
 - Mailed to the Agency
 - Online to Agency (outside of the PAB Complaint Portal)
 - Other Method previously established by the Agency

*What makes a complaint Eligible:

- o The incident must have occurred after 7/1/22, the Establishment of the legislation
- o The incident must involve a member of the public and actions of a member of Law Enforcement
- The incident must involve a member of law enforcement who is not currently under a collective bargaining agreement. Those under collective bargaining agreements still fall under the Law Enforcement Officers Bill of Rights until 7/1/2023
- Each month, Montgomery County Law Enforcement Agencies* report to the ACC (through ACC Staff) any complaints they received (through the portal or other methods) and the status of the investigation, for any eligible complaints
- *Montgomery County Law Enforcement Agencies include:
 - o Montgomery County Police Dept.
 - o Montgomery County Sheriff's Office
 - o Chevy Chase Village Police Dept.

- o City of Gaithersburg Police Dept.
- o City of Rockville Police Dept.
- o City of Takoma Park Police Dept.
- o Montgomery County Fire Explosive Investigators
- o Maryland National Capital Park Police Montgomery County Division* (*State ACC jurisdiction)