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Recent Crime Summary

May 29, 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: 05/12/24 to 05/18/24

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

A2 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 12800 and 13100 blocks of Twinbrook Parkway between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 05/16 and 6:00 a.m. on 05/17. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 14000 block of Weeping Cherry Drive between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 11:50 a.m. on 05/18. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

B3 Beat:

Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 05/13 and 05/18. Two thefts occurred in the 17500-17600 blocks of Kohlhoss Road and one theft occurred in the 19200 block of Hempstone Avenue.
 Force; property and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

2nd District

D1 Beat:

Three thefts from vehicles occurred between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 05/14 and 1:00 p.m. on 05/15. Affected streets included Carey Lane, East West Highway and Spencer Road. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

E1 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 05/12 and 05/16. One theft occurred in the 6100 block
of Tulane Avenue and one theft occurred in the 5400 block of Duvall Drive. No force; money and
property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 7100 block of Democracy Boulevard between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on 05/12. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

3rd District

G1 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 05/10 and 05/18. Affected streets included East
West Highway, Blair Mill Road, 16th Street, E. Falkland Lane, the area of Spring Street and Georgia
Avenue, Sligo Avenue, 1st Avenue, Silver Spring Avenue and Fenton Street. Force was reported in
multiple events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

Description of suspect seen at one of the East West Highway thefts:

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

Description of suspect seen at the Spring Street and Georgia Avenue theft:

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

G2 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 05/12 and 05/15. Affected streets included University Boulevard, Belvedere Boulevard and the area of Ellsworth Drive and Springvale Road. Force was reported in two events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

Description of suspect seen at the University Boulevard theft:

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

H1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in 8600 block of Piney Branch Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/13 and 8:00 a.m. on 05/14. Force; property was taken.

H2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 05/13 and 05/18. Affected streets included
University Boulevard, Northampton Drive, Elton Road and Mt. Pisgah Road. Force; money, property
and vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included January Drive, Lockwood Drive and Heather Hollow Circle. Force was reported in two events; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

4th District

J1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 2300 block of Greenery Lane between approximately 12:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. on 05/18. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 18100 block of Village Center Drive between approximately 1:00 p.m. and 1:40 p.m. on 05/14. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 05/10 and 05/16. Affected streets included Furman Court, Grenoble Drive and Terrapin Road. No force; money, property and a vehicle part were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included Georgia Avenue, Elnora Street, Blueridge Avenue, Elmont Street, Georgian Way and Veirs Mill Road. Force was reported in multiple events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

L2 Beat:

• An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 11000 block of Burnley Terrace between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 05/16 and 10:35 a.m. on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

5th District

M1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 19500 block of Frederick Road between approximately 10:20 p.m. and 10:58 p.m. on 05/15. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

M3 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 05/10 and 05/13. One theft occurred in the 12500 block of Hawks Nest Lane and one theft occurred in the 12600 block of Royal Crown Drive. Force; money and property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 19700 block of Germantown Road between approximately 1:15 p.m. and 1:55 p.m. on 05/13. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

N2 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 05/16 and 11:44 p.m. on 05/17. One theft occurred in the 13700 block of Lark Song Drive and one theft occurred in the 19000 block of Festival Drive. Force was reported in one event; property and a vehicle part were taken.

R1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 05/12 and 05/16. Affected streets included Roman Way, Lost Knife Circle and Copps Hill Place. Force was reported in two events; money and property were taken.

Description of suspects seen at the Copps Hill Place thefts:

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 4 males, no further descriptions

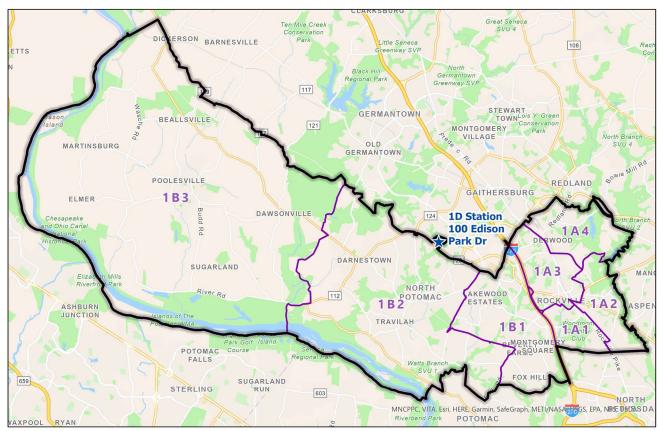
R2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 18900 block of Smoothstone Way in the early morning hours of 05/14. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 19700 block of Mayhill Terrace between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/16 and 7:30 a.m. on 05/17. No force; property was taken.







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A1 Beat:

 A commercial armed robbery occurred at the 7-Eleven located in the 1700 block of Rockville Pike at approximately 1:26 p.m. on 05/13.

For more information and to view surveillance video of the suspects, please visit: https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press Detail Pol.aspx?Item ID=45294

A2 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** and **vehicle theft** occurred at *Nationwide Car Care Center* located in the 12300 block of Wilkins Avenue between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 05/11 and 1:20 p.m. on 05/12. Forced entry; money, property and a vehicle key was taken and used to steal a vehicle.

No suspect(s) information available

A3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A4 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 12100 block of Devilwood Drive in the early morning hours of 05/14. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 14300 block of Marian Drive between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 1:00 a.m. on 05/18. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/18.

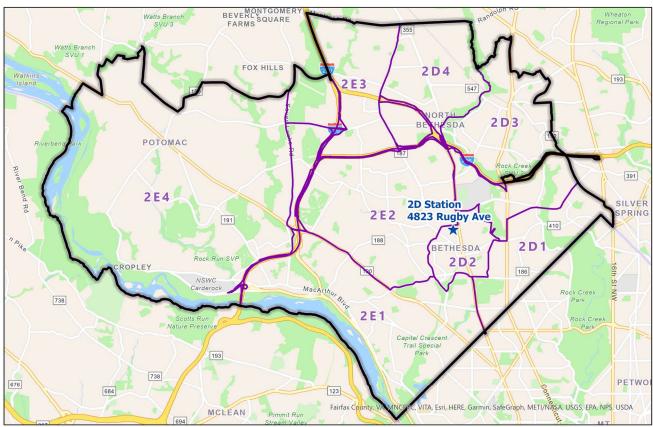
No suspect(s) information available

B2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B3 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 17500 block of Kohlhoss Road in the early morning hours of 05/14. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/18.







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D1 Beat:

 An attempted armed carjacking of a food delivery driver occurred in the 1900 block of East West Highway in the early morning hours of 05/13. The suspects displayed weapons, assaulted the male victim and attempted to take his vehicle.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, early 20s

D2 Beat:

- The following crimes were committed by the same suspect. The suspect was arrested:
 - Two **commercial armed robberies** occurred at *Tobacco Hut* located in the 7800 block of Old Georgetown Road on 05/12.
 - > Two **commercial armed robberies** occurred at *Geste Food & Wines* located in the 4800 block of Edgemoor Lane on 05/13 and 05/14.

For more information, please visit: https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press Detail Pol.aspx?Item ID=45274

D3 Beat:

• An **attempted commercial burglary** occurred at *Georgina's G&G Antiques* located in the 3700 block of Howard Avenue between approximately 6:30 p.m. on 05/11 and 11:45 a.m. on 05/12.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 9500 block of E. Bexhill Drive at approximately 7:40 p.m. on 05/14.

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

D4 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11400 block of Rockville Pike between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 3:00 a.m. on 05/18. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/19.

No suspect(s) information available

E1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E2 Beat:

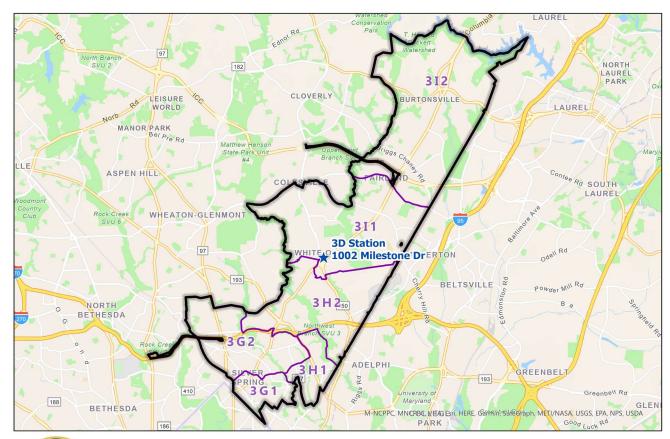
• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 5200 block of Pooks Hill Road between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 05/09 and 11:00 p.m. on 05/10. Unknown entry.

E3 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

E4 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.





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G1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 8600 block of Cameron Street between approximately 4:41 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. on 05/12. No force; the vehicle keys were reported missing. The vehicle was recovered on 05/17.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 1100 block of Fidler Lane between approximately 9:45 a.m. and 10:06 p.m. on 05/17. Unknown entry; the keys were reported to have been left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 05/24.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 8600 block of Colesville Road between approximately 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on 05/18. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- Aggravated assaults occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 8100 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 1:08 p.m. on 05/15. The suspect displayed a weapon and assaulted the adult male victim. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Darnell Carter, age 23; of Frederick, MD

➤ In the 3500 block of Fenton Street in the early morning hours of 05/16. The suspect displayed a weapon.

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

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Uniqlo* located in the 900 block of Ellsworth Drive at approximately 8:02 p.m. on 05/15. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

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

Shots fired occurred in the 900 block of Wayne Avenue in the early morning hours of 05/16.

No suspect(s) information available

 An attempted armed robbery occurred in the 8400 block of Georgia Avenue in the early morning hours of 05/18. The suspect displayed a weapon and attempted to take money from the adult male victim.

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

G2 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 10100 block of McKenney Avenue between approximately 6:30 p.m. on 05/13 and 7:00 a.m. on 05/14. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/17.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 1900 block of Lansdowne Way between approximately 8:00 a.m. and 3:53 p.m. on 05/16. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

H1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 800 block of E. Franklin Avenue between approximately 11:50 p.m. on 05/10 and 9:30 a.m. on 05/12. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 8800 block of Piney Branch Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/12 and 12:15 p.m. on 05/13. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 200 block of Plymouth Street at approximately 7:24 p.m. on 05/17. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 8700 block of Piney Branch Road at approximately 5:25 p.m. on 05/18. The suspect displayed a weapon. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Edgar Pascual-Velasquez, age 43; of an unconfirmed address

H2 Beat:

An armed robbery occurred in the area of University Boulevard and Colesville Road in the early
morning hours of 05/14. The suspects displayed weapons, assaulted the adult male victim and took
his money and property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 4 B/Ms, ages unknown

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 1700 block of Mt. Pisgah Road between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on 05/18.

I1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 11400 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 10:30 p.m. on 05/11 and 12:45 p.m. on 05/12. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/16.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 11300 block of Columbia Pike between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 05/13 and 9:00 a.m. on 05/14. Force.

No suspect(s) information available

- Attempted vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 11200 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 05/13 and 8:00 a.m. on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 11200 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 05/13 and 9:00 a.m. on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 11100 block of New Hampshire Avenue between approximately 11:59 p.m. on 05/17 and 4:00 p.m. on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 1700 block of Mt. Pisgah Lane between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the unit block of Randolph Road between approximately 12:30 p.m. and 3:45 p.m. on 05/15. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

12 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 4200 block of Red Maple Court between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/06 and 3:00 p.m. on 05/13. Unknown entry.

In the 3500 block of Sheffield Manor Terrace between approximately 3:30 p.m. on 05/11 and 8:30 a.m. on 05/12. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/12.

No suspect(s) information available

In the unit block of Sheffield Manor Court between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 05/12 and 1:00 p.m. on 05/14. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/19.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 3900 block of Blackburn Lane between approximately 7:45 p.m. on 05/12 and 6:00 p.m. on 05/13. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 13600 block of Colgate Way between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 05/15 and 2:27 a.m. on 05/16. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/16.

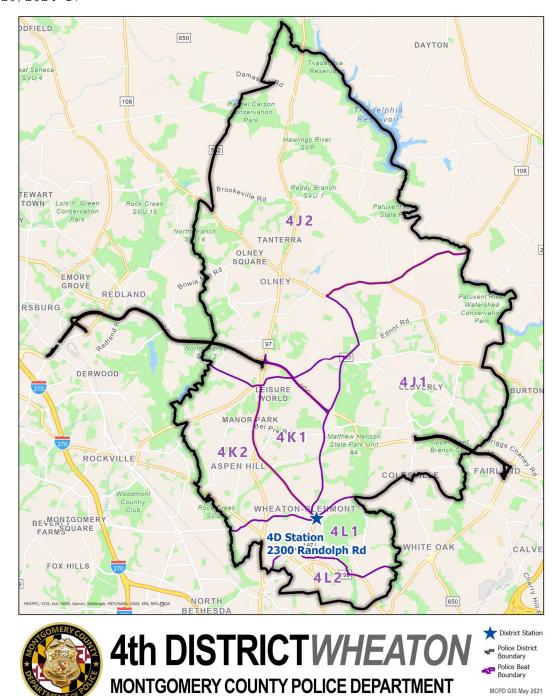
No suspect(s) information available

• Four **vehicle thefts** occurred in the 3100 block of Automobile Boulevard at approximately 11:56 p.m. on 05/12. Unknown entry. Two vehicles were recovered on 05/13. One vehicle was recovered on 05/27.

No suspect(s) information available

 An armed robbery occurred in the 3000 block of Briggs Chaney Road at approximately 2:40 p.m. on 05/15. One suspect implied that he had a weapon. The suspects took property from the juvenile male victim.

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





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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

J1 Beat:

• A **minibike theft** occurred in the 1300 block of Millgrove Place between approximately 8:00 a.m. on 05/10 and 9:15 p.m. on 05/13.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **residential burglary** and **theft of dirt bikes** occurred in the 1400 block of Smith Village Road between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 05/12 and 5:00 p.m. on 05/15. Forced entry; four dirt bikes were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

J2 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 2600 block of Norbeck Road between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 05/08 and 8:00 a.m. on 05/15. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Fs, teens 4 males, teens

K1 Beat:

 An attempted armed robbery occurred in the area of Georgia Avenue and Connecticut Avenue on 05/12.

For more information and to view surveillance video of the suspects, please visit: https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press Detail Pol.aspx?Item ID=45297

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 2200 block of Bel Pre Road at approximately 11:04 a.m. on 05/13. The suspect assaulted the adult female victim and took her property.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 20-25

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 14200 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 9:20 p.m. on 05/14. The suspect displayed a weapon and assaulted the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 27-29

K2 Beat:

- Attempted vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 14400 block of Parkvale Road in the early morning hours of 05/14.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age unknown Male, no further description

➤ In the 4900 block of Aspen Hill Road between approximately 8:30 p.m. on 05/17 and 6:30 p.m. on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

 A residential burglary occurred in the 3300 block of Claridge Court in the early morning hours of 05/11. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

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

- Attempted vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 2700 block of Byron Street between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 05/14 and 7:00 a.m. on 05/15.

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

In the 2200 block of Georgian Way between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 05/16 and 4:20 a.m. on 05/17.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 2300 block of Glenmont Circle between approximately 12:30 a.m. and 7:30 a.m. on 05/17.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 2600 block of Newton Street in the early morning hours of 05/16. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/19.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted residential burglary** occurred in the 600 block of Somersworth Way at approximately 9:56 p.m. on 05/17. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

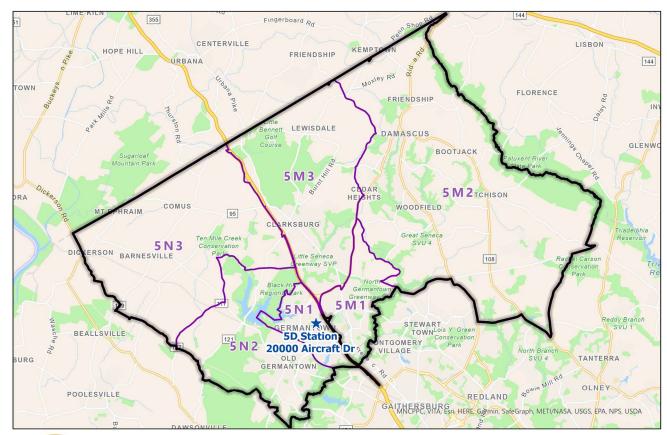
No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

Shots fired occurred in the 900 block of Helena Drive in the early morning hours of 05/12.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, no further descriptions

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 2200 block of University Boulevard between approximately 9:00 a.m. on 05/12 and 12:00 p.m. on 05/13. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/18.





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

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 20400 block of Apple Harvest Circle between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 9:30 a.m. on 05/18. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/22.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 20400 block of Apple Harvest Circle between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 9:50 a.m. on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

M2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

M3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 20500 block of Shadyside Way between approximately 11:30 p.m. on 05/13 and 11:00 a.m. on 05/14. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

In the 12900 block of Falling Water Circle between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 8:30 a.m. on 05/18. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 05/18.

No suspect(s) information available

A shooting occurred in the 20500 block of Summersong Lane at approximately 2:15 p.m. on 05/17.

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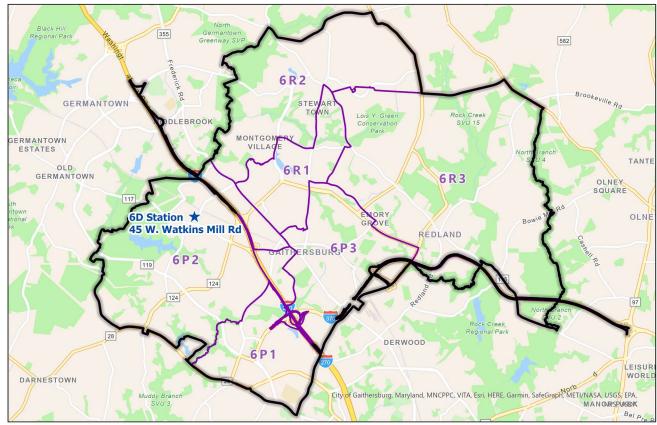
• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 20400 block of Shore Harbour Drive between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 05/17 and 2:00 p.m. on 05/18.

N2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N3 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.





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P1 Beat:

• A **motorcycle theft** occurred in the 17000 block of King James Way between approximately 3:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. on 05/12.

No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 9900 block of Shelburne Terrace between approximately 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on 05/14.

No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 9300 block of Corporate Boulevard between approximately 7:00 a.m. on 05/16 and 4:55 p.m. on 05/17. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 05/20.

No suspect(s) information available

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:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
 - ➤ In the 20500 block of Strath Haven Drive between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 05/01 and 5:00 a.m. on 05/02. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 9700 block of Shadow Oak Drive between approximately 9:30 p.m. on 05/13 and 6:30 a.m. on 05/14. Unknown entry.

R3 Beat:

- Commercial burglaries occurred at the following locations:
 - At *Ecology Services* located in the 7900 block of Beechcraft Avenue at approximately 6:45 p.m. on 05/12. Forced entry; property was taken.

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

At *District Harley-Davidson* located in the 7800 block of Airpark Road in the early morning hours of 05/18. Forced entry; nothing was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

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