

TAKOMA PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT - WEEKLY CRIME REPORT
ACTIVITIES REPORTED AUGUST 14-21, 2026

08/21/2026

WARD	CASE#	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	SUMMARY
3	2600 35523	8/14/26	9:33 am	Natural Death	7000 blk Carroll Ave	Natural Death of 80-year-old male
2	N/A	8/14/26	1:00 pm	Police Information	7300 blk Trescott Ave	Police Information
6	2600 35677	8/15/26	11:34 am	Warrant Service/Arrest	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	Officers came into contact with a subject with three outstanding warrants through Montgomery County Police, Maryland State Police and Frederick County Police; arrested
4	2600 35702	8/15/26	3:45 pm	Found Property	Unit blk Freemont Ave	A resident found a black cell phone and small multi-colored bag and turned them in to police; impounded
3	2600 35795	8/16/26	9:57 am	Residential Burglary/Vandalism	Unit blk Elm Ave	The victim reported that a contractor working at her residence discovered that the home had been burglarized and electrical tools had been stolen. Responding officers observed and photographed damage to the front door. A glass panel in the door had been broken, allowing the suspect(s) to reach inside and unlock the door to gain entry to the residence.
6	N/A	8/16/26	3:12 pm	Suspicious Situation	7400 blk New Hampshire Ave	Suspicious Situation
2	2600 35858	8/16/26	4:12 pm	Found Property	700 blk Auburn Ave	A resident found a backpack on his property behind his shed and turned it in to police; impounded
2	N/A	8/16/26	4:13 pm	Police Information	6900 blk New Hampshire Ave	Police Information
2	N/A	8/17/26	1:26 am	Suspicious Situation	900 blk East West Hwy	Suspicious Situation

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1	2600 35901	8/17/26	5:59 am	Towed Vehicle	Piney Branch Rd & Takoma Ave	Disabled vehicle was towed
5	2600 35936	8/17/26	11:48 am	Recovered Stolen Auto	8300 blk Roanoke Ave	A vehicle parked illegally was determined to be stolen from DC; the vehicle's tags were missing; owner was notified
6	2600 35994	8/17/26	5:56 pm	Stolen Auto	7400 blk New Hampshire Ave	Sometime between 1 PM & 5 PM, unk suspect(s) stole the victim's vehicle.
2	2600 36020	8/17/26	9:16 pm	Sound of Shots Fired	6900 blk Prince George's Ave	Police responded for the sound of shots fired. Officers searched the surrounding area, including the nearby park, for suspects, potential victims, and shell casings; however, none were located.
5	N/A	8/18/26	2:15 am	Emergency Evaluation Petition	8300 blk Roanoke Ave	Emergency Evaluation Petition
3	N/A	8/18/26	6:57 am	Emergency Evaluation Petition	Unit blk Walnut Ave	Emergency Evaluation Petition
6	2600 36121	8/18/26	3:20 pm	Warrant Service/Arrest	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	Officers came into contact with a subject with an outstanding warrant through the Prince George's County Sheriff's Office; arrested
1	2600 36125	8/18/26	4:13 pm	Vandalism to Building	300 blk Tulip Ave	Sometime between 1 PM & 2 PM, unk suspect(s) broke the gym glass door at the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church.
5	2600 36163	8/18/26	7:22 pm	Vandalism to Auto	7700 blk Greenwood Ave	At an unk time, unk suspect(s) damaged the windshield of the victim's vehicle.

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6	2600 36234	8/19/26	11:22 am	Theft from Auto/Vandalism	900 blk University Blvd	Sometime between 8/18 @ 6 PM & 8/19 @ 8 AM, unk suspect(s) shattered the front driver's side window to the victim's vehicle to gain entry and stole property.
6	2600 36257	8/19/26	2:20 pm	CDS Arrest	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	Officers patrolling the area observed a male in the rear parking lot of Aldi's smoking an unk substance. Officers made contact with the individual, who consented to a search of his backpack. During the investigation, officers recovered suspected cocaine. The individual was placed under arrest.
2	N/A	8/19/26	4:44 pm	Domestic	900 blk Elm Ave	Domestic
3	N/A	8/19/26	11:38 pm	Police Information	7400 blk Carroll Ave	Police Information
6	N/A	8/20/26	2:21 am	Domestic	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	Domestic
2	2600 36358	8/20/26	2:48 am	Theft from Auto	7400 blk Aspen Ct	Officers met with the owner of one of 11 vehicles that had been broken into overnight. Multiple vehicles were vandalized, and entry was made into at least one vehicle, where property was stolen. The investigation is ongoing.

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6	2600 36386	8/20/26	8:28 am	2 nd Degree Assault	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	On 9/18 @ 2 PM, an unk male subject who was soliciting money in front of Aldi's approached the victim in a disorderly manner. A verbal altercation ensued, during which the subject swung a gold chain, striking the victim with it.
6	2600 36387	8/20/26	8:57 am	Larceny	7300 blk New Hampshire Ave	Commercial theft from Advance Auto
6	2600 36424	8/20/26	11:30 am	Fraud/Theft by Deception	1300 blk Holton Ln	On 8/7 @ approx. 3PM, the victim purchased what she believed was an iPhone 17 Pro Max from an unk male she met through Facebook Marketplace. Several weeks later, she discovered the phone appeared to be an Android device disguised as an iPhone and reported the incident to police.
6	2600 36433	8/20/26	11:40 am	Theft of Airbag/Vandalism to Auto	8100 blk Carroll Ave	At approx. 10:30 AM, the victim was proceeding to her vehicle when she observed the driver side window had been broken by an unk suspect(s) and the airbag stolen.
6	2600 36504	8/20/26	5:58 pm	Fraud	1100 blk Lancaster Rd	The victim was contacted by an unk suspect purporting to be from the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office. The suspect told the victim they missed jury duty and would need to pay a large amount of money to avoid an arrest warrant being issued. The victim transferred the money electronically.

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3D Station – 3rd District of Montgomery County Police Department

Burglary – Entry into a building or residence illegally with the intent to commit a crime, especially theft.

CDS – Controlled Dangerous Substance.

CDW – Concealed Deadly Weapon.

Contact Shooting – An individual(s) was shot.

CPU – Central Processing Unit

DNR – Department of Natural Resources

Domestic – Usually an incident within a home between domestic partners and/or family members. *This information is not released for the privacy of the individual(s).*

DUI – Driving Under the Influence

Emergency Evaluation Petition – An emergency evaluation petition is a legal process that enables a petitioner (sometimes a police officer) to get a person who is suffering from a mental illness or is in a serious mental crisis taken into custody and examined by a medical professional in a designated emergency facility. *This information is not released for the privacy of the individual(s).*

FTA - Failure to Appear

GSW – Gun Shot Wound

Home Invasion – Involves breaking into a dwelling or home that is occupied. A dwelling can be defined as a house, apartment, houseboat, dorm room, RV or campground site. Felony home invasion is a first-degree burglary charge if it involves a dwelling and there is an intent to commit a violent crime.

IRS – Internal Revenue Service

Larceny – Theft of property

LSW – Last Seen Wearing

MCFR – Montgomery County Fire & Rescue

MCPD – Montgomery County Police Department

MNCPP – Maryland National Capital Park Police

MPD – Metropolitan Police Department

MSP – Maryland State Police

Natural Death – Medical Examiner determined the death was natural and no foul play suspected.

PDC – Property Damage Collision

PIC – Personal Injury Collision

PGPD – Prince George's County Police Department

Police Information – *This information is not released to preserve the integrity of an investigation.*

Posted from Property – Given a trespass notice and cannot return to the property.

PWID – Possession with the Intent to Distribute

Robbery (Strong Arm/Armed) – The action of taking property unlawfully from a person or place by force or threat of force. If using a weapon, it's armed.

Rogue & Vagabond – Breaking and entering a motor vehicle.

Sexual Offenses (1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th) – For Degree descriptions see below.

SFST – Standardized Field Sobriety Test

Simple Assault - Causing or attempting to cause serious physical harm to another individual. A simple assault can be committed very easily. If a defendant has physically touched an alleged victim, they can be accused of simple assault.

Skimming Fraud Device - A skimming fraud device is a small, hidden device used to steal credit or debit card information by capturing data from a card's magnetic strip during a legitimate transaction.

SSN – Social Security Number

Suicide - *This information is not released for the privacy of the individual(s).*

Suspicious Situation – *This information is not released to preserve the integrity of an investigation.*

Unattended Death - The phrase unattended death refers to a death in which the body is not found for days, weeks, or in some cases, months. Unattended deaths happen most commonly with the elderly, especially if they reside alone and do not have family or friends who check on them regularly. *This information is not released for the privacy of the individual(s).*

Undetermined Death – Death is under investigation

VOP – Violation of Parole