

TAKOMA PARK POLICE DEPARTMENT - WEEKLY CRIME REPORT
ACTIVITIES REPORTED AUGUST 7-14, 2026

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WARD	CASE#	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	SUMMARY
6	2600 34574	8/7/26	1:30 pm	Theft from Auto	7600 blk New Hampshire Ave	Sometime between 12:40 PM & 1:30 PM, unk suspect(s) broke into the victim's vehicle and stole property.
2	2600 34513	8/7/26	3:15 pm	Warrant Service/Arrest	900 blk East West Hwy	Officers came into contact with a subject with two outstanding warrants through Takoma Park; arrested.
6	2600 34619	8/7/26	5:12 pm	Fraud	7400 blk New Hampshire Ave	The victim attempted to obtain a loan through "Cash Advance" when she was contacted by an individual requesting Apple gift cards. After providing gift card codes totaling \$180, as well as her bank account, routing and Social Security numbers, the caller demanded additional gift cards, which she refused. The victim later discovered her bank account had been flagged for fraud and contained unauthorized transactions. Officers advised her to contact her bank.
2	2600 34728	8/8/26	4:00 pm	Theft from Auto	700 blk Auburn Ave	Sometime overnight, unk suspect(s) broke into the victim's vehicle, rummaged around and stole property.
2	2600 34753	8/8/26	5:51 pm	Hit & Run	6900 blk New Hampshire Ave	The victim was traveling SB when another vehicle sideswiped their vehicle and continued SB on New Hampshire Ave.
5	2600 34818	8/9/26	7:54 am	Vandalism to Auto	8500 blk Flower Ave	Sometime between 8/8 @ 9 PM & 8/9 @ 7 AM, unk suspect(s) smashed the passenger side window of the victim's vehicle.

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5	2600 34829	8/9/26	10:25 am	Theft from Auto/Vandalism	600 blk Kennebec Ave	Sometime between 8/8 @ 5 PM & 8/9 @ 10 AM, unk suspect(s) smashed the driver side window of the victim's vehicle to gain entry and stole property.
5	2600 34840	8/9/26	12:03 pm	Theft from Autos/Vandalism	600 blk Kennebec Ave	Sometime between 8/8 @ 8:30 PM & 8/9 @ 12 PM, unk suspect(s) smashed the passenger side windows of two victims' vehicles; it did not appear as though any property was stolen at the time of the report.
5	2600 34847	8/9/26	2:01 pm	Theft from Auto	600 blk Kennebec Ave	Sometime between 8/8 @ 10:30 PM & 8/9 @ 2 PM, unk suspect(s) broke into two victims' vehicles; one had property stolen from it and the other did not have any property stolen.
6	2600 33484	8/10/26	9:25 am	Recovered Stolen Auto	1000 blk University Blvd	Riverdale Park Police recovered a vehicle stolen from Takoma Park; both tags were intact. Vehicle was towed and the owner notified.
6	2600 34937	8/10/26	9:40 am	Property Damage Collision	7500 blk New Hampshire Ave	A northbound vehicle struck the front of another vehicle. No injuries were reported, and neither vehicle required towing.
2	2600 34950	8/10/26	10:10 am	Residential Burglary	900 blk Glaizewood Ave	A real estate agent showing a home discovered property that was later determined to have been stolen from a vehicle several days earlier. The property was recovered, and the investigation is ongoing.

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5	2600 34967	8/10/26	11:04 am	Attempted 1 st Degree Murder	Houston Ave & Roanoke Ave	Takoma Park Police responded to an assault following a motor vehicle collision at Houston Ave & Roanoke Ave. A 47-year-old man suffered severe lacerations to his head and neck and was transported to a trauma center in critical condition. The following day, detectives located and arrested the suspect with assistance from Montgomery County Police. A search of the suspect's vehicle recovered evidence related to the incident, and the suspect was transported to the Montgomery County Central Processing Unit and charged accordingly.
2	2600 35028	8/10/26	4:26 pm	Theft from Auto	700 blk Auburn Ave	Sometime between 8/7 @ 8 PM & 8/8 @ 10 AM, unk suspect(s) rummaged through the victim's vehicle. At the time of the initial report, the victim did not believe anything had been stolen. The victim was later notified that his wallet had been located by a realtor conducting an open house on Glaizewood Drive and was subsequently returned to him. Further investigation determined that additional property had also been stolen from the vehicle.
2	N/A	8/10/26	4:44 pm	Police Information	700 blk Chaney Dr	Police Information

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5	2600 35052	8/10/26	7:02 pm	Vandalism to Auto	200 blk Domer Ave	On 8/9 @ 6:30 AM, an unk male suspect wearing dark-colored clothing and a ski mask entered the victim's driveway, opened the victim's vehicle and rummaged through the interior. The suspect removed plastic trim pieces from inside the vehicle, as well as the vehicle's license plate. It did not appear as though any property had been stolen at the time of the report.
2	2600 35059	8/10/26	7:24 pm	Gas Station Theft from Auto	900 blk East West Hwy	On 8/8 @ 1:15 PM, an unk suspect stole property from the victim's vehicle.
4	2600 35065	8/10/26	8:00 pm	Theft	7600 blk Maple Ave	The victim and suspect were inside the victim's apartment. When the victim asked the suspect to leave, the suspect left the residence with property belonging to the victim.
3	2600 35113	8/11/26	9:00 am	Found Property	6900 blk Laurel Ave	A resident turned in a found wallet; impounded.
6	2600 35185	8/11/26	5:30 pm	Theft from Auto	7300 blk Wildwood Dr	At an unk time, unk suspect(s) broke into the victim's vehicle and stole property.
5	N/A	8/11/26	5:36 pm	Domestic	7700 blk Maple Ave	Domestic

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2	2600 35216	8/11/26	10:52 pm	Sound of Shots Fired	New Hampshire Ave & Sligo Creek Pkwy	Police responded out for five anonymous calls regarding the sounds of 5-6 gunshots heard. Police canvassed the area by vehicle and on foot for suspects, potential victims, and casings with negative results. Upon clearing the area, an officer was on Sligo Creek Pkwy near Old Carroll Ave, at which time he heard approximately 5-6 additional gunshots coming from an unk area on Sligo Creek Pkwy. Officers once again canvassed the area with negative results. Detectives also patrolled the area in a plainclothes capacity with negative results as well.
1	2600 95224	8/12/26	2:05 am	Armed Robbery	6900 blk Laurel Ave	The victim met with an unk male to make a purchase. After receiving cash, the suspect brandished a pocket knife and demanded the victim's e-bike. The suspect fled on the bike, and officers were unable to locate him. The victim was not injured.
2	N/A	8/12/26	8:30 am	Police Information	900 blk Elm Ave	Police Information
6	N/A	8/12/26	3:57 pm	Emergency Evaluation Petition	Erskine t & 13 th Ave	Emergency Evaluation Petition
3	2600 35345	8/12/26	7:19 pm	Vandalism to Auto	6300 blk New Hampshire Ave	The victim stated a former employee damaged his vehicle's rear tires.

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4	2600 35436	8/13/26	1:37 pm	Pedestrian Struck/Non-Life-Threatening Injuries	Maple Ave & Lincoln Ave	Officers responded to a report of a 34-year-old male pedestrian struck. A driver traveling SB on Maple Ave struck the pedestrian, who sustained non-life-threatening injuries and was transported to a local hospital for treatment.
3	N/A	8/13/26	9:43 pm	Emergency Evaluation Petition	400 blk Elm Ave	Emergency Evaluation Petition

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