

WEEKLY REPORT

August 25 - 31, 2024

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Patrol Division

SERVICE AREA	ACTIVITY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	SUMMARY
1	Theft	08/25/2024	8:39 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a theft report. Officers spoke with the reporting person who stated they witnessed the suspect steal several items. Case numbers were given.
1	Commercial Alarm	08/25/2024	10:21 am	2300 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a commercial alarm. The building was checked secure.
3	Breaking and Entering	08/25/2024	10:51 am	3100 block of Perry Street	Officers responded for a breaking and entering report. Officers met with the owner of the residence who stated no one was in the house but noticed one of their windows were open. Officers observed no broken glass or broken locks. Officers were later notified the house is under renovation. Case numbers were given.
2	Parking Complaint	08/25/2024	11:24 am	4000 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded for a parking complaint. Upon arrival, the vehicle in question was legally parked.

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1	Theft from Auto	08/25/2024	11:31am	4600 block of 25 th Street	Officers responded for a theft from auto call for service. Officers made contact with the victim who stated their vehicle was broken into, and items were taken. Case numbers were given.
1	Suspicious Person	08/25/2024	11:52 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a suspicious person report. The area was checked secure.
1	Shoplifting	08/25/2024	12:12 pm	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a shoplifting report. The suspect was identified, and all merchandise was returned.
3	Family Dispute	08/25/2024	12:29 pm	3600 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for a landlord/tenant dispute. Mutual combatants were discovered. The tenant left the area. Both parties were advised the Court Commissioner's Office.
1	Parking Complaint	08/25/2024	1:50 pm	3200 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a parking complaint. A 48-hour impound notice sticker was placed on the vehicle.
1	Suspicious Person	08/25/2024	3:33 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a suspicious person. Officers arrived, and the person was sent on their way.
3	Domestic	08/25/2024	4:20 pm	3600 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a domestic report. The caller advised they wanted their significant other to leave. The significant other left prior to the Officers' arrival.
1	Shoplifting	08/25/2024	6:21 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a shoplifting report. The reporting person could not advise what was stolen.
1	Assist Citizen	08/25/2024	8:35 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	The caller advised their food delivery had been sent o the wrong address. The caller was advised.
3	Overdose	08/26/2024	1:00 am	1 Municipal Place	Officer responded for the report of an overdose. Communications advised there was a subject lying on the ground. Officers identified the subject. Fireboard arrived on scene and assisted the subject. A strong odor of CDS was coming from the subject. The subject was transported to the hospital.
1	Domestic Assault w/Arrest	08/26/2024	3:25 am	4600 block of 25 th Street	Officers responded for a domestic assault report. Mutual combatants were discovered. Both parties were arrested and transported for processing. Case numbers were given.
2	Theft from Auto	08/26/2024	7:32 am	Upshur Street and 28 th Place	Officers responded for a theft from auto report. Case numbers were given.
1	Disorderly	08/26/2024	8:09 am	3100 block of Chillum Road	Officers spoke with a citizen regarding a harassment incident. The harasser was advised and sent on their way.
2	Check Welfare	08/26/2024	8:42 am	4000 block of 32 nd Avenue	Officers responded for a check welfare call for service. PGPD was notified.
1	Theft from Auto	08/26/2024	12:05 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers responded for a theft from auto report. Case numbers were given.

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1	Domestic Standby	08/26/2024	6:13 pm	4300 block of Kaywood Drive	Officers assisted with a domestic standby.
3	Fight	08/26/2024	7:05 pm	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a group of subjects fighting.
3	Suspicious Person	08/26/2024	9:26 pm	3800 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded for a subject yelling and hitting vehicles. The subject was gone prior to the Officers' arrival.
1	Assist Non-Contact Shooting	08/27/2024	4:31 am	Arundel Road and 25 th Street	Officers responded for the report of gunshots heard in the area. During a canvass of the area, Officers were approached by one of the victims who stated they had gotten into a verbal argument with a family member. Their family member then called their significant other who arrived and began firing shots at the victim. Officers observed shell casings. The Criminal Investigation Division arrived on scene. It was later determined the shooting occurred in PGPD jurisdiction.
3	Child Custody	08/27/2024	8:03 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded to assist with a child custody exchange.
3	Check Welfare	08/27/2024	8:30 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers on patrol observed a subject laying on the ground. Officers spoke with the subject and determined Fireboard was needed. PGFD responded and assisted the citizen.
1	Stolen Vehicle (Impounded)	08/27/2024	9:07 pm	2700 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a stolen vehicle report. The vehicle that later discovered to be impounded for a parking violation.
3	Suspicious Persons	08/27/2024	10:28 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
1	Motor Vehicle Accident	08/28/2024	3:59 am	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers assisted PGPD with an accident.
3	Disorderly Person	08/28/2024	4:42 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers on patrol observed a disorderly subject. The subject was advised and sent on their way.
1	Theft	08/28/2024	8:54 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a theft in progress. Officers spoke with the reporting person who notified a suspect stole several items. Case numbers were given.
3	Theft from Auto	08/28/2024	1:58 pm	3200 block of Perry Street	Officers responded for a theft from auto report. The owner of the vehicle stated person(s) unknown stole tools and their wallet from their vehicle. Case numbers were given.
1	Shoplifting	08/28/2024	2:42 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a shoplifting report. Officers received the description of the suspects involved. Case numbers were given.
1	Shoplifting	08/28/2024	6:20 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a shoplifting complaint. The suspect was gone and the reporting person could not determine if anything was taken.

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2	Motor Vehicle Accident	08/28/2024	6:44 pm	4100 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for a motor vehicle accident involving a fatality. The accident occurred in Washington, DC. Officers assisted until MPDC arrived.
3	Disorderly Person	08/28/2024	7:54 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a disorderly person. The disorderly was sent on their way.
1	Residential Alarm	08/28/2024	8:55 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	The alarm company advised of a residential alarm going off. Upon arrival, Officers checked the home and doors and windows were secure.
3	Disorderly Person	08/28/2024	9:07 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a disorderly person. The subject was gone prior to the Officers' arrival.
3	Assault	08/29/2024	2:16 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Caller advised they were assaulted in Cottage City. PGPD was requested and handled the case.
3	Domestic Assault	08/29/2024	5:58 am	2700 block of Webster Street	Officers responded for a domestic assault report. The caller stated their significant other tried to stab them with a knife. Upon arrival, the significant other had fled the scene. The reporting person was seen with several scratches. Case numbers were given.
1	Disorderly Person	08/29/2024	8:18 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	The caller advised demanding a return for their food service order. The caller was advised.
1	Loitering Complaint	08/29/2024	11:48 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	The caller advised a subject sleeping on the bench. The subject was sent on their way.
3	Check Welfare	08/30/2024	3:11 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	The caller advised that they needed to go to the hospital for chest pains. The subject was transported to the hospital by Fireboard.
1	Disorderly	08/30/2024	7:21 am	3300 block of Chillum Road	A citizen playing the lottery advised they did not receive the correct change. It was later discovered the right amount of change was given.
2	CDS Complaint	08/30/2024	8:12 am	4000 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for an unknown subject smoking CDS in the area. The subject was sent on their way.
1	Property Damage	08/30/2024	8:26 am	4600 block of 25 th Avenue	Officers responded for a property damage report. The citizen observed their vehicle's window broken. Case numbers were given.
1	Gas Leak	08/30/2024	8:35 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a gas leak report. Fireboard forced entry into the store. The owner arrived on scene and was notified.
3	Wires Down	08/30/2024	9:21 am	3200 block of Perry Street	Officers responded for wires down. Verizon was notified and sent out a technician.
3	Vehicle Collision	08/30/2024	12:22 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a vehicle collision. Officers assisted with an information exchange.

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2	Trespassing	08/30/2024	12:31 pm	4000 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for a citizen who wanted an unwanted guest out of their house. Officers assisted.
3	MIR	08/30/2024	12:41 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for an unwanted house guest. The house guest left.
3	CDS Complaint	08/30/2024	2:43 pm	3500 block of Otis Street	Officers responded for a group of subjects smoking CDS. The subjects left prior to the Officers' arrival.
1	Disorderly	08/30/2024	3:49 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers assisted with a disorderly customer. The employee declined the Officers' assistance.
1	Shoplifting	08/30/2024	4:05 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers assisted with a disorderly customer. The employee declined the Officers' assistance.
3	Check Welfare	08/30/2024	5:06 pm	35 th Street and Perry Street	Officers responded for a subject having trouble staying upright. The subject declined medical assistance and walked away.
1	Check Welfare	08/30/2024	5:21 pm	3200 block of Queenstown Drive	Officers responded for a check welfare report. Upon arrival, everything was checked okay.
3	Disorderly Person	08/30/2024	7:49 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a disorderly subject outside of the store. The subject was advised and sent on their way.
3	Disorderly Persons	08/30/2024	7:53 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for the report of disorderly subjects in the parking lot. the subjects were advised and sent on their way.
3	Suspicious Vehicle	08/30/2024	9:19 pm	3700 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded for the report of a suspicious vehicle. Officers located a vehicle matching the description that was parked legally.
3	Assist Citizen	08/30/2024	10:44 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded to the station to assist a citizen who wanted a protective order. The subject was advised the Court Commissioner's Office.
2	Check Welfare	08/31/2024	12:27 am	4000 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for the report of a subject sleeping in the hallway. The subject checked negative and was sent on their way.
1	Tampering	08/31/2024	2:48 am	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers responded for the report of subjects tampering with a vehicle. Officers located the vehicle and found no evidence or damage.
1	Suspicious Person	08/31/2024	3:57 am	3200 block of Buchanan Street	Officers on patrol observed a suspicious person sleeping in the front of the building. The subject was sent on their way.
1	Shoplifting	08/31/2024	11:04 am	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for an unknown subject who might be stealing. The subject was gone prior to the Officers' arrival.

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1	Unknown Trouble	08/31/2024	11:34 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for an unknown trouble call for service. Everything was checked okay upon the Officers' arrival.
1	Assist	08/31/2024	2:09 pm	3300 block of Chillum Road	Officers assisted with PGPD with a non-contacting shooting.
3	Fight	08/31/2024	3:20 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a group of subjects fighting. Upon the Officers' arrival, no subjects were fighting.
	Assist	08/31/2024	3:29 pm	4300 block of East West Highway	Officers assisted HCPD with a fatal vehicle collision.
1	Disorderly	08/31/2024	3:49 pm	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers assist with a disorderly customer. The customer was sent on their way.
3	Warrant Service	08/31/2024	8:27 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers on foot patrol observed an individual who had been banned from the bus stop. The subject was stopped, checked for warrants resulting positive, arrested, and transported for processing.
1	Disorderly Person	08/31/2024	10:27 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a disorderly subject outside of the store. The subject was advised and sent on their way.
3	Suspicious Persons	08/31/2024	11:28 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.

Red font indicates firearms were recovered

TRAFFIC CITATIONS	TRAFFIC WARNINGS	PARKING CITATIONS	REPAIR ORDERS	AUTOMOBILE IMPOUNDS	FOOT PATROL HOURS
11	21	9	3		16

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PATROL ZONES

Zone One

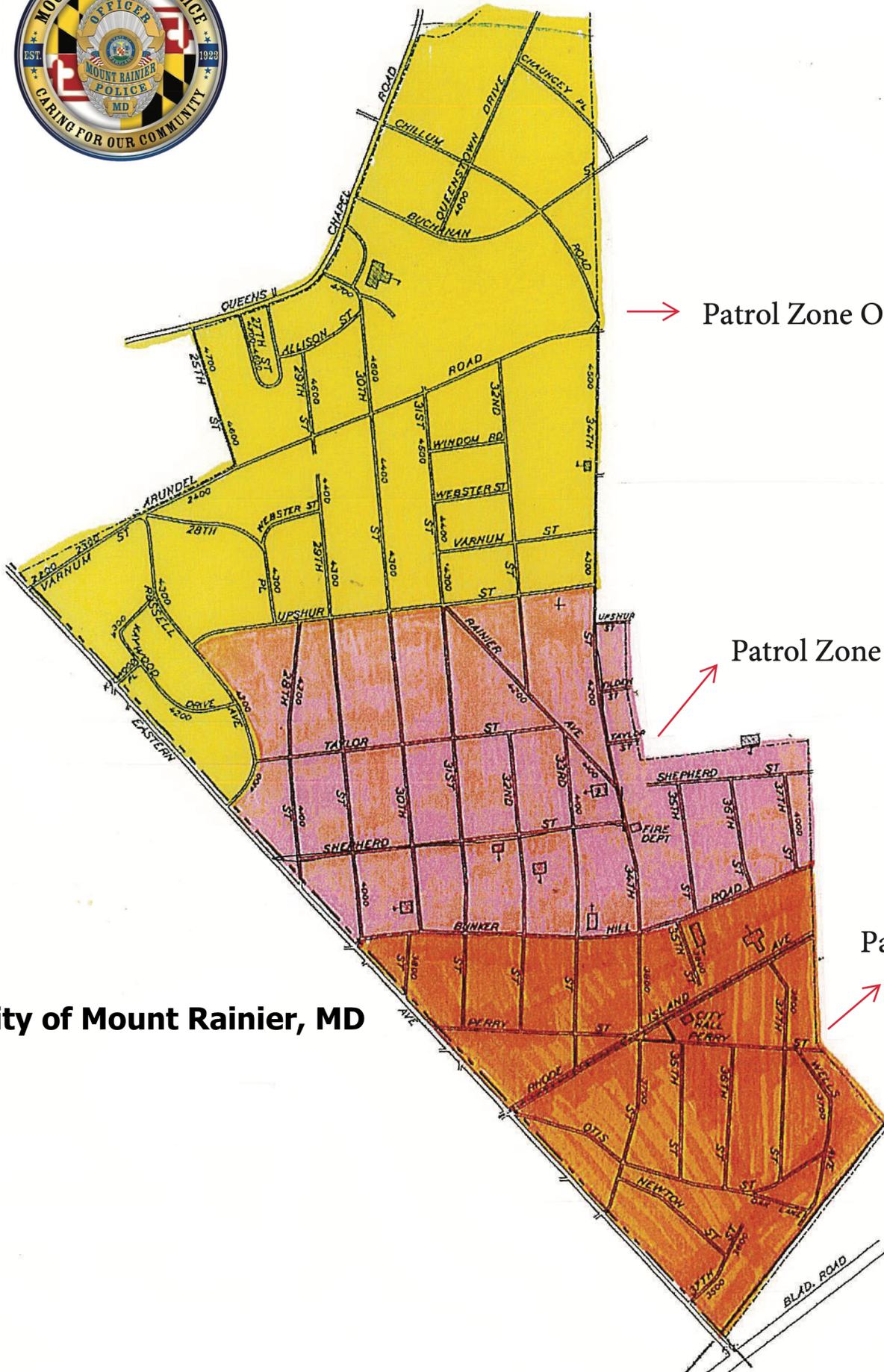
- ✓ Northern end of the City of Mount Rainier
- ✓ Encompasses the three largest apartment complexes in the City of Mount Rainier
Kaywood, Queenstown, and Queens Manor
- ✓ 4 small business areas (2200 and 2300 blocks of Varnum Street, 3100 block Queens
Chapel Road, 3200 block Queens Chapel Road, 3100 block of Chillum Road)
- ✓ 1 School (Thomas Stone Elementary School)

Zone Two

- ✓ Mid-City
- ✓ 4 Churches
- ✓ 1 School (Mount Rainier Elementary School)
- ✓ Business District (4000 block of 34TH Street)
- ✓ 1 corner store (29TH Street & Bunker Hill Road)
- ✓ Primarily single-family homes

Zone Three

- ✓ Southern end of the City of Mount Rainier
- ✓ City Hall, Public Works, and the Police Department
- ✓ Large business District (3200, 3300, 3400 block Rhode Island Avenue, and 3800
block of 34TH Street)
- ✓ 4 Churches
- ✓ Arts District
- ✓ Major through way between the District of Columbia and Maryland
- ✓ Metro Transit Stop



→ Patrol Zone One

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