

WEEKLY REPORT

October 29 - November 4, 2023

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SERVICE AREA	ACTIVITY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	SUMMARY
3	Recovered CDS	10/29/2023	6:58 pm	3300 block of Chauncey Place	Officers responded to assist Queenstown Security. Officers met with the reporting person who stated they observed a hand-to-hand transaction between two subjects. A search of both subjects was conducted, resulting positive with a small bag of an unknown white powdery substance being recovered. The unknown substance was properly logged into the MRPD property room.
3	Vehicle Accident	10/29/2023	7:00 pm	34 th Street and Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for the report of an accident. Officers notified MPDC and they responded.
1	CDS Complaint	10/29/2023	8:20 pm	4600 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded for a CDS complaint. Officers checked the area with nothing found.
1	Unknown Trouble	10/29/2023	9:05 pm	4500 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded to Thomas Stone Elementary School for a 911 open line. Officers checked the building and everything was secure.
1	Family Dispute	10/29/2023	9:12 pm	3200 block of Queenstown Drive	Officers responded for the report of a family fight. Officers spoke to a family member who was involved in the fight with the other family member not on scene. All family members were advised.

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1	Vehicle Accident	10/29/2023	9:31 pm	Chillum Road and Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for the report of an accident. The driver who was hit advised that there was no damage to their vehicle, and they did not wish to file a police report.
3	Suspicious Persons	10/29/2023	11:22 pm	1 Municipal Place	Officers on patrol stopped three subjects loitering and playing loud music at the bus stop. The subjects checked negative and were sent on their way.
1	Impound	10/29/2023	11:53 pm	Queens Chapel Road and Chillum Road	Officers observed a vehicle that failed to stop for a red light. Officers conducted a traffic stop resulting in the driver not having a valid driver's license. The vehicle was impounded for safekeeping. The driver was issued citations. Case numbers were given.
1	Parking Enforcement	10/30/2023	9:00 am	3300 block of Chillum Road	Parking Enforcement Officer impounded a vehicle due to outstanding city citations.
3	Sexual Assault	10/30/2023	10:50 am	3700 block 37 th Street	Officers responded to the Mount Rainier Police Station for the report of a sexual assault that occurred thirteen years ago at the Mount Rainier South Park. Case numbers were given.
3	Found Missing	10/30/2023	12:05 pm	34 th Street and Rhode Island Avenue	While conducting a traffic stop, an Officer observed a young child walking by themselves in the middle of the street. The Officer activated their emergency lights to stop traffic. The young child was later identified and transported to the MRP Station. The Officer contacted CPS to report the child missing. Another Officer stated they received a phone call from the school stating that a child ran away from the school. The child was then transported to the school to meet their parents.
1	Parking Enforcement	10/30/2023	1:58 pm	4500 block of 32 nd Street	Parking Enforcement Officer impounded a vehicle due to illegal registration.
1	Domestic	10/30/2023	7:23 pm	3300 block of Buchanan Street	Caller advised that a subject was in their car refusing to leave. Upon Officers arrival, the subject exited the vehicle.
1	Traffic Hazard	10/30/2023	8:34pm	Queens Chapel Road and Chillum Road	Caller advised that they were sitting at the red traffic light for 10 minutes and it never changed to green. Officers pressed the crosswalk button and it changed; however, State Highway was notified of the glitch.
	Check Welfare	10/31/2023	11:01 am	4300 block of 28 th Place	Officers responded to a check welfare call for service. Upon arrival, the complainant stated that they had not heard from their significant other for a couple of days. Officers made contact with the significant other who was in good health.
	Found Missing	10/31/2023	11:54 am	3600 block of Eastern Avenue	Officer received communication from the Social Services Coordinator stating they had information on where a missing juvenile could be located. Officers responded to the location locating the juvenile. The juvenile was transported back to their guardian in good health.
	Suspicious Person	10/31/2023	12:11 pm	3800 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for two suspicious subjects urinating in public. Upon arrival, both subjects were gone.
	Loitering Complaint	10/31/2023	1:13 pm	3800 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded for subjects loitering on the stairwell. Upon arrival, all subjects were gone.

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1	Vehicle Accident Combined	10/31/2023	2:26 pm	Chillum Road and Buchanan Street	Officers responded for a multiple vehicle accident. One party was transported to the hospital. Case numbers and an accident report were given.
1	Assault w/Weapon (Arrest made)	10/31/2023	6:13 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for the report of an assault. Upon Officers arrival, the victim stated that an unknown suspect later identified stole items from the victim and pointed a knife to them and fled. Officers made contact with the suspect, placed them under arrest, and transported them for processing. Case numbers were given.
1	Shoplifting	10/31/2023	6:26 pm	2300 block of Varnum Street	Caller advised of a shoplifter. The subject was known to Officers from prior encounters. The subject was sent on their way.
1	Non-Contact Shooting (Washington, DC border)	10/31/2023	8:30 pm	4300 block of Eastern Avenue	Officers responded for the sound of gun shots. Upon arrival, 8 shell casings were located. It was later determined that the shooting took place in Washington, DC. MPD was notified and took over the scene.
1	Shoplifting (Arrest made)	11/01/2023	6:26 am	2300 block of Varnum Street	Officers responded for a shoplifting report. Officers identified the shoplifter, issued them a trespassing notice, and were advised to leave the location. The subject refused and continued to act disorderly. The subject was placed under arrest and transported for processing. Upon arrival, the subject advised that they had injected many drugs within the last 24-hour. A strip search of the subject resulted positive as the Officers recovered a white powdery substance. The subject was taken to the hospital for clearance, and then transported again for processing.
2	Family Dispute	11/01/2023	7:06 pm	4200 block of 34 th Street	Officers responded for the report of a dispute. Officers spoke to one roommate who was trying to get the other roommate that had drank too much into the vehicle to get home. Officers and PGFD assisted, and all parties went home safely.
2	Suspicious Persons	11/01/2023	8:25 pm	2900 block of Upshur Street	Officers were sent to check on an identified subject who was outside yelling. Officers spoke with the subject who later agreed to go inside for the night.
1	Domestic	11/01/2023	9:59 pm	3300 block of Buchanan Street	Officers responded for the report of a domestic. Officers responded and spoke with one half who was leaving and wanted Officers to stand by in case their significant other returned home.
3	Unknown Trouble	11/01/2023	10:14 pm	3500 block of Newton Street	Officers responded for a dispute. Officers spoke to the caller who wanted their phone back. Officers were able to retrieve their phone.
1	Commercial Alarm	11/01/2023	10:38 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for an alarm. The building was checked okay.
1	Unknown Trouble	11/02/2023	2:37 am	3200 block of Queenstown Drive	Officers responded for a roommate dispute. Officers spoke to all parties who were advised of their options for the night.
3	911 Hangup	11/02/2023	7:28 am	3400 block of Newton Street	Officers were dispatched for a 911 hangup. The caller called dispatch to cancel Officers and advised it was an accidental call.

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2	Residential Alarm	11/02/2023	10:54 am	2800 block of Shepherd Street	Officers were dispatched for a residential alarm. Upon Officers arrival, the home was checked secure.
3	Stolen Vehicle (Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle)	11/02/2023	1:07 pm	3200 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers were dispatched for a stolen vehicle report. Case numbers were canceled due to it being a UUV. The Renter and reporting person both came to an agreement for the vehicle to be returned.
3	Fight	11/02/2023	3:51 pm	3500 block of Perry Street	Officers observed five juveniles attempting to fight. Officers advised all juveniles and sent them on their way.
2	Residential Alarm	11/02/2023	4:09 pm	4000 block of 29 th Street	Officers were dispatched for a residential alarm. The home was checked secure.
3	Suspicious Person	11/02/2023	7:43 pm	3800 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded for the report of several subjects loitering on top of the stairs. The subjects were gone on arrival.
3	Suspicious Persons	11/02/2023	9:49 pm	3400 block of Rhode Island Avenue	Officers were sent to check on a group of suspicious persons loitering in the gravel parking lot next to Chucks Liquors. Upon arrival of Officers the group moved on and left for the night.
1	Neighbor Complaint	11/03/2023	7:05 am	2700 block of Webster Street	Officers responded to a parking complaint call for service. Upon arrival, the complainant stated that a vehicle was parked too close to their vehicle and that they not could enter due to not having enough room for their wheelchair. Officers assisted the complainant by moving their vehicle to an empty space.
3	Theft from Auto	11/03/2023	10:02 am	3700 block of 35 th Street	Officers responded to a theft from auto call for service. Upon arrival, the complainant stated that their driver's side window was broken, and their airbag had been stolen. Case numbers were given.
1	Parking Enforcement	11/03/2023	1:28pm	4500 block of 30 th Street	Parking Enforcement Officer responded for a vehicle blocking a driveway. Parking citations were issued.
1	Check Welfare	11/03/2023	2:14 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a subject laying on the ground. The subject refused any medical attention and was sent on their way.
1	Parking Complaint	11/04/2023	7:05 am	2700 block of Webster Street	Officers responded for a parking complaint. officers advised the complainant to call management due to unpainted lines.
2	Loitering Complaint	11/04/2023	2:27 pm	3500 block of Bunker Hill Road	Officers responded to a loitering complaint call for service. Upon arrival, all subjects were gone.
1	Hold-up Alarm	11/04/2023	2:57 pm	3200 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a hold-up alarm call for service. Upon arrival, an employee stated they accidentally pushed the alarm. Everything was checked okay.

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2	Suspicious Person	11/04/2023	3:17 pm	3100 block of Upshur Street	Officers responded to a family dispute. Further investigation revealed that it was a civil matter.
1	Assault	11/04/2023	5:34 pm	4600 block of 29 th Street	Officers responded to an assault call for service. Further investigation revealed that it was a mutual combatant between two individuals. All parties were advised the Commissioners Office.
1	Stolen Vehicle	11/04/2023	6:20 pm	3100 block of Queens Chapel Road	Officers responded for a stolen vehicle report. On scene, Officers observed broken glass on the sidewalk where the vehicle was last parked. Case numbers were given.
3	Party Complaint	11/04/2023	11:14 pm	3400 block of Perry Street	Officers were called for a loud party. Upon arrival, Officers checked the area and the party could not be heard outside of the establishment.

TRAFFIC CITATIONS	TRAFFIC WARNINGS	PARKING CITATIONS	REPAIR ORDERS	AUTOMOBILE IMPOUNDS	FOOT PATROL HOURS
17	64	31	3	4	18.5

Red font indicates firearms were recovered

Social Services Division

DATE	SUMMARY
10/30/2023	Resident came for daily check in with me. Stopped by a resident home to see if resident was outside because concerned neighbor reached out. The Resident were no longer outside.
10/31/2023	Resident came for daily check in with me. Sent email to Nature Center for a Movie night series we are planning to have in December.
11/01/2023	Assisted A/CPL Jamies and officer McDevitt with locating and reuniting missing child with their family.
11/02/2023	Helped resident fill out reauthorized for SNAP benefits. Resident came for daily check in with me. Reached out to resident guardians to set a meeting up to discuss steps moving forward with resident.
11/03/2023	Attended the Centennial Gala for MRPD.



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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