

WEEKLY REPORT

April 14 - 20, 2024

CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER POLICE DEPARTMENT





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Patrol Division

SERVICE AREA	ACTIVITY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	SUMMARY
1	Domestic	04/14/2024	3:42 am	4300 block of Kaywood Drive	Officers responded for the report of a domestic. One half was taken to the Court Commissioner's Office for a protective order.
1	Assist	04/14/2024	4:53 am	4300 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers were dispatched for the report of a vehicle overturned. Officers located the vehicle that was not occupied and requested MPD Officers who eventually responded out to investigate.
2	Disorderly	04/14/2024	4:53 am	4000 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for the report of a disorderly subject refusing to get out of a rideshare vehicle. The subject was gone prior to Officers' arrival.
1	Signal 7 Stop	04/14/2024	8:12 am	3300 block of Chillum Road	Officers observed a suspect matching the description for a wanted sexual crime incident. Officers conducted an investigatory stop to identify the suspect.
1	Check Welfare	04/14/2024	12:17 pm	4700 block of 31 st Place	Officers conducted a welfare check. Everything checked okay.
3	Lock Out	04/14/2024	12:18 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers assisted a driver who had locked their keys in their vehicle. Officers assisted.

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1	Armed Person	04/14/2024	1:47 pm	4300 block of Kaywood Drive	Officers arrived for the report of an armed person. Upon arrival, Officers were advised it was an ongoing domestic altercation. PGPD Sheriff arrived to serve a protective order.
3	Fire	04/14/2024	3:08 pm	3800 block of 35 th Street	Officers observed a fire in the backyard of a residence. Officers assisted Fireboard.
3	Suspicious Auto	04/14/2024	3:37 pm	3400 block of Otis Street	Officers observed a vehicle that had not moved in a prolonged time. Officers placed a 48-hour impound notice sticker on the vehicle.
1	Shoplifting	04/14/2024	4:48 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers were notified by the store owner that a subject was attempting to steal goods. Officers were able to stop the juvenile subject. The juvenile's parent was advised. The juvenile was sent on their way.
1	Hit and Run	04/14/2024	5:36 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers were dispatched for a hit and run accident. The stricken vehicle's owner returned on scene, and Officers assisted with an information exchange.
1	Disorderly	04/14/2024	5:47 pm	4600 block of 25 th Avenue	Officers responded for a disorderly call for service. All parties were advised the Court Commissioner's Office.
3	Stolen Vehicle	04/14/2024	8:01 pm	3400 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for the report of a stolen vehicle. Officers determined the vehicle was last parked in DC. MPD was notified.
3	Suspicious Vehicle	04/14/2024	8:36 pm	3400 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers on patrol observed an occupied vehicle. The subject checked negative and was sent on their way.
1	Missing Person	04/14/2024	11:20 pm	3300 block of Chillum Road	Officers responded to assist with a missing person. Officers were advised the subject was last seen in a different state.
1	Fight	04/15/2024	12:09 am	4700 block of 31 st Place	Officers responded for a fight complaint. Officers checked the area, and everything was okay.
1	Loud Music	04/15/2024	2:43 am	4600 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for a loud music complaint. Officers had the music turned down.
1	Vandalism	04/15/2024	8:20 am	3300 block of Chauncey Street	Officers were flagged down for a vehicle vandalism report. Officers discovered the vehicle had two gunshots marks. One mark was in the center of the hood with the other in the center of the windshield. The Criminal Investigations Division was notified for follow-up. Case numbers were given.
1	Shoplifting	04/15/2024	1:08 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a shoplifting call. The alarm company called advising that there was a shoplifter in the store. Officers spoke with an employee who advised that everything was okay.
3	Impound	04/15/2024	2:11 pm	3500 block of Otis Street	The Parking Enforcement Officer observed a vehicle that had an expired registration and outstanding City citations. The vehicle was impounded without incident.

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3	Commercial Alarm	04/15/2024	3:52 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a commercial alarm. The area was checked secure.
1	Animal Complaint	04/15/2024	4:21 pm	2400 block of Arundel Road	Officers were flagged down in reference to an animal complaint. The citizen was advised of the proper procedure.
3	Assist Citizen	04/15/2024	4:41 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for a citizen who was confused and didn't know their way home. The citizen's address was found and transported to their home.
3	Residential Alarm	04/15/2024	6:34 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for a residential alarm. The homeowner advised that there were issues with the alarm. Everything was checked okay.
3	Domestic	04/15/2024	11:15 pm	2700 block of Webster Street	Officers were dispatched for the report of a physical domestic between a couple. Investigation revealed both subjects had physically assaulted one another. Both subjects were arrested and transported for processing.
3	Disorderly	04/15/2024	11:30 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers received a call for a disorderly person in the area. Officers canvassed the area with nothing found.
2	Sound of Gunshots	04/15/2024	11:36 pm	29 th Street and Bunker Hill Road	The caller advised of the sound of gunshots. Officers canvassed the area with nothing found.
2	Stolen Vehicle	04/16/2024	3:26 am	4200 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for the report of a stolen vehicle. Officers met with the vehicle's owner who stated they had last seen their car parked the night previous. Case numbers were given.
1	Stolen Vehicle	04/16/2024	4:42 am	4200 block of Russell Avenue	Officers responded for the report of a stolen vehicle. Officers met with the vehicle's owner who stated they had last seen their car parked the night previous. Case numbers were given.
3	Disorderly Subjects	04/16/2024	8:43 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for disorderly subjects. The subjects were sent on their way.
3	Theft from Auto	04/16/2024	10:08 am	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Citizens walked into the MRPD Station to report a theft from auto. It was discovered that the theft occurred in DC's jurisdiction. The citizens were advised.
1	Vehicle Impound	04/16/2024	11:08 am	4600 block of 25 th Avenue	While on routine patrol, the Parking Enforcement Officer observed a vehicle parked with an expired registration. The plates were run coming back to a different vehicle. The plates were confiscated and placed into the MRPD Property Room. The vehicle was impounded without incident.
1	Commercial Alarm	04/16/2024	12:08 pm	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a commercial alarm. The building checked okay.
1	Suspicious Vehicle	04/16/2024	12:19 pm	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers on patrol observed a suspicious vehicle. The vehicle and occupants were checked okay and sent on their way.

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3	Theft	04/16/2024	12:43 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a theft report. The victim did not want a police report and were given case numbers.
1	Hit and Run	04/16/2024	5:41 pm	4300 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for a hit and run accident. The victim advised that a vehicle had struck their right door mirror. The victim was provided case numbers.
1	Disorderly Subject	04/16/2024	5:53 pm	3100 block of Chillum Road	Officers responded in reference to a disorderly subject. The subject had gotten into a dispute with an employee of the store in reference to a refund. The disorderly subject was sent on their way.
1	Accident	04/16/2024	10:12 pm	Queens Chapel Road and Chillum Road	Officers were flagged down at the gas station for an accident. Investigation revealed the accident occurred in Brentwood's jurisdiction. Brentwood PD and PGPD were contacted.
1	Suspicious Person	04/16/2024	10:12 pm	3000 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers observed and identified a subject walking down the street with an open alcoholic beverage consuming it in plain sight. The subject was given a lawful order to pour out the beverage to which the subject refused and continued to drink and attempted to walk away. The subject was then detained by the Officers, checked for warrants resulting negative, issued a citation, and sent on their way.
2	Suspicious Person	04/16/2024	11:50 pm	4200 block of 34 th Street	The caller advised of an unknown subject sleeping in the laundry room of the apartment complex. Upon arrival, Officers observed the subject. The subject was checked for warrants with negative results and sent them on their way.
1	Suspicious Person	04/17/2024	12:03 am	3000 block of Queens Chapel Road	The caller advised of an unknown subject sleeping in their living room. Upon arrival, Officers observed an empty space to where the caller said they were at. The caller later admitted that they suffer from mental illness.
3	Suspicious Person	04/17/2024	12:52 am	3500 block of Newton Street	The caller advised of an unknown subject shaving outside. The subject was gone prior to the Officers' arrival.
	Two-Vehicle Accident	04/17/2024	7:39 am	4500 block of Annapolis Road	An Officer observed a two-vehicle accident with injuries in Bladensburg. Bladensburg, PD was advised and arrived on scene.
1	Check Welfare	04/17/2024	8:16 am	4200 block of Russell Avenue	Officers were dispatched for a check welfare call. On arrival, the home was clear and checked okay.
2	Suspicious Person	04/17/2024	9:29 am	4200 block of 28 th Street	Officers were dispatched for a suspicious person. The subject was sent on their way.
1	Suspicious Vehicle	04/17/2024	12:08 pm	2900 block of Allison Street	Officers observed a subject vehicle. The vehicle was checked okay and sent on their way.
1	Check Welfare	04/17/2024	12:36 am	Russell Avenue and Arundel Road	Officers were waved down for a check welfare. An older citizen was having a medical emergency. Fireboard was requested and transported the citizen to the hospital.

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1	Impound	04/17/2024	12:59 pm	2700 block of Arundel Road	The Parking Enforcement Officer observed a vehicle displaying fraudulent temporary tags. A VIN check of the vehicle was conducted resulting in the vehicle not being registered. The temporary tags were confiscated and placed in the MRPD Property Room. The vehicle was impounded without incident.
1	Misc. Incident	04/17/2024	1:23 pm	4600 block of 25 th Street	Officers observed a subject on top of a car that appeared to be getting ready to drive away. The vehicle did not drive away, and both parties were horsing around.
1	Subject Stop	04/17/2024	3:03 pm	Queenstown Drive and Chauncey Place	Officers stopped a subject with an active warrant. The subject took off running. A canvass of the area yielded negative.
1	Shoplifting	04/17/2024	3:33 pm	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers were dispatched for a shoplifting report. On arrival, the manager advised an off-duty SPO was able to retrieve the stolen merchandise, and the suspect was no longer on scene.
3	Loitering Complaint	04/17/2024	4:55 pm	3800 block of 35 th Street	Officers were dispatched for a loitering complaint. On arrival all subjects were gone.
3	Loitering Complaint	04/17/2024	6:55 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed a group loitering in front of a store. All subject were sent on their way.
3	Loitering Complaint	04/17/2024	7:13 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
2	Loitering Complaint	04/17/2024	7:24 pm	34 th Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
3	Loitering Complaint	04/17/2024	7:29 pm	34 th Street and Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
1	Breaking and Entering	04/17/2024	8:25 pm	3000 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a breaking and entering complaint. Officers checked the area finding everything okay.
1	Robbery	04/17/2024	9:40 pm	4600 block 27 th Street	Officers responded for an armed robbery report. Officers were able to speak to the victim who stated the suspect held a knife towards the victim demanding money. The victim stated they gave the suspect their phone. Through investigation, the suspect was identified with Officers applying for a warrant for their arrest. Case numbers were given to the victim. The CID was notified for follow-up.
2	Disorderly Person	04/17/2024	11:48 pm	4200 block of 34 th Street	Officers were dispatched in reference to a subject sleeping in the building. The subject was removed from the building and sent on their way.
2	Impound	04/18/2024	12:40 am	4200 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for a single motor scooter accident. The driver was transported to the hospital. The scooter was impounded for safekeeping without incident.

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1	Tampering Arrest	04/18/2024	3:58 am	4500 block of 32 nd Street	Officers were dispatched for a vehicle tampering in progress. Officers spoke with the caller who advised the description of the suspect. Officers were able to detain the suspect, arrest them, and transport them for processing. Case numbers were given to the caller. CID was notified for follow-up.
2	Residential Alarm	04/18/2024	8:58 am	4200 block of 32 nd Street	Officers responded for a residential alarm. The owner of the residence called back to advise the neighbor accidentally set it off.
2	Residential Alarm	04/18/2024	9:16 am	4200 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for a residential alarm. The residence was locked and secured.
3	Assist	04/18/2024	9:18 am		Officers assisted PG Sherriff with an eviction.
1	Hit and Run	04/18/2024	9:30 am	2200 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a hit and run. Officers provided case numbers.
3	Vehicle Collision	04/18/2024	10:14 am	3600 block of Perry Street	Officers assisted an elderly citizen that caused a one car accident with their own fence. PGPD arrived on scene to assist.
	Assist	04/18/2024	10:43 am	3600 block of Gallatin Street	Officers assisted HCPD with searching for a missing juvenile.
1	Family Dispute	04/18/2024	10:58 am	3200 block of Queenstown Drive	Officers assisted a parent with their child being rude.
2	Warrant Service	04/18/2024	11:19 am	2700 block of Upshur Street	Officers assisted in locating a fugitive at large with negative results.
3	Assist	04/18/2024	11:26 am	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers assisted a resident advising of domestic abuse. Officers advised the resident of their legal options and referred them resources.
1	Assist	04/18/2024	11:44 am	3300 block of Chillum Road	Officers assisted PGPD with a contact shooting.
3	Found Property	04/18/2024	12:27 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a found property report. The found property was placed into the MRPD Property Room.
3	Armed Person (Unfounded)	04/18/2024	3:29 pm	3300 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a report of a person armed with a knife. Upon investigation, no knives were found.
1	Theft from Auto	04/18/2024	3:40 pm	4600 block of 25 th Avenue	The Citizen advised they observed a bag of hair tools missing from their vehicle. Investigation revealed the vehicle was left unlocked and moved before the items went missing.
3	Assist	04/18/2024	4:48 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers assisted a citizen reporting a verbal abuse set up appointment with the Family Justice Center.

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3	Signal 7 Stop	04/18/2024	5:05 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers stopped and performed a field observation on a suspicious person.
1	Trespassing Complaint	04/18/2024	7:04 pm	4200 block of Russell Avenue	Officers responded for the report of subjects loitering in the laundry room. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
1	Loitering Complaint	04/18/2024	9:29 pm	3000 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for the report of a subject loitering. The subject lived in the building and was sent on their way.
2	Suspicious Persons	04/18/2024	9:58 pm	33 rd Street and Bunker Hill Road	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
3	Suspicious Persons	04/18/2024	11:17 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers observed subjects loitering. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
1	Warrant Service/ Impound	04/18/2024	11:53 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers observed a vehicle commit a traffic violation and initiated a traffic stop. The driver of the vehicle could not provide their license nor registration. Investigation revealed the driver had an open warrant and did not have a driver's license. The driver was properly cited, arrested, and transported for processing. The vehicle was impounded without incident.
3	Sexual Assault	04/19/2024	11:09 am	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	A citizen came into the MRPD Station to report a sexual assault. It was determined the assault occurred in a different jurisdiction. The citizen was advised and given resources.
2	Assist Fire Department	04/19/2024	11:09 am	2700 block of Upshur Street	Officers responded to assist PGFD with a sick person who couldn't get to the door. The management of the complex was able to use keys to let PGFD enter the residence.
3	MPS	04/19/2024	12:08 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers responded for a disorderly subject. The subject was asked to leave, and they complied. The complainant was advised to get a protective order.
3	CDS	04/19/2024	12:26 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	A citizen called in reference to subjects doing drugs in the area Two subjects were found loitering with no drugs found. The subjects were sent on their way.
2	Vandalism	04/19/2024	3:35 pm	4100 block of 32 nd Street	Officers responded for a vandalism report. The caller advised that the suspect walked to their front door and rang their doorbell. When the suspect did not get an answer, they smashed the house's front windows. Case numbers were given.
1	Domestic	04/19/2024	4:20 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers responded for a domestic assault. The victim advised that their child's parent choked them and fled the apartment. The suspect was last seen heading towards Brentwood. A canvass of the area with negative results. The victim was advised of proper procedure and handed case numbers.
1	Kidnapping (Unfounded)	04/19/2024	4:27 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers were flagged down by a citizen who advised their relative had been kidnapped. The relative was not kidnapped but in police custody.
3	Cutting	04/20/2024	2:46 am	1 Municipal Place	Officers responded for a cutting report. Upon arrival, Officers observed the victim bleeding with injuries and requested Fireboard. The victim was transported to the hospital. A suspect in the cutting was identified. CID Detective were notified and arrived on scene.

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1	Parking Enforcement	04/20/2024	6:31 am	2700 block of Webster Street	A resident called to speak to an Officer regarding an on-going parking issue. The resident was advised.
1	MPS	04/20/2024	1:18 pm	2700 block of Allison Street	Officers responded for an armed person. Investigation revealed there was a confrontation between the caller and another subject with the caller believing the subject was armed with a knife. The caller advised they had not seen the subject with a knife. Both the caller and subject were advised.
1	Motor Vehicle Accident	04/20/2024	2:38 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a motor vehicle accident with no injuries. Officers assisted with an information exchange.
2	Sound of Gunshots	04/20/2024	8:44 pm	Eastern Avenue and 30 th Street	Caller advised of the sounds of gunfire in the area. It was later determined that it was fireworks coming from Hyattsville.
1	Assist Fireboard	04/20/2024	9:03 pm	4200 block of Kaywood Drive	Caller advised they possible overdosed on CDS. Upon arrival, the subject advised that they smoked marijuana that made them pass out. Fireboard assisted the caller.
2	Fight (Domestic)	04/20/2024	9:24 pm	4000 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for a fight. It was later determined the fight was between a parent and child domestic. The fight was settled by separation. The child left with a relative.
3	Suspicious Person	04/20/2024	10:30 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers observed a subject screaming and lying on the ground. The subject appeared to be under CDS. The subject was taken home by a relative. Fireboard was refused.
1	Suspicious Vehicle	04/20/2024	10:52 pm	Chillum Road and Queens Chapel Road	The caller advised of a drunk driver speeding and doing donuts. Upon arrival, the suspected vehicle was gone.

Red font indicates firearms were recovered

TRAFFIC CITATIONS	TRAFFIC WARNINGS	PARKING CITATIONS	REPAIR ORDERS	AUTOMOBILE IMPOUNDS	FOOT PATROL HOURS
24	60		9	5	25

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Social Services Division

DATE	SUMMARY
04/15/2024	Had a final run through with partners for the Community health and resource fair.
04/16/2024	Held the social services closet, Daydream Sunshine Initiative was present doing HIV testing. Residents came in to help organize donations and prep them for the Community health and resources fair. Translated unemployment certification for resident.
04/17/2024	Helped residents with translating documents they received. Worked on contacting organizations to remind them about upcoming event on Saturday. Did a check-in with residents via phone. Spoke to social worker about a community member and how to better assist them.
04/18/2024	Provided residents with information on protective orders, mental health, and legal help. Social services assisted resident with information while resident waited for CPL to arrive and take a report. Sat in with resident and CPL Celis while the report was taken.
04/19/2024	Received food for distribution; Volunteer from the community and social services packed up 200 bags for distribution for the following day. Helped CPL Jamies with a community member who came in seeking help.
04/20/2024	Hosted City of Mount Rainier 1st Community Health and Resource Fair. We hosted 6 organizations, handed out 200 hundred bags of food, and gave out 30 mattresses and clothes to the community.

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PATROL ZONES

Zone One

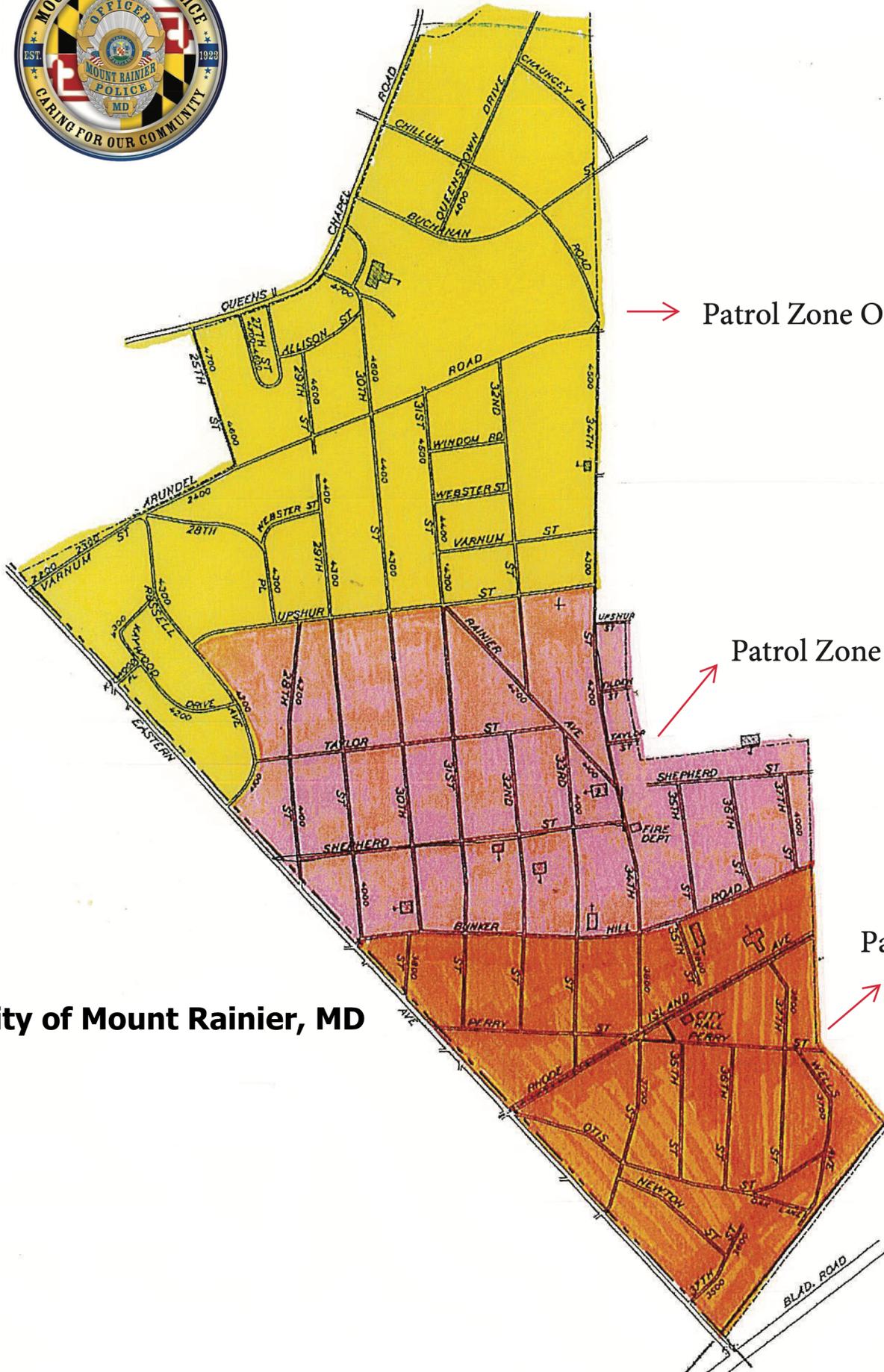
- ✓ Northern end of the City of Mount Rainier
- ✓ Encompasses the three largest apartment complexes in the City of Mount Rainier
Kaywood, Queenstown, and Queens Manor
- ✓ 4 small business areas (2200 and 2300 blocks of Varnum Street, 3100 block Queens
Chapel Road, 3200 block Queens Chapel Road, 3100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

→ Patrol Zone Two

→ Patrol Zone Three

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