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January 17, 2025**

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## **Recent Crime Summary**

**January 17, 2025**

**\*\*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: 01/05/25 to 01/11/25

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

## **1<sup>st</sup> District**

### A2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** was discovered in the 12200 block of Parklawn Drive at approximately 12:00 a.m. on 01/06. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### B1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/04 and 01/09. One theft occurred in the 8800 block of Liberty Lane and one theft occurred in the 8700 block of Sleepy Hollow Lane. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### B2 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/05 and 01/11. One theft occurred in the 10800 block of Secluded Way and one theft occurred in the 12200 block of Mosel Terrace. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

## **2<sup>nd</sup> District**

### D1 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included Colston Drive, Washington Avenue and Grubb Road. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D3 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/07 and 01/11. Two thefts occurred in the 3200 and 3400 blocks of University Boulevard and one theft occurred in the 9600 block of Kensington Parkway. No force; money and property were taken.

Description of suspect seen at one of the University Boulevard thefts:

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

D4 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 5100 block of King Charles Way between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 01/10 and 9:00 a.m. on 01/11. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

E1 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/05 and 01/09. Affected streets included Royal Dominion Court, W. Halbert Road and River Road. No force; property and money were taken.

Description of suspect seen at the Royal Dominion Court theft:

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

E2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 5800 block of Walton Road between approximately 11:40 p.m. on 01/09 and 10:00 a.m. on 01/10. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**3<sup>rd</sup> District**

G1 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/04 and 01/10. Affected streets included Fenton Street, Georgia Avenue, Dale Drive and Ripley Street. Force was reported in four events; property and a vehicle part were taken.

Description of suspects seen at one of the Fenton Street thefts:

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

G2 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 12/29 and 01/05. One theft occurred in the 500 block of Pershing Drive and one theft occurred in the 9600 block of Evergreen Street. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

H1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 8600 block of Garland Avenue between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/10 and 9:00 a.m. on 01/11. Force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

H2 Beat:

- Four **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 12/21 and 01/11. Affected streets included Williamsburg Drive, Crescendo Way, Colesville Road and Roswell Drive. Force was reported in two events; money, property and vehicle parts were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

I1 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/04 and 01/11. Affected streets included Eden Road, Carriage House Terrace and New Hampshire Avenue. No force; money and property were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**4<sup>th</sup> District**

L1 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/03 and 01/10. Affected streets included Lamberton Drive, Kersey Road and Garrett Park Road. Force was reported in two events; property and a vehicle part were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

L2 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/04 and 01/07. Affected streets included Lombardy Road, Bentley Lane and Veirs Mill Road. Force was reported in one event; money, property and a vehicle part were taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

## 5<sup>th</sup> District

### M3 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 01/06 and 01/09. One theft occurred in the 12400 block of Great Park Circle and one theft occurred in the 23100 block of Frederick Road. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### N1 Beat:

- Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included Summer Oak Court, Golf Course Drive and Crystal Rock Drive. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

## 6<sup>th</sup> District

### P2 Beat:

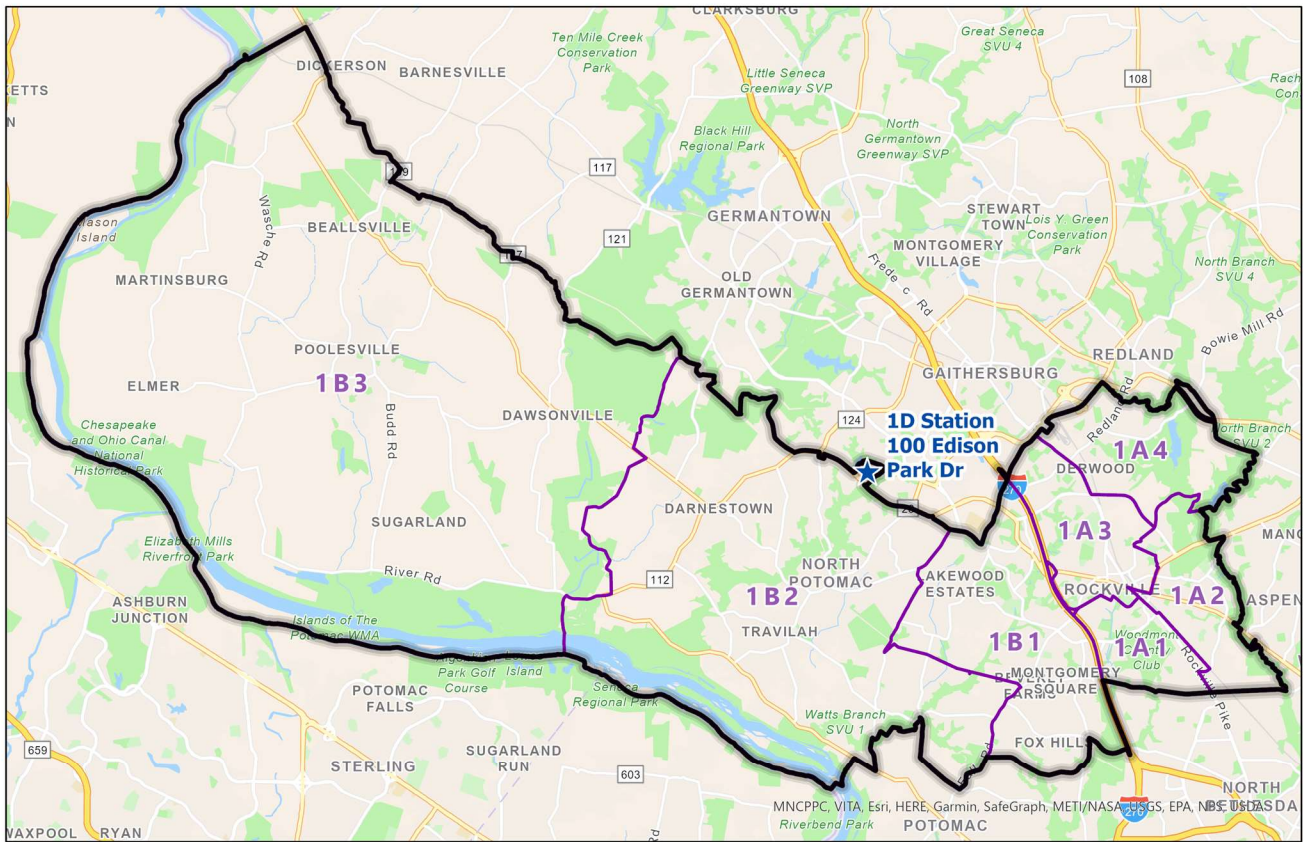
- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 900 N. Frederick Avenue between approximately 12:00 a.m. on 12/20 and 3:00 p.m. on 01/09. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

### P3 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 8100 block of Pepperwood Lane between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/05 and 6:30 a.m. on 01/07. No force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**



# 1st DISTRICT *ROCKVILLE*

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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- ▭ Police Beat Boundary

MCPD GIS May 2021

# 01/05/25 to 01/11/25

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**Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.**

A1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

A2 Beat:

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the area of Parklawn Drive and Braxfield Court at approximately 10:30 a.m. on 01/05. The suspect assaulted the adult male victim, displayed a weapon and took his money.

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

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 1700 block of E. Jefferson Street between apporixmately 6:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. on 01/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

**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:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

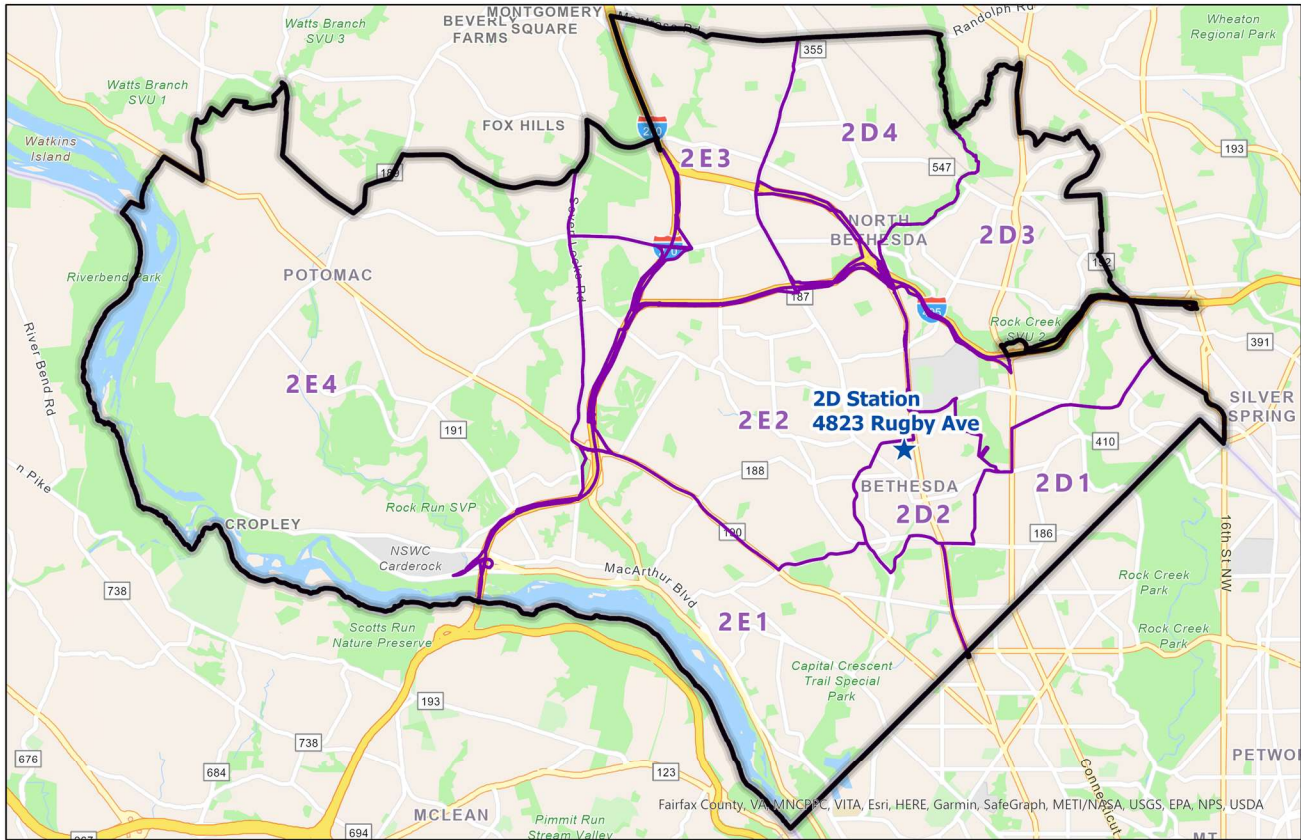
B2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

B3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.





# 2nd DISTRICT *BETHESDA*

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D1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 2200 block of Washington Avenue between approximately 2:30 p.m. on 01/04 and 10:15 a.m. on 01/05. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 8500 block of 16<sup>th</sup> Street between approximately 9:30 a.m. on 01/08 and 9:30 a.m. on 01/09. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D2 Beat:

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at the *Residence Inn* located in the 7300 block of Wisconsin Avenue between approximately 11:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. on 01/10. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D3 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 8500 block of Chevy Chase Lake Terrace between approximately 1:50 a.m. and 4:45 p.m. on 01/05. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 3200 block of University Boulevard between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/06 and 4:00 a.m. on 01/07. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 8500 block of Chevy Chase Lake Terrace between approximately 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on 01/11. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

D4 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 10000 block of Dickens Avenue between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 01/04 and 11:40 a.m. on 01/05. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/06.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 5400 block of Tuckerman Lane between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 01/07 and 8:00 a.m. on 01/08. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/10.

**No suspect(s) information available**

E1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the unit block of Carver Road between approximately 10:30 a.m. on 01/03 and 4:00 p.m. on 01/05. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 6300 block of W. Halbert Road between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 01/05 and 12:00 p.m. on 01/06. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked. The vehicle was recovered on 01/07.

**No suspect(s) information available**

E2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

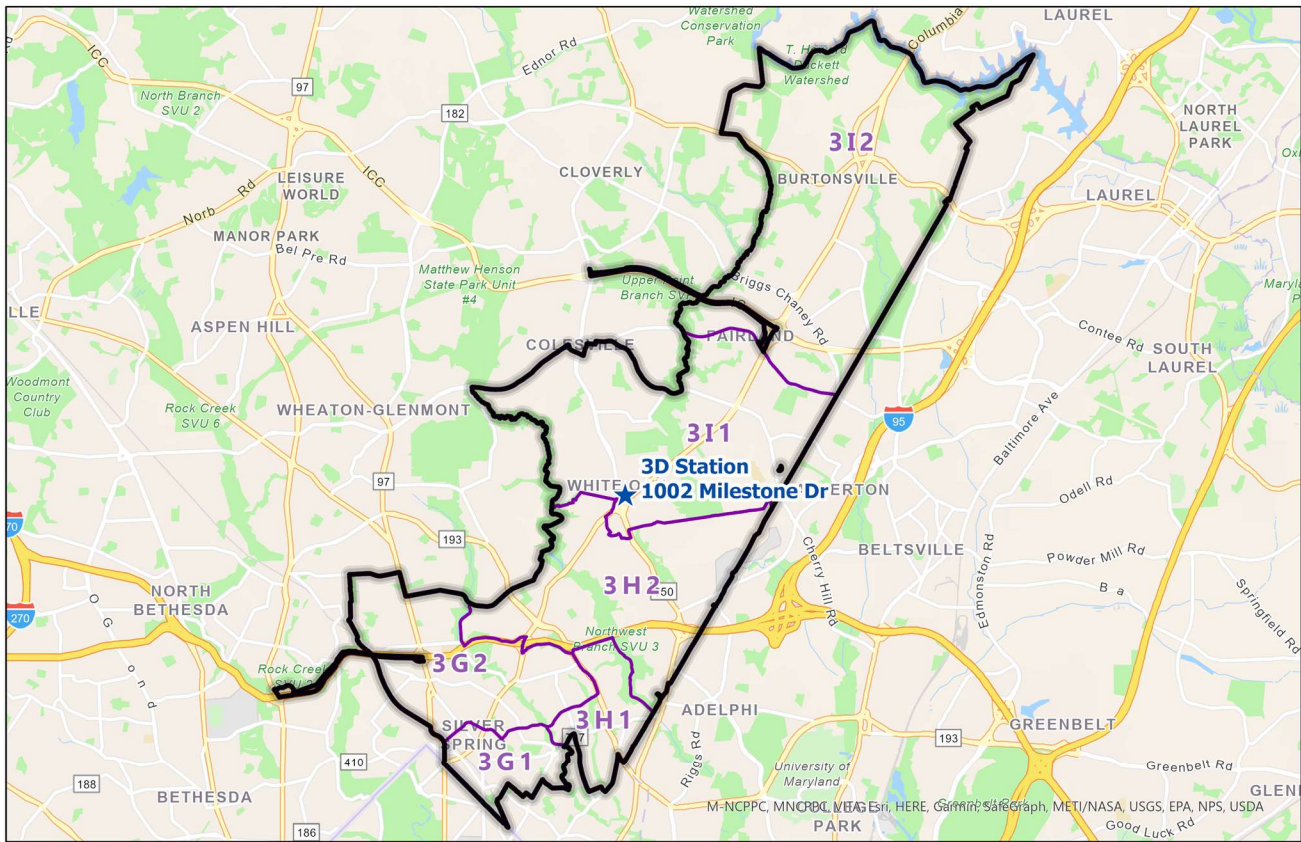
E3 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11500 block of W. Hill Drive at approximately 5:37 a.m. on 01/07. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with a key fob left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 01/16.

**No suspect(s) information available**

E4 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



# 3rd DISTRICT SILVER SPRING

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MCPD GIS May 2021

## 01/05/25 to 01/11/25

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G1 Beat:

• **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 8700 block of Cameron Street discovered at approximately 1:00 p.m. on 01/08. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 800 block of Ellsworth Drive at approximately 4:11 p.m. on 01/10. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 8200 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 7:27 p.m. on 01/11. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 01/13.

**No suspect(s) information available**

G2 Beat:

• **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 2100 block of Belvedere Boulevard between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/07 and 6:00 a.m. on 01/08. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 01/08.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 10600 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 01/07 and 9:30 a.m. on 01/08. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/12.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 8800 block of Colesville Road between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 01/07 and 7:30 a.m. on 01/08. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/08.

**No suspect(s) information available**

H1 Beat:

• **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:

- In the 8600 block of Greenwood Avenue in the early morning hours of 01/09. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/F, age 30-50**

- In the 8800 block of Garland Avenue between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 01/09 and 7:00 a.m. on 01/10. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

**H2 Beat:**

- An **aggravated assault** occurred at *Value Village* located in the 10100 block of New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 11:03 a.m. on 01/07. The suspect displayed a weapon. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Juvenile male, age 15; of Beltsville, MD**

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at a *Shell* gas station located in the 10100 block of Colesville Road in the early morning hours of 01/09. Forced entry; money and merchandise were taken.

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

- **Shots fired** occurred in the 9900 block of New Hampshire Avenue in the early morning hours of 01/11.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 9300 block of Avenel Road at approximately 5:30 a.m. on 01/11. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and took his property.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown  
Male, no further description**

**I1 Beat:**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 11500 block of Stewart Lane between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/02 and 12:50 p.m. on 01/04. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/10.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- **Attempted aggravated assaults** occurred in the area of Broadbirch Drive and Tech Road at approximately 5:42 p.m. on 01/05. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit:

[https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press\\_Detail\\_Pol.aspx?Item\\_ID=46395](https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=46395)

**I2 Beat:**

- **Residential burglaries** occurred in the following areas:
  - In the 13200 block of Chopin Court between approximately 7:11 a.m. on 12/31 and 12:30 a.m. on 01/05. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 13000 block of Gershwin Way between approximately 12:00 a.m. and 8:18 p.m. on 01/09. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

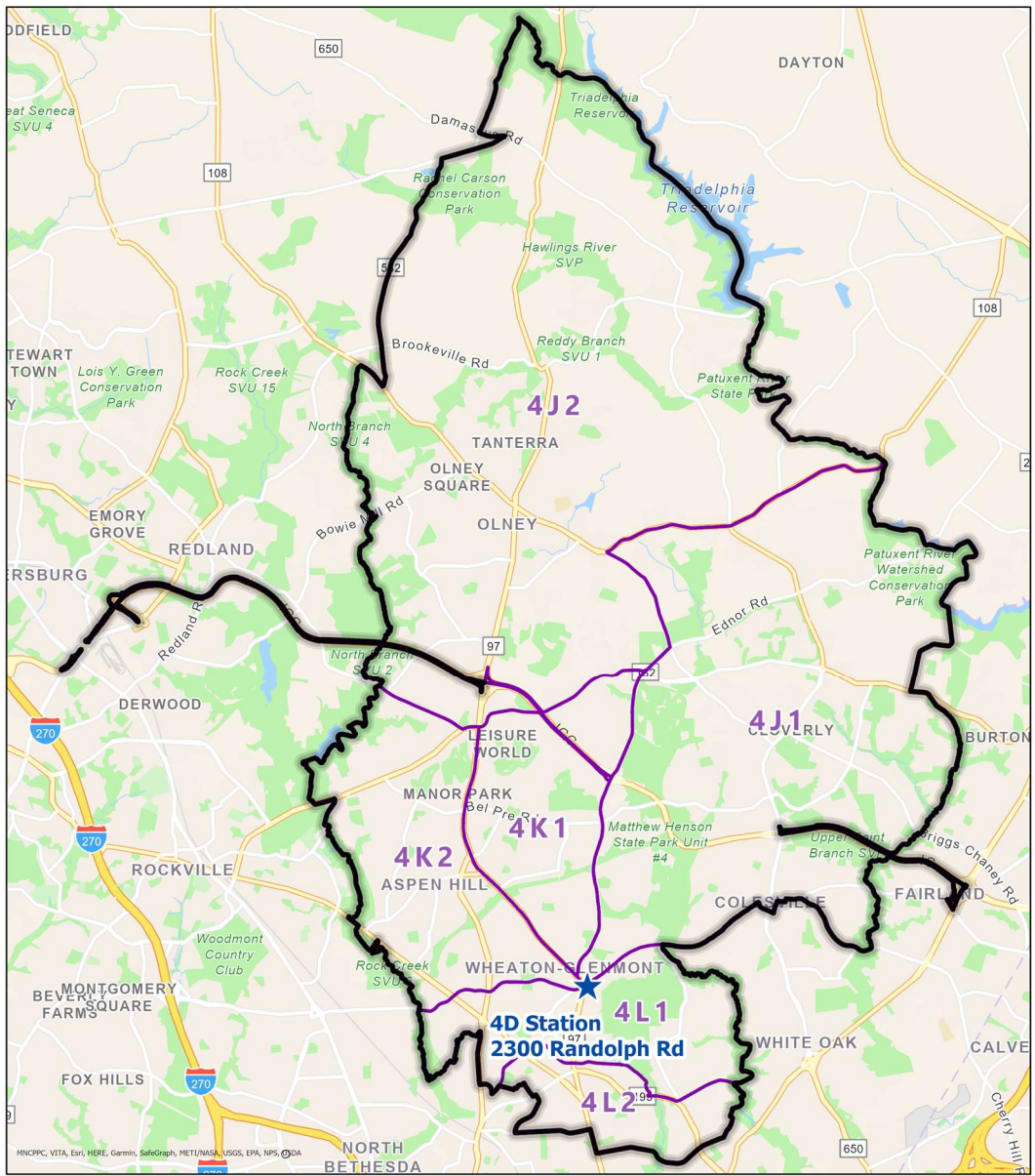
- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 14200 block of Angelton Terrace between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/08 and 5:30 a.m. on 01/09. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 13600 block of Robey Road in the early morning hours of 01/11.

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





# 4th DISTRICT WHEATON

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J1 Beat:

- A **weapons offense** was discovered during a traffic stop in the area of Briggs Road and Camellia Drive at approximately 4:03 p.m. on 01/09. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Juvenile male, age 16; of Gaithersburg, MD**

J2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

K1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
  - In the 14200 block of Grand Pre Road between approximately 12:00 a.m. on 01/06 and 6:15 a.m. on 01/08. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- In the 3300 block of Hewitt Avenue between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 01/08 and 1:00 p.m. on 01/09. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 01/14.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 3700 block of Bel Pre Road at approximately 3:00 p.m. on 01/10. The suspects took property from the juvenile male victim. The suspects were arrested.

**Arrested: Franklin Paralta-Cruz, age 18; of Silver Spring, MD  
Juvenile male, age 15; of Silver Spring, MD  
Juvenile male, age 15; of Rockville, MD**

K2 Beat:

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 12800 block of Evanston Street between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 01/01 and 7:20 a.m. on 01/02.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 3900 block of Palmira Lane between approximately 12:00 p.m. on 01/06 and 6:00 a.m. on 01/07. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 14600 block of Bauer Drive at approximately 3:39 p.m. on 01/09. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, teens**

L1 Beat:

- **Shots fired** occurred in the 1100 block of University Boulevard in the early morning hours of 01/11.

**No suspect(s) information available**

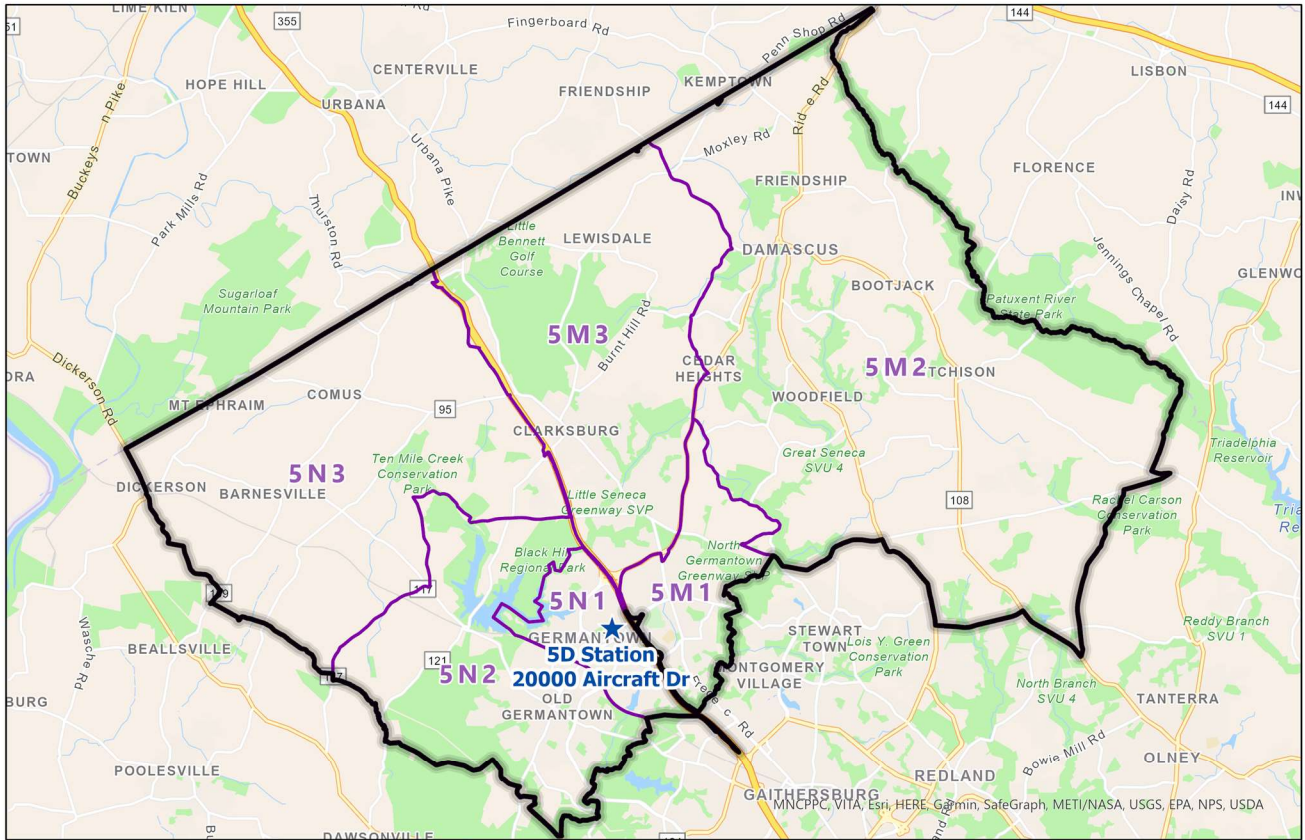
L2 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 10800 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 10:00 a.m. on 01/04 and 10:15 a.m. on 01/05. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**



- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Lindsay Ford* located in the 11100 block of Veirs Mill Road in the early morning hours of 01/07. Forced entry; vehicle keys were taken. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Luis Vasquez-Gomez, age 28; of Silver Spring, MD**



# 5th DISTRICT GERMANTOWN

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-  Police Beat Boundary

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M1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 20000 block of Appledowre Circle in the early morning hours of 01/05. Forced entry; nothing was taken. The suspect was arrested.

**Arrested: Bilal Njie, age 24; of Silver Spring, MD**

- An **attempted vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the 20400 block of Apple Harvest Circle between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 01/05 and 7:45 a.m. on 01/08. Force; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- A **vehicle theft** was discovered in the 19200 block of Frederick Road at approximately 3:15 p.m. on 01/07. Unknown entry.

**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:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

N2 Beat:

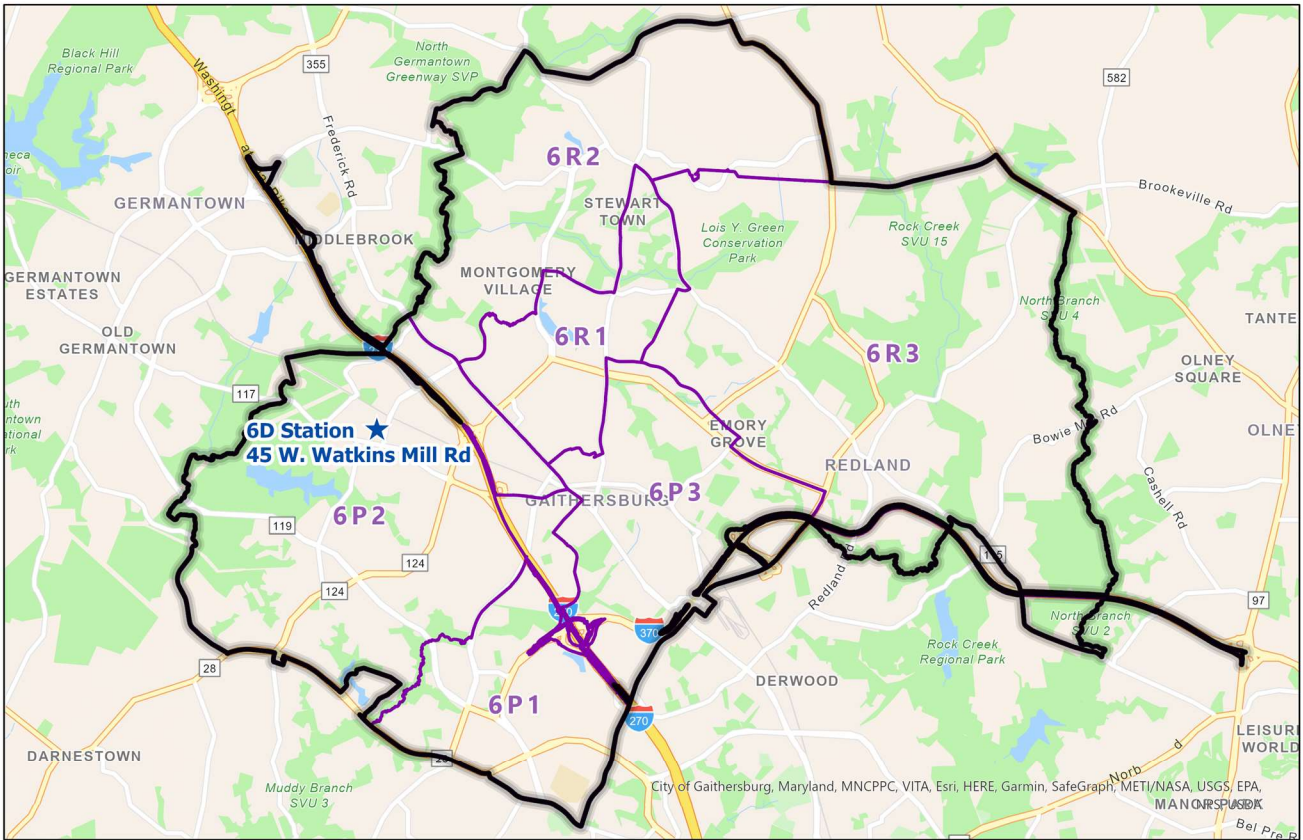
- An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 18100 block of Chalet Drive at approximately 12:49 p.m. on 01/09. The suspect displayed a weapon.

**Victim/Witness described suspect as: Middle Eastern male, age unknown**

N3 Beat:

- A **theft** occurred at a construction site located in the 22500 block of Sculpin Brook Road between approximately 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on 01/07. The suspect(s) took property.

**No suspect(s) information available**



**6th DIST. MONTGOMERY VILL.**  
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P1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 17100 block of Downing Street between approximately 12:00 p.m. and 11:30 p.m. on 01/07. Forced entry; property was taken.

**No suspect(s) information available**

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the 800 block of West Side Drive on 01/10. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit:

[https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcportalapps/Press\\_Detail\\_Pol.aspx?Item\\_ID=46437](https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=46437)

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:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 9900 block of Brookridge Court between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 01/09 and 12:30 p.m. on 01/10. Unknown entry.

**No suspect(s) information available**

R3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

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