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Recent Crime Summary

February 20, 2026

****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: 02/08/26 to 02/14/26

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

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

2nd District

D1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 2700 block of Colston Drive between approximately 3:00 p.m. and 4:45 p.m. on 02/13. Force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

D2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 4900 block of Elm Street at approximately 4:48 p.m. on 02/09. No force; property was taken.

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

E1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 7700 block of Hemlock Street at approximately 12:00 p.m. on 02/11. No force; money and property were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

3rd District

G1 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/08 and 02/12. One theft occurred in the 8200 block of Cedar Street and one theft occurred in the 500 block of Thayer Avenue. Force was reported in one event; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

G2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 9700 block of Marshall Avenue between approximately 6:45 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on 02/11. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

G3 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 8600 and 8800 blocks of Piney Branch Road between approximately 5:48 p.m. on 02/02 and 12:00 a.m. on 02/12. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12000 block of Cherry Hill Road at approximately 11:29 a.m. on 02/09. No force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I2 Beat:

- Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/07 and 02/13. Affected streets included Castle Boulevard, Greencastle Ridge Terrace, Castle Terrace, Pitcairn Place, Lamberton Square Road, Colgate Way, Sheffield Manor Terrace and Beethoven Way. Force was reported in multiple events; vehicle parts were taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I3 Beat:

- Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 02/09 and 02/14. One theft occurred in the 10600 block of Lockridge Drive and one theft occurred in the 10100 block of Colesville Road. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

4th District

K1 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 15300 block of Basswood Court between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 02/13 and 7:00 a.m. on 02/14. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

L2 Beat:

- A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 1700 block of Mayhew Drive between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 02/08 and 7:30 a.m. on 02/09. Force; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

5th District

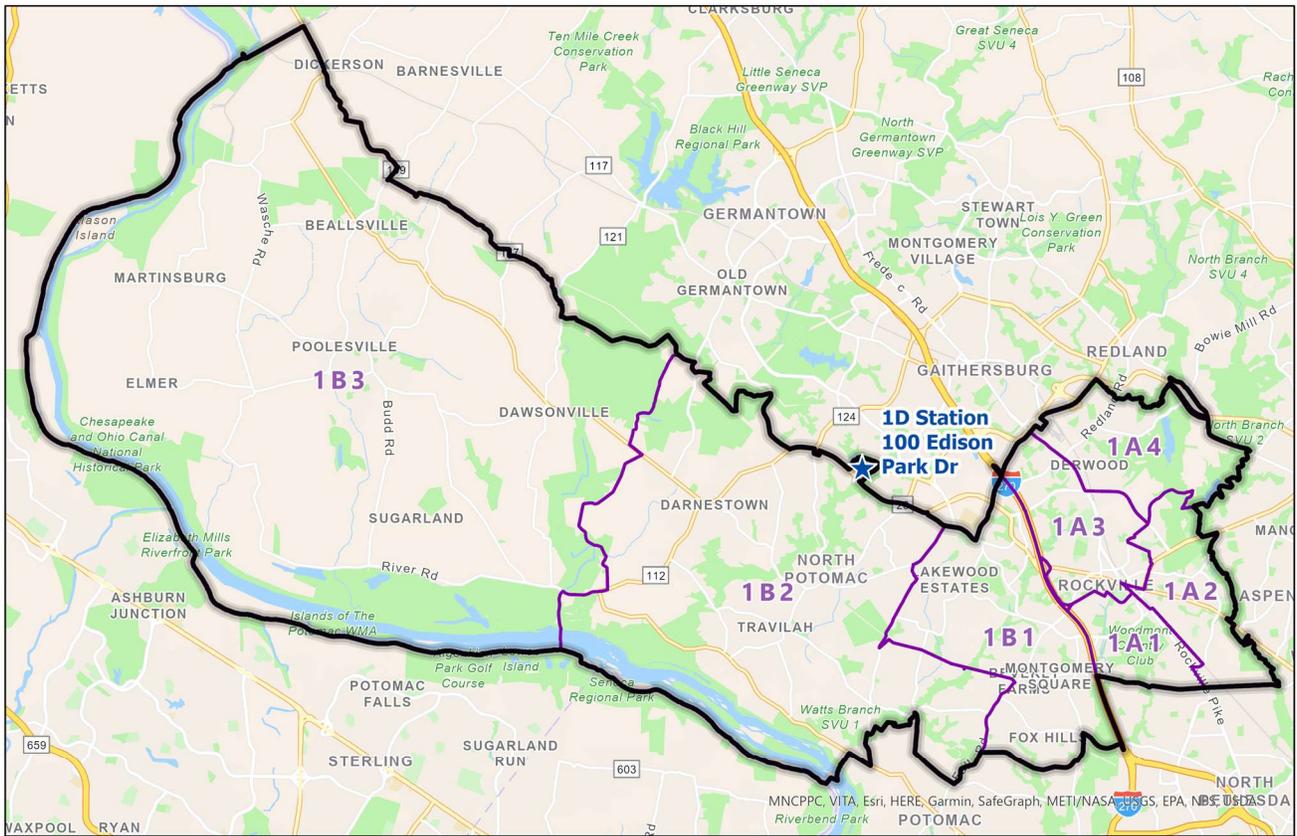
N1 Beat:

- An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12700 block of Wisteria Drive at approximately 2:35 p.m. on 02/11.

No suspect(s) information available

6th District

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



1st DISTRICT *ROCKVILLE*

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

- ★ District Station
- ▭ Police District Boundary
- ▭ Police Beat Boundary

MCPD GIS May 2021

02/08/26 to 02/14/26

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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

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:

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

- In the 7700 block of Hiawatha Lane between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 02/08 and 9:00 a.m. on 02/09. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/09.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 15900 block of Indian Hills Terrace between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 02/08 and 4:15 p.m. on 02/09. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/13.

No suspect(s) information available

- **Shots fired** occurred in the 8100 block of Needwood Road at approximately 11:08 p.m. on 02/09.

No suspect(s) information available

B1 Beat:

- A **shooting** occurred at *Thomas S. Wootton High School* located in the 2100 block of Wootton Parkway at approximately 2:15 p.m. on 02/09. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit:

https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=48232

B2 Beat:

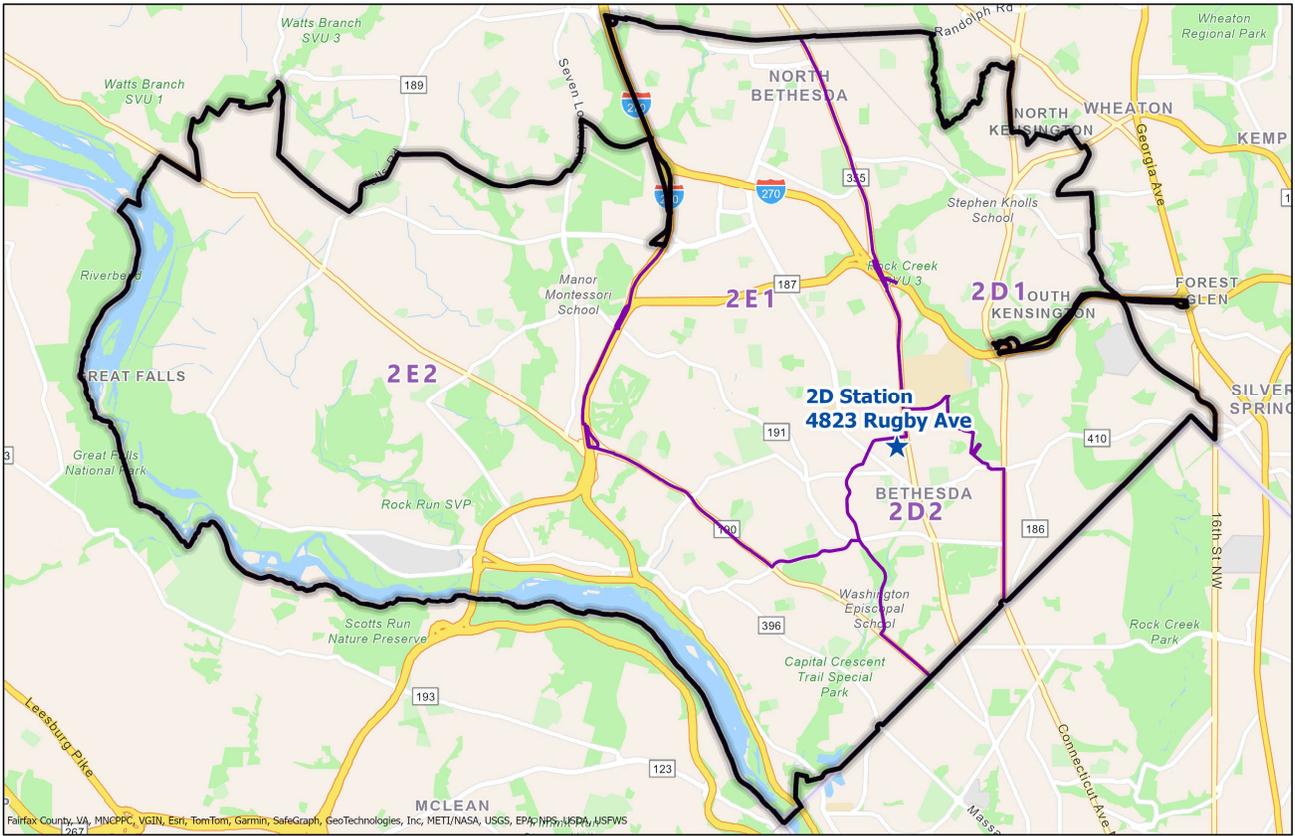
- A **homicide** occurred at the *Cogir Potomac Senior Living* facility located in the 10800 block of Potomac Tennis Lane at approximately 7:34 a.m. on 02/14.

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https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcgportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=48283

B3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



2nd DISTRICT *BETHESDA*

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

-  District Station
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-  Police Beat Boundary

MCPD GIS July 2025

02/08/26 to 02/14/26

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D1 Beat:

- A **commercial burglary** occurred at *Rolling Wood Apartments* located in the 2500 block of Ross Road between approximately 4:46 p.m. on 01/03 and 4:46 p.m. on 02/13. Forced entry; nothing was taken. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Jose C. Lemus, age 34; of an unconfirmed address

D2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

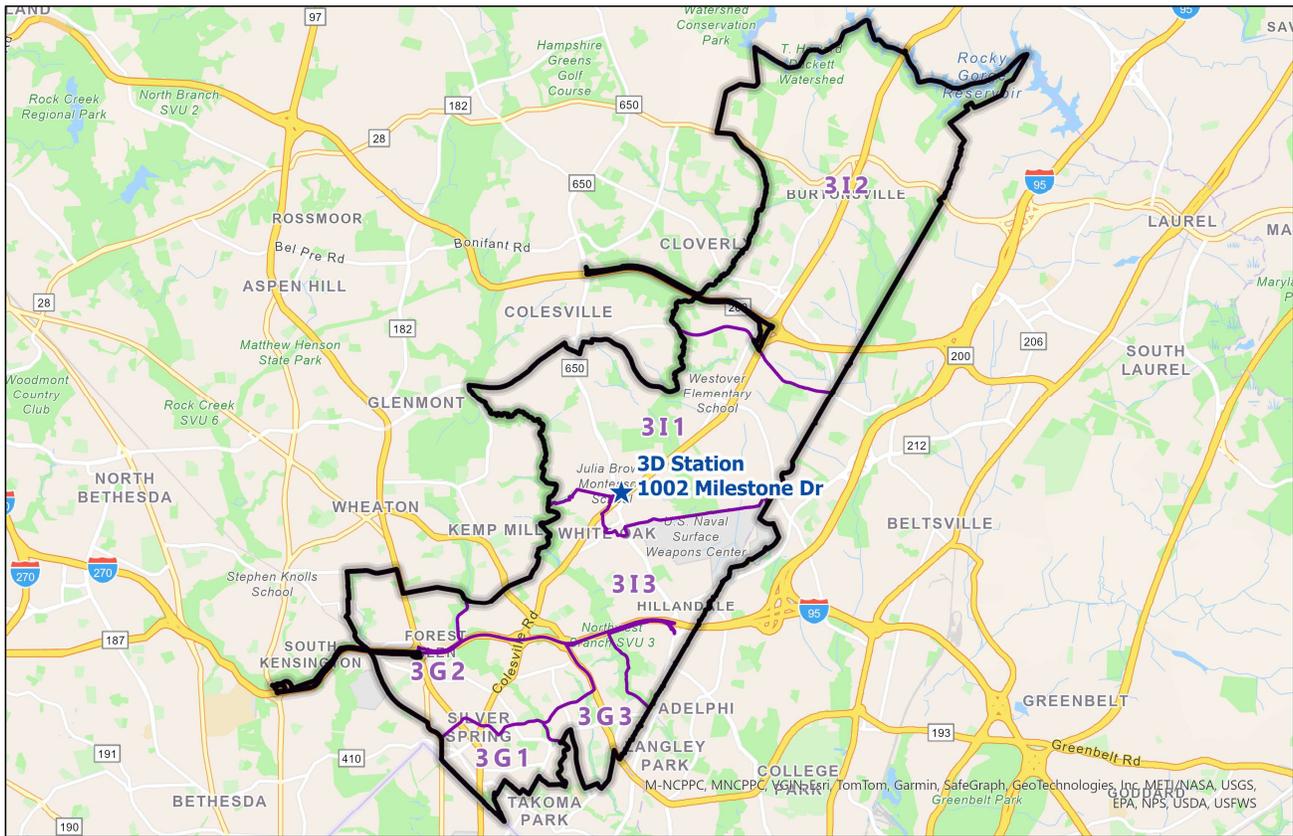
E1 Beat:

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 10000 block of Fernwood Road discovered at approximately 5:16 p.m. on 02/10. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

E2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



3rd DISTRICT SILVER SPRING

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

- ★ District Station
- ▭ Police District Boundary
- ▭ Police Beat Boundary

MCPD GIS July 2025

02/08/26 to 02/14/26

Residents can prevent and/or reduce the likelihood of becoming a victim of vehicle-related crimes by removing keys and valuables and locking vehicle doors.

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G1 Beat:

- A **double stabbing** and **weapons offense** occurred in the area of Wayne Avenue and Ramsey Avenue at approximately 6:00 p.m. on 02/09. A suspect was arrested.

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- **Strong-arm robberies** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 8600 block of Colesville Road at approximately 9:03 a.m. on 02/14. The suspects took property from the two juvenile male victims. Two suspects were arrested.

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 14; of Washington, D.C.

Juvenile male, age 12; of Washington, D.C.

Victim/Witness described additional suspects as: 3 B/Ms, teens

- In the 8400 block of Colesville Road at approximately 9:56 p.m. on 02/14. The suspects assaulted the two adult victims and took their property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, approximately age 20

No information available on additional suspects

G2 Beat:

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the area of Forest Glen Road and Georgia Avenue at approximately 6:21 p.m. on 02/09. The suspect assaulted the adult female victim and took her property.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/F, age 25-35

G3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

I1 Beat:

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 1700 block of January Drive between approximately 4:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on 02/08.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 11100 block of New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 5:18 p.m. on 02/08. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 5-7 B/Ms, teens

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

- In the 11500 block of Stewart Lane between approximately 10:30 p.m. on 02/09 and 6:00 a.m. on 02/10. Force.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 12300 block of La Plata Street between approximately 9:30 p.m. on 02/11 and 8:15 a.m. on 02/12. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

I2 Beat:

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

- In the 13600 block of Robey Road between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 02/07 and 11:00 a.m. on 02/08. Unknown entry.

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

- In the unit block of Silver Spruce Court in the early morning hours of 02/08. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 3900 block of Pitcairn Place between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 02/09 and 7:40 a.m. on 02/10. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/13.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 3700 block of Angelton Court between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 02/09 and 7:30 a.m. on 02/10. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 13800 block of Carter House Way between approximately 3:00 a.m. and 8:25 a.m. on 02/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 3400 block of Robey Terrace between approximately 5:30 a.m. and 7:50 a.m. on 02/12. Force.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 15700 block of Old Columbia Pike between approximately 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on 02/14. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- A **residential burglary** occurred in the 3300 block of Teagarden Circle at approximately 5:17 p.m. on 02/10. Forced entry; property was taken.

No suspect(s) information available

I3 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 1700 block of Mt. Pisgah Lane between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 02/09 and 6:20 a.m. on 02/10. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 10100 block of Tenbrook Drive between approximately 6:33 a.m. and 6:45 a.m. on 02/10. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10. Two suspects were arrested.

**Arrested: Juvenile male, age 15; of Bethesda, MD
Juvenile male, age 13; of Silver Spring, MD
Victim/Witness described one additional suspect as: B/M, age unknown**

- In the 600 block of Northampton Drive between approximately 8:00 a.m. on 02/11 and 10:30 a.m. on 02/12. Unknown entry.

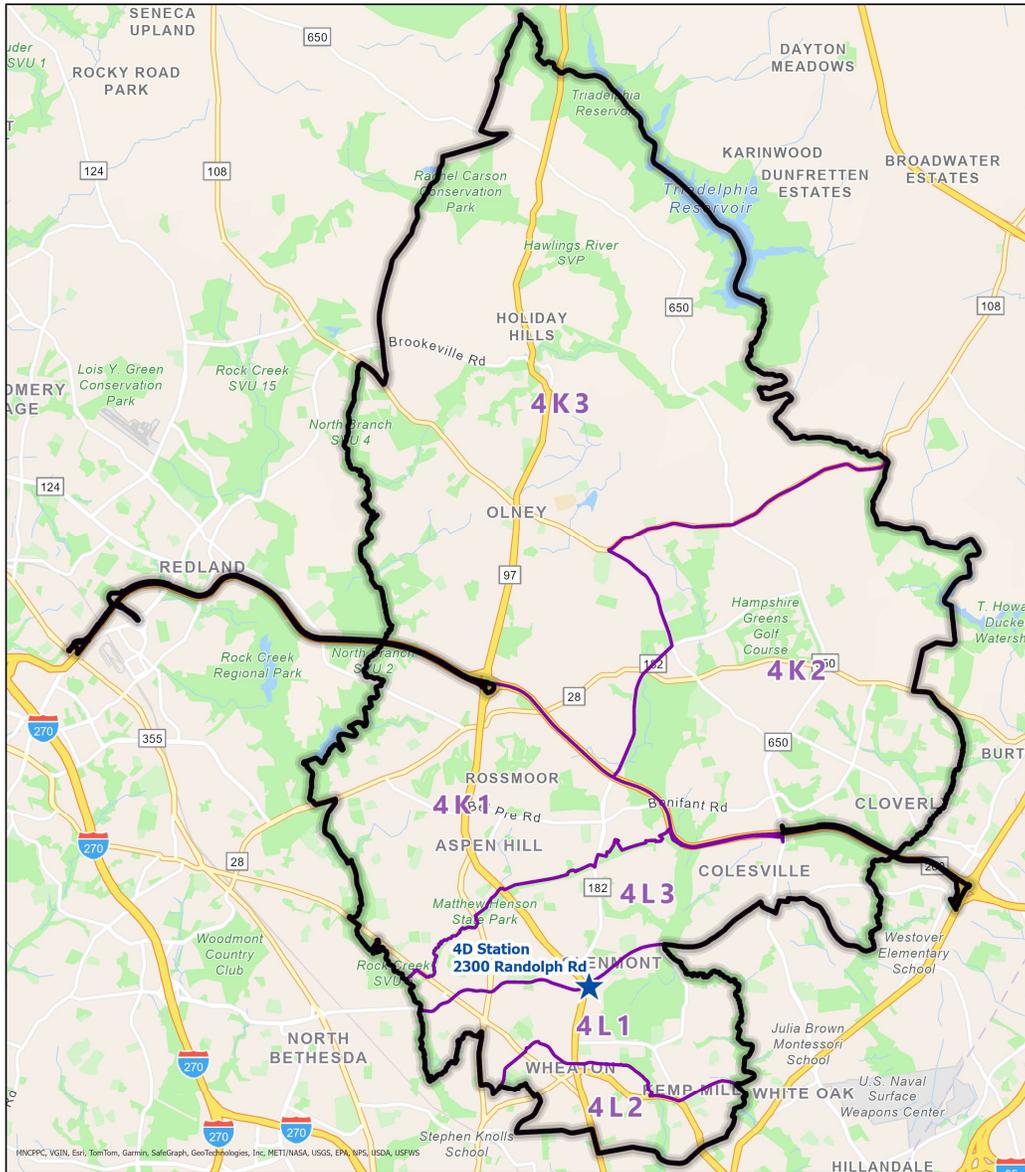
No suspect(s) information available

- In the 600 block of Beacon Road between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 02/12 and 7:00 a.m. on 02/13. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/14.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 10200 block of New Hampshire Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/14. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/14.

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



4th DISTRICT WHEATON

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

-  District Station
-  Police District Boundary
-  Police Beat Boundary

MCPD GIS July 2025

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K1 Beat:

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 3300 block of Weeping Willow Court between approximately 12:00 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. on 02/08.

No suspect(s) information available

- **Strong-arm robberies** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 13100 block of Parkland Drive at approximately 5:50 a.m. on 02/10. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property. The suspects were arrested.
Note: These suspects also committed a strong-arm robbery in the L2 Beat.

**Arrested: Juvenile male, age 13; of Silver Spring, MD
Juvenile male, age 15; of Rockville, MD**

- In the 14500 block of Bauer Drive at approximately 3:23 p.m. on 02/10. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his money and property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 H/Ms, ages 12-15

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 14200 block of North Gate Drive between approximately 6:15 a.m. and 6:30 a.m. on 02/10. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 02/14.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 13900 block of North Gate Drive at approximately 8:10 a.m. on 02/10. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

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

- In the 2200 block of Bel Pre Road between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 02/10 and 7:00 a.m. on 02/11. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

K2 Beat:

- A series of **commercial burglaries** occurred at the following locations:
 - At *T-Mobile* located in the 15400 block of New Hampshire Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/08. Forced entry; nothing was taken.
 - At *Selam Beauty Studio* located in the 15400 block of New Hampshire Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/08. Forced entry; money and merchandise were taken.
 - At *Grace Nails* located in the 15400 block of New Hampshire Avenue in the early morning hours of 02/08. Forced entry; money was taken.

For more information and to view surveillance photos of the suspects, please visit:
https://www2.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcportalapps/Press_Detail_Pol.aspx?Item_ID=48247

K3 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 15100 block of Deer Valley Terrace between approximately 2:45 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. on 02/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

L1 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 1900 block of Franwall Avenue between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 02/02 and 10:00 a.m. on 02/09. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 4400 block of Bennion Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 02/10 and 4:00 a.m. on 02/11. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/11.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 3900 block of Ferrara Drive in the early morning hours of 02/11. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/11.

No suspect(s) information available

- An **armed robbery** occurred in the area of Grandview Avenue and Newton Street at approximately 7:53 p.m. on 02/14. One suspect displayed a weapon and one suspect assaulted the adult male victim. The suspects took his money.

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

L2 Beat:

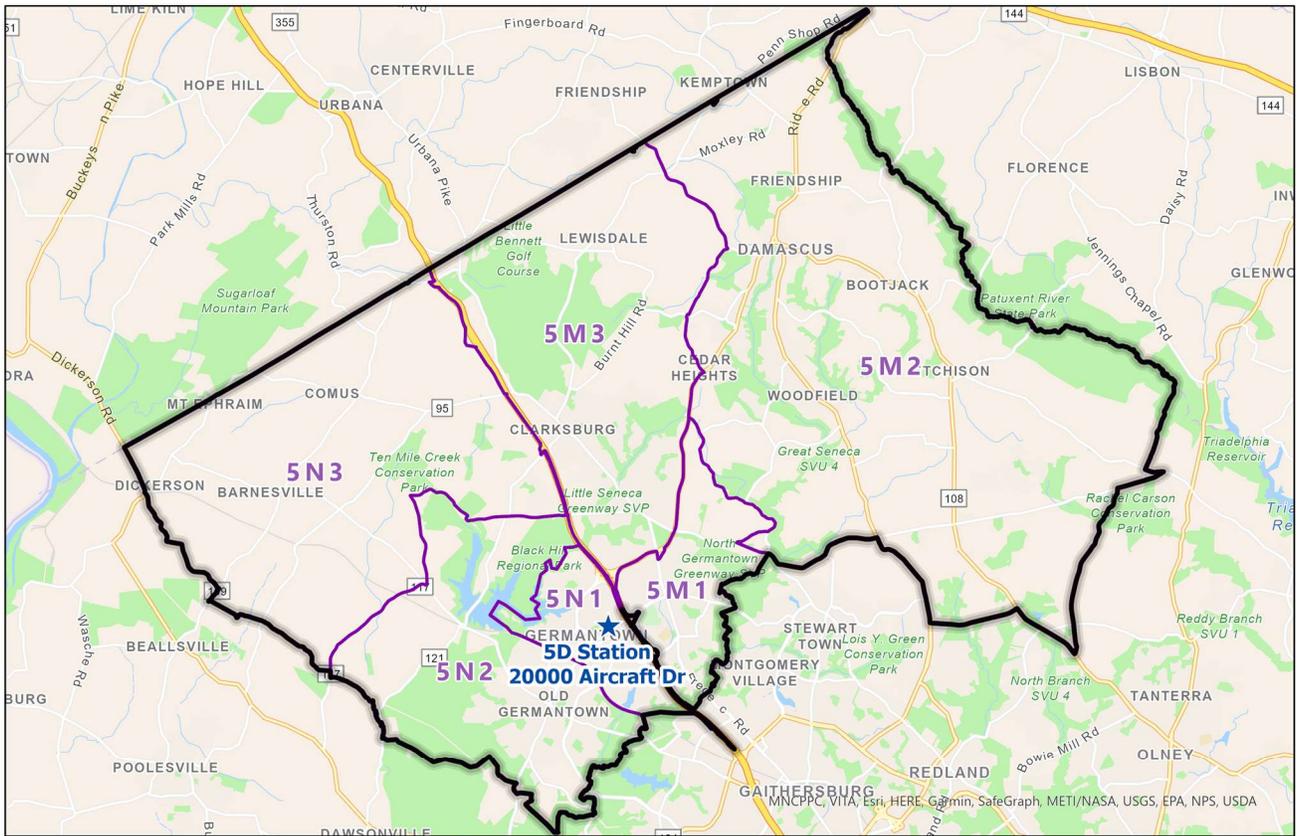
- A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 700 block of Dennis Avenue at approximately 7:35 a.m. on 02/10. The suspects assaulted the juvenile male victim and took his property. The suspects were arrested. *Note: These suspects also committed a strong-arm robbery in the K1 Beat.*

**Arrested: Juvenile male, age 13; of Silver Spring, MD
Juvenile male, age 15; of Rockville, MD**

L3 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 12900 block of Moray Road in the early morning hours of 02/09. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available



5th DISTRICT GERMANTOWN

MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

- District Station
- Police District Boundary
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MCPD GIS May 2021

02/08/26 to 02/14/26

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M1 Beat:

- A **theft** occurred at *Target* located in the 20900 block of Frederick Road at approximately 1:19 p.m. on 02/09. The suspect took merchandise. The suspect was arrested.

Arrested: Barry Roache, age 26; of an unconfirmed address

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 11200 block of Bent Creek Terrace between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 02/09 and 4:00 a.m. on 02/10. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 11400 block of Stoney Point Place in the early morning hours of 02/10. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

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:

- **Attempted vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 11800 block of Summer Oak Drive at approximately 2:30 p.m. on 02/09.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 H/Ms, ages unknown
1 female, no further description**

- In the 12200 block of Eagles Nest Court at approximately 2:40 p.m. on 02/09.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 H/Ms, ages unknown
1 H/F, age unknown**

- A **theft** and **aggravated assault** occurred at an *Exxon* gas station located in the 12900 block of Middlebrook Road at approximately 6:33 a.m. on 02/11. The suspects took merchandise. One suspect displayed a weapon after they left.

**Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age 14-17
B/F, age 15**

N2 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 18700 block of Autumn Mist Drive in the early morning hours of 02/09. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/09.

No suspect(s) information available

- In the 13400 block of Daventry Way discovered at approximately 2:00 p.m. on 02/11. Unknown entry.

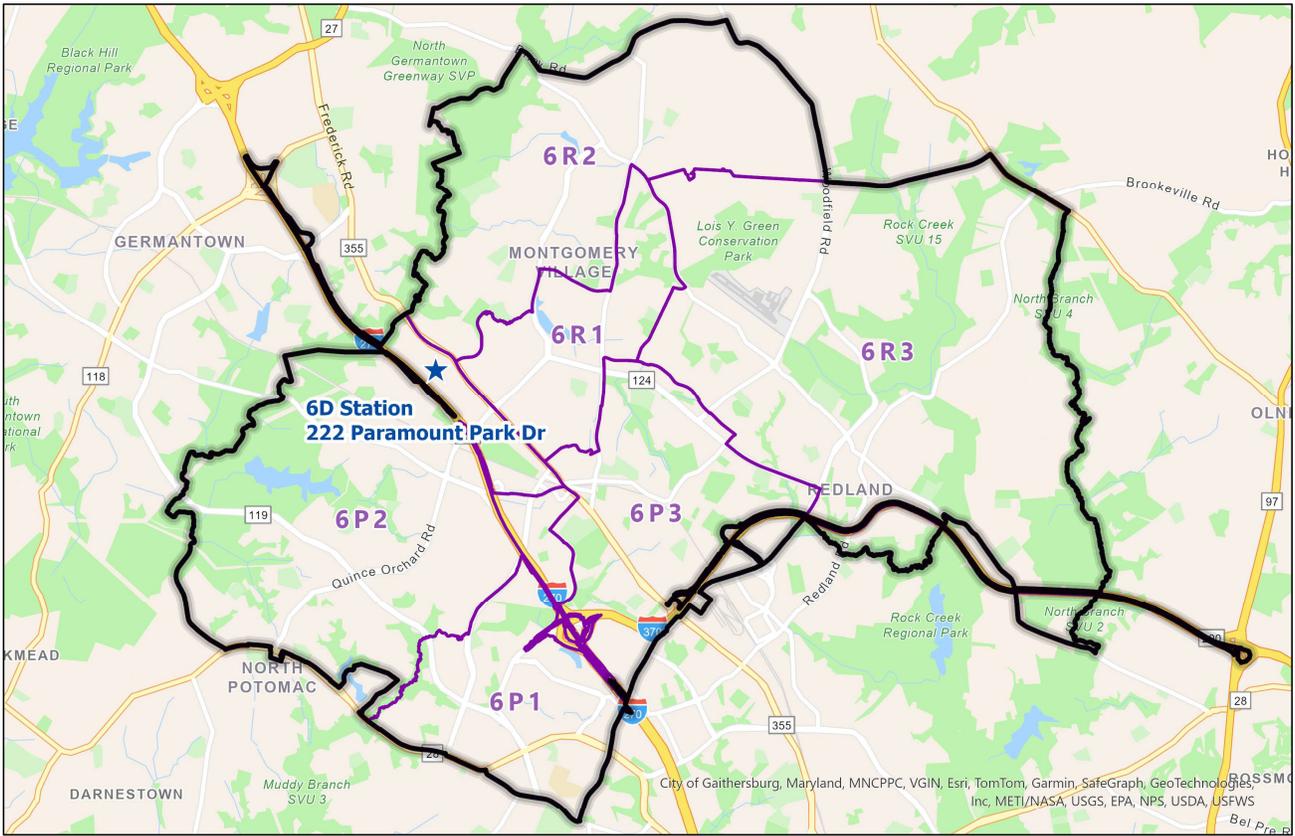
No suspect(s) information available

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the area of Clopper Road and Cinnamon Drive at approximately 2:21 p.m. on 02/09.

No suspect(s) information available

N3 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.



6th DIST. MONTGOMERY VILL.
MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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P1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P2 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

P3 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 17400 block of Amity Drive in the early morning hours of 02/09. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/09.

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

- An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 17400 block of Amity Drive between approximately 2:30 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. on 02/10.

No suspect(s) information available

R1 Beat:

- No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

R2 Beat:

- A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 19500 block of Taverney Drive in the early morning hours of 02/10. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

R3 Beat:

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
 - In the 7600 block of Laytonia Drive between approximately 6:00 p.m. on 02/09 and 7:00 a.m. on 02/10. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 02/10.

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

- In the 7500 block of Brenish Drive between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 02/13 and 8:15 a.m. on 02/14. Unknown entry.

No suspect(s) information available

- An **attempted armed robbery** occurred in the 7500 block of Laytonia Drive at approximately 3:01 p.m. on 02/10. The suspect displayed a weapon and attempted to take property from the juvenile male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspect as: H/M, age 16-17

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