

# WEEKLY REPORT

**December 15 - 21, 2024**

## **CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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### **Patrol Division**

<b>SERVICE AREA</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>
1	Parking Complaint	12/15/2024	8:09 am	3200 block of Buchanan Street	Officers were dispatched for a parking complaint. An impound sticker was placed on the vehicle.
2	Theft	12/15/2024	8:16 am	34 <sup>th</sup> Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers were waved down for a missing dog. The dog was located and returned home.
1	Suspicious Person	12/15/2024	3:30 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers were dispatched for a loitering complaint. Upon arrival, the subject was advised and sent on their way.
1	Impound	12/15/2024	4:50 pm	2500 block of Arundel Road	Officers were dispatched for a hit and run. The caller advised that the driver of the striking vehicle ran from the scene leaving the vehicle in the roadway blocking traffic. The vehicle was impounded without incident.
2	Parking Complaint	12/15/2024	5:24 pm	35 <sup>th</sup> Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers were dispatched for a parking complaint. upon arrival, the vehicle was no longer on scene.

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3	Unknown Trouble	12/15/2024	5:26 pm	Rhode Island Avenue and Eastern Avenue	Officers were dispatched for an unknown trouble. The caller gave further information, and the incident occurred in MPD's jurisdiction.
3	Suspicious Person	12/15/2024	6:12 pm	3500 block of Otis Street	Officers were dispatched for a group of suspicious subjects knocking on a door. Upon arrival, the caller was advised, and the subjects were no longer on scene.
3	Unknown Trouble	12/16/2024	12:56 am	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a 9-11 hangup. Officers canvassed the area and did not observe any signs of distress.
1	Vehicle Impound	12/16/2024	11:16 m	2400 block of Chillum Road	Officers performing traffic enforcement observed a motorcycle driving with no registration plate. The motorcycle was stopped, and the driver did not have a valid driver's license. The motorcycle was impounded without incident. The driver was properly cited.
1	Check Assist	12/16/2024	12:07 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers responded for a person requesting Police assistance for a vehicle interlock. Officers advised the person to contact the MVA.
3	Sound of Gunshots	12/16/2024	1:08 pm	3600 block of Perry Street	Officers responded for the sound of gunshots. The area was checked with nothing found.
1	MIR	12/16/2024	2:04 pm	4300 block of Kaywood Drive	Officers observed a vehicle with a flat tire not move from its location. A 48-hour impound sticker was placed on the vehicle.
1	Threats	12/16/2024	3:20 pm	3200 block of Queenstown Drive	Officers responded for a threats complaint. one juvenile was sending another juvenile threats via text messages. The parent was advised.
1	Hit and Run	12/16/2024	3:35 pm	3100 block of Chillum Road	Officers responded for a hit and run accident. One vehicle was attempting to enter the parking lot when another vehicle failed to yield and struck the vehicle. The striking vehicle fled the scene. An accident report was written.
3	Accident	12/16/2024	5:40 pm	3400 block of 34 <sup>th</sup> Street	Officers responded to a motor vehicle accident. Officers assisted with the information exchange.
1	Missing Person	12/16/2024	5:43 pm	3000 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a missing person. The caller advised their significant other left the house earlier that evening and didn't return nor return any phone calls. Case numbers were given.
	Assist	12/16/2024	8:18 pm	4100 block of Ogleshorpe Street	Officers assisted HCPD with a female pat down.
3	Suspicious Person	12/16/2024	8:37 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers observed a group of suspicious subjects at the bus stop. The subjects were all sent on their way.
2	Vehicle Accident/ Impound	12/16/2024	9:36 pm	4000 block of 34 <sup>th</sup> Street	Officers responded for the report of a three-vehicle accident. The driver advised that due to the wet roads, they skidded into the first parked vehicle who then hit then the second parked vehicle. Case numbers were given. The first vehicle was impounded without incident.
1	Vehicle Accident	12/17/2024	7:53 am	2500 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a motor vehicle accident. Officers assisted with the information exchange.

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1	Vehicle Impound	12/17/2024	8:29 am	Buchanan Street and Queens Chapel Road	Officers performing traffic enforcement observed a scooter with no registration plate driving, nor was the driver wearing a helmet and eyewear. The traffic stop was conducted. Investigation revealed the driver did not have the proper permits to operate the scooter. The scooter was impounded without incident.
3	Vehicle Accident	12/17/2024	10:44 am	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a vehicle accident. A moped hit a truck and then fled the scene. The driver of the moped later returned to the scene. The scooter was impounded, and the driver was properly cited.
3	Theft	12/17/2024	3:35 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for the report of a stolen phone. Case numbers were given.
2	Parking Complaint	12/17/2024	4:39 pm	35 <sup>th</sup> Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers responded for a parking complaint. The vehicle was properly cited.
1	Theft	12/17/2024	5:43 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a theft report. The business owner advised two suspects fled the store with items without paying. CCTV footage was obtained. Case numbers were given.
1	Suspicious Person	12/17/2024	7:56 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a suspicious subject. The subject was sent on their way.
1	Suspicious Person	12/17/2024	8:49 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a suspicious subject. The subject was intoxicated and sent on their way.
1	Suspicious Person	12/17/2024	10:21 pm	Varnum Street and Eastern Avenue	Officers observed a suspicious subject with no pants on. Officers requested MPD to assist.
1	Animal Complaint	12/17/2024	11:44 pm	2400 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a loud dog complaint. There was no answer at the door, and no dog was heard.
1	Impound	12/18/2024	5:15 am	3200 block of Arundel Road	Officers responded for a parking complaint. Upon arrival, Officers observed a vehicle completely blocking the driveway. The owner of the vehicle could not be located. The vehicle was impounded without incident. Parking citations were issued.
1	Hit and Run	12/18/2024	8:12 am	4700 block of 31 <sup>st</sup> Place	Officers were dispatched for a hit and run. The striking vehicle returned to the scene and came to an agreement with the caller. Incident numbers were handed to both parties.
1	Neighbor Dispute	12/18/2024	9:27 am	2400 block of Arundel Road	Officers were dispatched for a neighbor dispute. Upon arrival, the caller was not on scene and was advised over the phone.
1	Check Welfare	12/18/2024	10:48 am	3200 block of Buchanan Street	Officers were dispatched for a check welfare report. Upon arrival, both parties check okay. The caller was notified.
3	Subject Stop	12/18/2024	11:22 am	1 Municipal Place	Officers stopped a subject with an open container of alcohol. The container was disposed of, and the subject was sent on their way.

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3	Traffic Stop	12/18/2024	11:46 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed a driver start a moped with a screwdriver. Officers conducted a traffic stop. The driver was identified. A registration check was conducted coming back to a different vehicle. The driver also did not have a driver's license. The driver was properly cited. The registration plates were removed and placed into the MRPD Property Room.
3	Assist	12/18/2024	12:54 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers were dispatched for a suicidal subject. The subject was assisted by Fireboard and transported to the hospital for a voluntary EPS.
1	Suspicious Person	12/18/2024	1:33 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers were dispatched for a subject trying to shoplift. Upon arrival, the subject was no longer on scene.
	Assist	12/18/2024	4:18 pm	6000 block of 42 <sup>nd</sup> Avenue	Officers were dispatched to assist Hyattsville PD.
3	Check Welfare	12/18/2024	4:22 pm	Rhode Island Avenue and Eastern Avenue	Officers were dispatched for a subject dancing in the roadway. upon arrival, the subject was no longer on scene.
1	Parking Complaint	12/18/2024	5:00 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers were dispatched for a parking complaint. Officers were canceled by the caller.
3	Subject Stop	12/18/2024	5:31 pm	34 <sup>th</sup> Street and Rhode Island Avenue	Officers stopped a subject for loitering. The subject was advised and sent on their way.
1	Disorderly	12/18/2024	6:18 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers were dispatched for a subject drinking in the parking lot. the subject was advised and sent on their way.
1	Property Alarm	12/19/2024	2:32 am	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for an alarm. Officers observed a delivery truck delivering merchandise.
3	Check Welfare	12/19/2024	7:39 am	1 Municipal Place	Officers observed a subject lying on the ground. The subject was checked okay and advised.
1	Theft	12/19/2024	8:19 am	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers were dispatched for a theft. Upon arrival, the subject was no longer on scene, and the employees were advised.
1	Vandalism	12/19/2024	8:44 am	2900 block of Allison Street	Officers were dispatched for a vandalism report. Upon arrival, the caller was advised.
3	Subject Stop	12/19/2024	12:20 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed multiple subjects loitering. The subjects were advised and sent on their way.
3	Subject Stop	12/19/2024	2:03 pm	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed multiple subjects loitering. The subjects were advised and sent on their way.
1	Threats Complaint	12/19/2024	2:44 pm	Eastern Avenue and Varnum Street	Officers were dispatched for a threats complaint. The caller was advised.

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2	Traffic Hazzard	12/19/2024	6:26 pm	4000 block of 34 <sup>th</sup> Street	Officers were dispatched for a vehicle that lost power. The caller was assisted and called for a personal tow.
1	Theft Report	12/19/2024	7:05 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for the report of a theft. The store manager was not able to say what was stolen.
1	Domestic	12/19/2024	8:33 pm	4600 block of 29 <sup>th</sup> Street	Officers responded for a domestic report. Upon arrival, the aggressor half was gone. The other half was advised.
1	Noise Complaint	12/19/2024	11:29 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for the report of a noise complaint. Upon arrival, no noise was heard.
3	Welfare Check	12/20/2024	1:00 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a subject down. Officers made contact with the subject who was showing signs of an overdose. The subject was transported to the hospital for medical attention.
1	Disorderly	12/20/2024	3:15 am	3100 block of Chillum Road	Officers were flagged down by store employees who advised two subjects were refusing to leave. The subjects were sent on their way.
1	Disorderly	12/20/2024	6:22 am	3100 block of Chillum Road	Officers responded for the report of a disorderly subject. The subject was stopped, identified, given a trespass notice, strongly advised, and sent on their way.
3	Notification	12/20/2024	8:57 am	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded to make notification for a possible stolen vehicle. Officers received no answer at the door.
3	Check Welfare	12/20/2024	1:31 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a check welfare report. The caller advised there was a subject who appeared to be under the influence. The subject was checked and sent on their way.
3	Subject Stop	12/20/2024	2:02 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers were approached by a Metro driver who advised they had a subject refusing to get off the bus. the subject left upon the Officers' arrival.
1	Shoplifter	12/20/2024	2:08 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a shoplifter. Upon arrival, it was discovered that nothing had been taken.
3	Forced Entry	12/20/2024	2:17 pm	3800 block of 33 <sup>rd</sup> Street	Officers responded for a check welfare call for service regarding an elderly citizen who had not been heard from in a couple weeks. Upon arrival, Officers could hear a faint voice behind the residence door. It was determined for the citizen's safety to force entry. The Fire Department was contacted, and the forced entry was conducted. The citizen was found and transported to the hospital for medical attention.
3	Suspicious Person	12/20/2024	8:22 pm	34 <sup>th</sup> Street and Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a suspicious subject sleeping on the bus. The bus and subject left. Metro Transit PD was notified.
1	Suspicious Persons	12/20/2024	8:35 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for suspicious subjects in front of the building. The subjects were sent on their way.

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3	Suspicious Person	12/20/2024	8:40 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers observed a suspicious subject. The subject was intoxicated and sent on their way.
2	Unknown Trouble	12/20/2024	10:45 pm	36 <sup>th</sup> Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers responded for the report of a subject screaming. Officers canvassed the area with nothing found.
1	Suspicious Person	12/21/2024	12:16 am	Chillum Road and Queens Chapel Road	Officers observed a suspicious subject in the roadway. The subject was intoxicated and sent on their way.
2	Tampering	12/21/2024	6:38 am	3000 block of Bunker Hill Road	Officers responded for the report of subjects pulling on door handles. Officers canvassed the area with nothing found.
1	Shoplifter	12/21/2024	9:00 am	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a shoplifting complaint. The suspects were gone prior to the Officers' arrival. The employees could not determine what was taken.
3	Check Welfare	12/21/2024	9:25 am	3000 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a check welfare report. The caller advised that there was a subject in their apartment who they didn't know. Upon arrival, it was discovered the subject was the caller's relative.
1	Vandalism	12/21/2024	2:17 pm	4500 block of 32 <sup>nd</sup> Street	Officers responded for the report of vehicle vandalism. Upon arrival, Officers observed damage to the vehicle's left front door window. The reporting person stated nothing was stolen from the vehicle. Case numbers were given.
3	Theft from Auto	12/21/2024	6:56 pm	3200 block of Perry Street	Officers responded for a theft from auto report. Upon arrival, the reporting person advised their vehicle was rummaged through and items were missing. Case numbers were given.
3	Check Welfare	12/21/2024	7:08 pm	34 <sup>th</sup> Street and Rhode Island Avenue	Officers were dispatched in reference to a subject sleeping with only one blanket. When the Officers arrived, the subject was gone.
3	Suspicious Person	12/21/2024	9:20 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers observed a suspicious subject at the bus stop. The subject was sent on their way.
3	Suspicious Persons	12/21/2024	11:56 pm	3700 block of 35 <sup>th</sup> Street	Officers responded for suspicious subjects in front of an abandoned house. The subjects were sent on their way.

**\*Red font indicates firearms were recovered\***

TRAFFIC CITATIONS	TRAFFIC WARNINGS	PARKING CITATIONS	REPAIR ORDERS	AUTOMOBILE IMPOUNDS	FOOT PATROL HOURS
71	63	18	14	4	2

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## **PATROL ZONES**

### **Zone One**

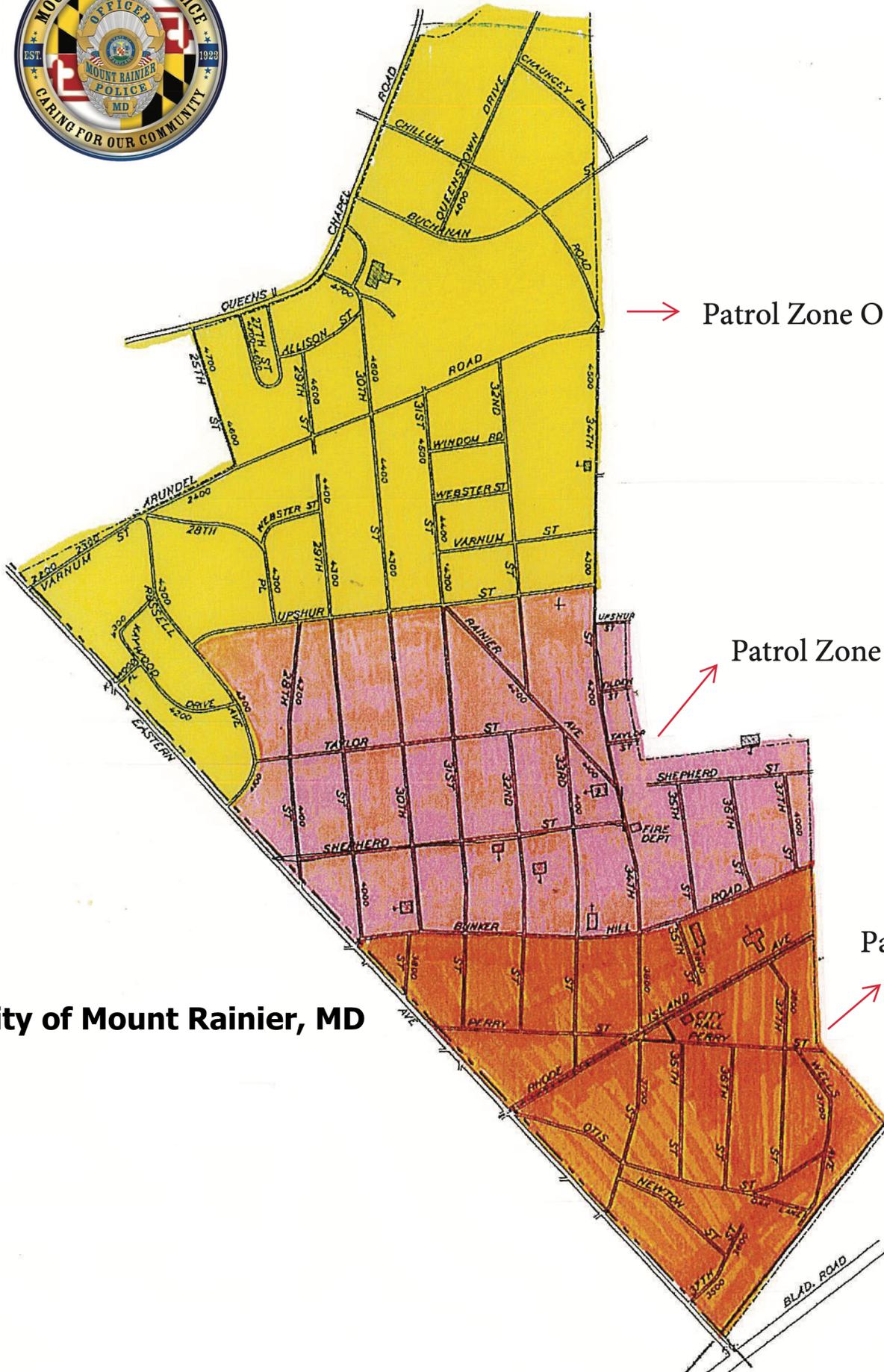
- ✓ Northern end of the City of Mount Rainier
- ✓ Encompasses the three largest apartment complexes in the City of Mount Rainier  
Kaywood, Queenstown, and Queens Manor
- ✓ 4 small business areas (2200 and 2300 blocks of Varnum Street, 3100 block Queens  
Chapel Road, 3200 block Queens Chapel Road, 3100 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 34<sup>TH</sup> Street)
- ✓ 1 corner store (29<sup>TH</sup> 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 34<sup>TH</sup> Street)
- ✓ 4 Churches
- ✓ Arts District
- ✓ Major through way between the District of Columbia and Maryland
- ✓ Metro Transit Stop



→ Patrol Zone One

→ Patrol Zone Two

→ Patrol Zone Three

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