# Police Accountability Board of Montgomery County, MD February 2025 Complaint Report

## Complaints entered into the Portal: 6

- 2 were defined as Eligible, by the Montgomery County Department of Police, and are currently Under Investigation.
  - o 1 is defined as Ineligible and is currently under investigation Correction will be reported in the March 2025 Complaint Report at the April 17, 2025 meeting.
- **2 1 was defined as Ineligible,** by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, the complaint was for Montgomery County in Ohio; **1 is defined as Eligible and is currently under investigation**
- 1 is defined as Eligible, by the Montgomery County Fire Explosive Investigators, and is currently under investigation

### Complaints received through other methods\*: 8

- 6 were defined as Eligible, by the Montgomery County Department of Police, and are currently Under Investigation.
- 2 were defined as Eligible, by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, and are currently Under Investigation

#### \*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 Agency
  - By Email to Agency
  - In Person to Agency
  - Mailed to the Agency
  - Online to Agency (outside of the PAB Complaint Portal)
  - Other Method previously established by 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 not currently under a collective bargaining agreement. Those under collective bargaining agreements still fall under Law Enforcement Officers Bill of Rights until 7/1/2023
- Each month, Montgomery Country 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.

- 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)