

# Police Accountability Board of Montgomery County, MD

## February 2026 Complaint Report

### Complaints entered into the Portal: 4

- 1 was defined as Eligible by the Montgomery County Department of Police and is currently Under Investigation.
- 1 was defined as Eligible by the Montgomery County Fire Explosive Investigators Unit and is currently Under Investigation.
- 1 was defined as Eligible by the Maryland National Capital Park Police and is currently Under Investigation and is within State ACC Jurisdiction; therefore, no additional information can be reviewed at a local level.
- 1 was defined as Eligible by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office and is currently Under Investigation.

### Complaints received through other methods\*: 14

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

### \*Other methods are defined as:

- 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:

- The incident must have occurred after 7/1/22, the Establishment of the legislation
- 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:

- Montgomery County Police Dept.
- Montgomery County Sheriff's Office
- Chevy Chase Village Police Dept.
- City of Gaithersburg Police Dept.
- City of Rockville Police Dept.
- City of Takoma Park Police Dept.
- Montgomery County Fire Explosive Investigators
- Maryland National Capital Park Police – Montgomery County Division\* (\*State ACC jurisdiction)