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Recent Crime Summary

July 5, 2024

Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received

Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a news release

Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 06/23/24 to 06/29/24

MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.

1st District

A4 Beat:

 Two thefts from vehicles occurred in the 15500 block of Frederick Road in the early morning hours of 06/24. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 22200 block of C and O Canal River between approximately 3:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on 06/27. Force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 18000 block of Bliss Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 06/27 and 8:00 a.m. on 06/28. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

2nd District

D3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 3200 block of University Boulevard between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 06/25 and 9:00 a.m. on 06/26. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

D4 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 06/23 and 06/25. One theft occurred in the 11300 block of Woodglen Drive and one theft occurred in the 11500 block of Old Georgetown Road. No force; property was taken.

3rd District

G1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included the 8500 block of Cameron Street and the 900 block of Silver Spring Avenue. Force was reported in multiple events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

Description of suspect seen at the Cameron Street thefts:

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

G2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included
Saybrook Avenue, Highland Drive, Normandy Drive, Wire Avenue, Woodside Parkway, Caroline
Avenue, E. Indian Spring Drive, Dexter Avenue, Dale Drive, University Boulevard, Georgia Avenue,
Lansdowne Way, Indian Spring Drive, Ocala Street, Seminole Street and Colesville Road. Force;
money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/20 and 06/28. Affected streets included Garland Avenue, Forston Street, Piney Branch Road and Curran Road. Force was reported in three events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/23 and 06/28. Affected streets included
Markham Street, Hereford Place, Southampton Drive, Mt. Pisgah Road and Hampshire West Court.
Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 06/25 and 06/27. Affected streets included December Drive, Old Columbia Pike and Lockwood Drive. Force was reported in two events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

12 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/14 and 06/28. Affected streets included Star Pointe Lane, Parkford Manor Terrace, Hampton Point Drive, Castle Boulevard, Teagarden Circle, Robey Terrace and McKnew Road. Force was reported in multiple events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

4th District

J1 Beat:

 Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/26 and 06/29. One theft occurred in the 12600 block of Layhill Road and one theft occurred in the 2000 block of Randolph Road. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 2200 block of Bel Pre Road at approximately 4:25 p.m. on 06/25. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

 Four thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/03 and 06/24. Affected streets included Keating Street, Eades Street, Greenly Street and Superior Street. Force was reported in three events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

• Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 06/25 and 7:45 a.m. on 06/26. Affected streets included Gail Place, Dalewood Drive, Centerhill Street and Clay Street. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 06/21 and 06/28. Affected streets included Finely Street, Georgia Avenue, Republic Road and Glenkarney Place. Force was reported in four events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

5th District

M1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 06/24 and 06/27. One theft occurred in the 20800 block of Amber Ridge Drive and one theft occurred in the 19700 block of Crystal Rock Drive. Force was reported in one event; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N1 Beat:

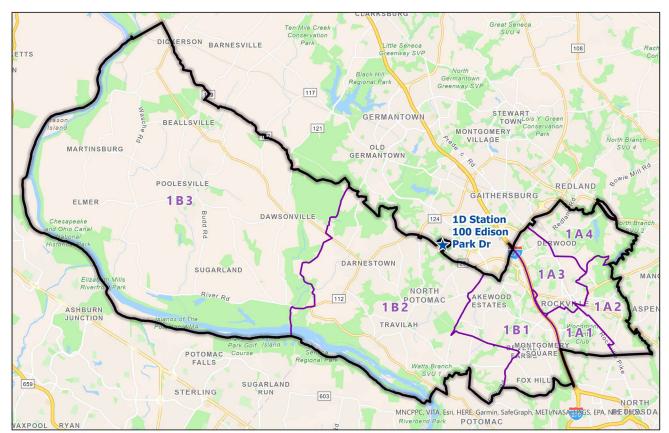
• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 20700 block of Crystal Hill Circle between approximately 7:45 a.m. on 06/26 and 8:00 a.m. on 06/27. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

6th District

R2 Beat:

• An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 10300 block of Apple Ridge Road between approximately 8:30 p.m. on 06/22 and 11:20 a.m. on 06/23.





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A1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A4 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B2 Beat:

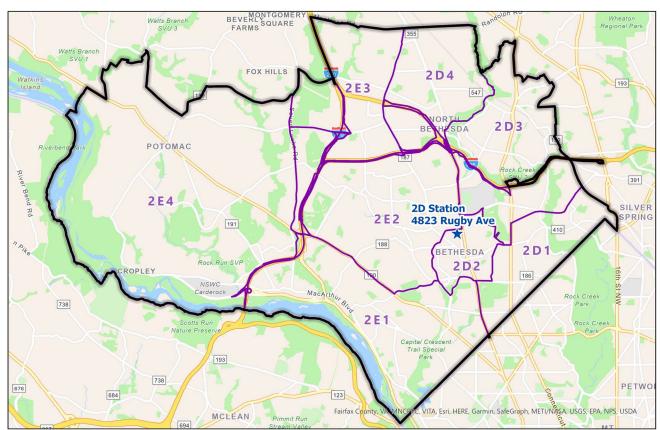
No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B3 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 18200 block of McKernon Way between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 06/27 and 4:30 a.m. on 06/28. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/28.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 19700 block of Selby Avenue between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 06/27 and 8:00 a.m. on 06/28. No force; the vehicle was reported to have possibly been left unlocked with a key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 06/28.







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06/23/24 to 06/29/24

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D1 Beat:

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 1900 block of Rosemary Hills Drive between approximately 1:00 a.m. and 6:45 a.m. on 06/23.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **armed carjacking** and **robbery** occurred in the 1900 block of East West Highway at approximately 2:00 a.m. on 06/25. Two suspects were arrested.

For more information, please visit: https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press Detail Pol.aspx?Item ID=45478

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 1900 block of East West Highway between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 06/28 and 11:00 a.m. on 06/29. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at *Brookville Pharmacy* located in the 7000 block of Brookville Road at approximately 12:22 p.m. on 06/29. The suspects displayed weapons, assaulted an employee and stole money and pharmaceuticals.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age 35-40 B/M, age unknown

D2 Beat:

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the area of Woodmont Avenue and Montgomery Lane at approximately 7:01 p.m. on 06/23. The suspect displayed a weapon and took money and property from the two juvenile male victims.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, teens

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Audi of Bethesda* located in the 7100 block of Arlington Road in the early morning hours of 06/24. Forced entry; property was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 males, no further descriptions

• A **commercial robbery** occurred at *Giant Food* grocery store located in the 7100 block of Arlington Road at approximately 11:30 a.m. on 06/25.

For more information and to view surveillance photos of the suspect, please visit: https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press Detail Pol.aspx?Item ID=45495

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Edgemoor Lane and Woodmont Avenue between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 06/26 and 7:10 a.m. on 06/27. Unknown entry; the keys were reported to have been left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 06/27.

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 4800 block of Bethesda Avenue at approximately 9:21 p.m. on 06/26. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

 A commercial armed robbery occurred at Tobacco Hut located in the 7800 block of Old Georgetown Road at approximately 8:00 p.m. on 06/29. One suspect displayed a weapon and assaulted the employee. The suspects stole merchandise.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, teens H/F, teens

D3 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 10100 block of Parkwood Terrace at approximately 10:40 p.m. on 06/24. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: Male, no further description

D4 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 5500 block of Security Lane between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 06/23 and 7:00 a.m. on 06/24. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

E1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E2 Beat:

 A burglary occurred at Potomac Elementary School located in the 7000 block of Radnor Road at approximately 3:20 p.m. on 06/29. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 17; of Bethesda, MD Juvenile female, age 17; of Cabin John, MD

E3 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Shmul Corporation* located in the 6200 block of Executive Boulevard between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 06/26 and 8:00 a.m. on 06/27. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

E4 Beat:

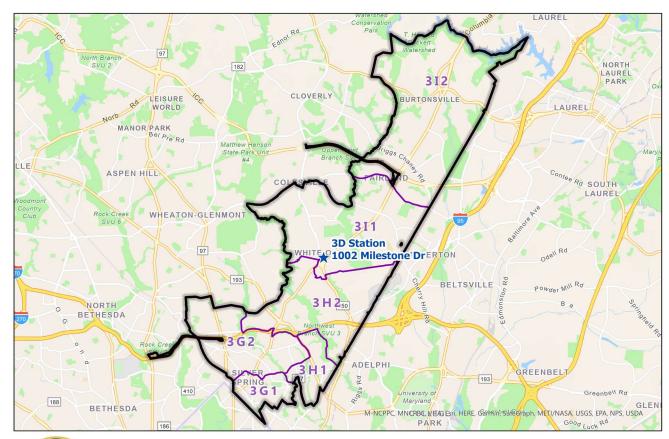
• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 9400 block of River Road between approximately 5:00 a.m. on 06/14 and 10:15 a.m. on 06/24. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

An armed robbery occurred in the 9100 block of Persimmon Tree Road in the early morning hours
of 06/23. The suspects displayed weapons, assaulted the three adult male victims and took their
money and property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 B/Ms, in their 20s

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Durham Drive and River Road between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 06/28 and 7:00 a.m. on 06/29. Unknown entry.





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G1 Beat:

 An armed robbery occurred in the area of Georgia Avenue and Sligo Avenue in the early morning hours of 06/17. The suspects displayed weapons and took money and property from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 4 B/Ms, teens

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 500 block of Thayer Avenue between approximately 10:30 a.m. on 06/23 and 1:00 p.m. on 06/24. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the area of Cameron Street and 2nd Avenue between approximately 11:40 a.m. and 1:35 p.m. on 06/23. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/23.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 900 block of Silver Spring Avenue between approximately 4:30 p.m. on 06/27 and 7:30 a.m. on 06/28. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/28.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 800 block of Thayer Avenue between approximately 8:14 p.m. and 9:37 p.m. on 06/29. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **shooting** occurred at a *Taco Bell* located in the 8600 block of Colesville Road at approximately 6:00 p.m. on 06/23. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: Souleymane Traore, age 18; of Silver Spring, MD Maximus Jean-Jerome, age 20; of York, PA

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *OPEIU Local 2* located in the 8500 block of 16th Street at approximately 11:58 p.m. on 06/23. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 900 block of Bonifant Street in the early morning hours of 06/28. The suspect displayed a weapon.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/F, age unknown

• An **attempted commercial burglary** occurred at *Rise Dispensary* located in the 7900 block of Fenton Street at approximately 5:35 a.m. on 06/29.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 4 B/Ms, ages unknown No information available on one additional suspect

G2 Beat:

• A **commercial robbery** occurred at a *Sunoco* gas station located in the 9400 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 10:00 p.m. on 06/26. The suspect stole merchandise.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

H1 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at a *Shell* gas station located in the 8500 block of Piney Branch Road in the early morning hours of 06/23. Forced entry; money was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 4 B/Ms, ages unknown No information available on one additional suspect

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 9100 block of Piney Branch Road between approximately 12:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on 06/23. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

H2 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 10300 block of Parkman Road between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 06/23 and 6:00 p.m. on 06/24. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 1200 block of Ruppert Road in the early morning hours of 06/24. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 100 block of Eastmoor Drive between approximately 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. on 06/26. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/26.

No suspect(s) information available

• **Shots fired** occurred in the area of Lockwood Drive and Columbia Pike in the early morning hours of 06/26.

I1 Beat:

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Calverton Boulevard and Gracefield Road between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 06/16 and 7:30 a.m. on 06/26.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **motorcycle theft** occurred in the 1900 block of Bronzegate Boulevard in the early morning hours of 06/26.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 B/Ms, ages unknown

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 11200 block of Oak Leaf Drive between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 06/27 and 5:30 a.m. on 06/28. Force.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 700 block of Hollywood Avenue in the early morning hours of 06/29. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left running with the keys left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

12 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Darcars Chrysler* located in the 3100 block of Automobile Boulevard in the early morning hours of 06/24. No signs of forced entry; nothing was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 males, no further descriptions

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 3600 block of Childress Terrace in the early morning hours of 06/25. Force.

No suspect(s) information available

> In the 3100 block of Automobile Boulevard in the early morning hours of 06/26. Unknown entry.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: Male, no further description No information available on one additional suspect

➤ In the 3400 block of Robey Terrace between approximately 6:11 p.m. on 06/26 and 6:30 a.m. on 06/27. Unknown entry.

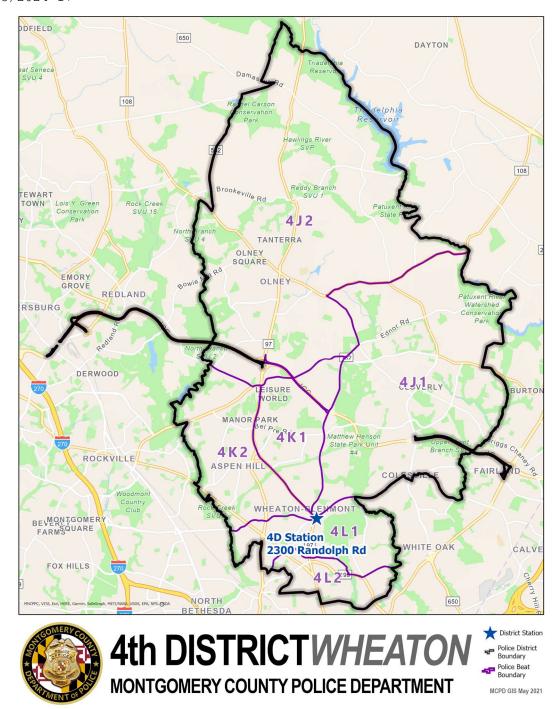
No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 13500 block of Greencastle Ridge Terrace between approximately 6:30 p.m. on 06/26 and 7:30 a.m. on 06/27. Unknown entry.

➤ In the 14100 block of Castle Boulevard between approximately 9:50 p.m. on 06/26 and 6:15 a.m. on 06/27. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 13700 block of Modrad Way between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 06/28 and 11:30 a.m. on 06/29. Unknown entry.



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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

J1 Beat:

An armed robbery occurred in the 2100 block of Glenallan Avenue between approximately 11:00 p.m. and 11:15 p.m. on 06/26. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took property from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown H/M, age unknown

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 12500 block of Winexburg Manor Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 06/27 and 5:45 a.m. on 06/28. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

K1 Beat:

• Shots fired occurred in the 3800 block of Bel Pre Road in the early morning hours of 06/23.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted armed robbery** occurred in the 13600 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 2:28 p.m. on 06/23. The suspects displayed weapons, assaulted the adult male victim and attempted to take his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: H/M, mid 20s-30s H/M, in his 30s

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 3800 block of Bel Pre Road between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 06/23 and 6:00 a.m. on 06/24. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/25.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **weapons offense** was discovered during a traffic stop in the area of Rippling Brook Drive and Hewitt Avenue at approximately 4:15 p.m. on 06/27. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Teiyon Nelms, age 24; of Landsdown, MD

K2 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 12800 block of Matey Road in the early morning hours of 06/23. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 06/27.

An armed robbery of a taxi driver occurred in the 12200 block of Veirs Mill Road in the early
morning hours of 06/24. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took cash from the adult
male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: H/F, in her 30s

Male, no further description

Female, no further description

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 12500 block of Dalewood Drive at approximately 8:00 p.m. on 06/24. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, mid-teens B/M or H/M, mid-teens

L1 Beat:

 An armed carjacking occurred in the area of Amherst Avenue and Elkin Street at approximately 9:00 p.m. on 06/24. The suspects displayed weapons and took the adult male victim's vehicle. The vehicle was recovered on 06/25.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 B/Ms, ages unknown

L2 Beat:

• A **weapons offense** was discovered during a traffic stop in the area of Georgia Avenue and Plyers Mill Road at approximately 5:34 p.m. on 06/25. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Michael Vann-Harris, age 26; of Silver Spring, MD

• Shots fired occurred in the 3500 block of McMahon Road in the early morning hours of 06/28.



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M1 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 19800 block of Observation Drive between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on 06/25. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

M2 Beat:

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 26000 block of Ridge Road at approximately 2:27 p.m. on 06/29. The suspect took property from the adult female victim.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, in his 20s

M3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N1 Beat:

• A **commercial robbery** occurred at *iFix Mobile Device* located in the 13000 block of Wisteria Drive at approximately 6:34 p.m. on 06/24. The suspects stole merchandise.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown

• A **theft** occurred in the 12500 block of Coral Grove Place at approximately 6:17 p.m. on 06/25. The suspects took food.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 13000 block of Pickering Drive between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 06/26 and 9:00 a.m. on 06/27.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 20400 block of Afternoon Lane between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 06/26 and 9:50 a.m. on 06/27. Unknown entry; a spare key was reported to have been left inside.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **weapons offense** was discovered during a traffic stop in the area of Middlebrook Road and Great Seneca Highway at approximately 8:47 p.m. on 06/26. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Seth Phillips, age 22; of Germantown, MD

N2 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 13700 block of Palmetto Circle between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 06/25 and 2:30 p.m. on 06/26. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

N3 Beat:

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P1 Beat:

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P2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R2 Beat:

- Commercial burglaries occurred at the following locations:
 - At *Tropical Latino Market* located in the 9100 block of Rothbury Drive in the early morning hours of 06/23. Forced entry; money was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

At a construction site located in the 9500 block of Nature Trail between approximately 5:30 p.m. on 06/24 and 7:00 a.m. on 06/25. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 20100 block of Rothbury Lane between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 06/23 and 7:00 a.m. on 06/24. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 10000 block of Stedwick Road between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 06/24 and 4:00 p.m. on 06/25. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

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