



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Briefing

Recent Crime Incidents, Statistics, and Public Safety

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Overall Crime Numbers 2022 vs. 2021 YTD

Homicide

- 2022 YTD 45
 - 43 Adults
 - 2 Juveniles
 - 29% Decrease from 2021
- 2021 YTD 64
 - 136 Total Homicides
 - 125 Adults
 - 11 Juveniles

Carjackings

- 2022 YTD 219 63% Increase from 2021
- 2021 YTD 134

Overall Crime Numbers 2022 vs. 2021 YTD Comparison

PGPD

Type of Crime	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	% Diff	Last 30 Days
Violent	1927	1874	+3%	-16%
Property	5850	5260	+11%	-2%
Total	7777	7134	+9%	-5.6%

PGPD Including Municipalities

Type of Crime	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	% Diff	Last 30 Days
Violent	2837	2643	+7%	-9.8%
Property	8435	7551	+12%	+1.7%
Total	11272	10194	+11%	-1.2%

2022 vs. 2021

Gun Recoveries and Arrests

Type	2022 YTD	2021 YTD	Diff	% Diff
Assault Weapon	44	31	13	42%
Long Gun	55	41	14	34%
Handgun	682	551	131	24%
Revolver	47	37	10	27%
Ghost Guns	180	117	63	42%
Totals	828	660	168	25%
Total Arrests	577	482	95	20%

Carjacking Trends

Strings

- Carjacking Interdiction Unit identified 17 separate carjacking strings in 2022
- Suspects identified in 13 of the 17 strings
- Juvenile suspects identified in 11 out of the 17 cases
- The largest string year to date is 8 known cases that have been committed by the same group of suspects (juvenile crew)

Repeat Offenders

- 44 of the 81 suspects arrested have prior arrests for violent crimes and/or handgun offenses

Location Trends

- Most likely location is in the parking lot of an apartment complex or business – 91 cases
- The second most likely location is on a residential street – 56 cases
- Since May 1, to present
 - There has been a total of 59 carjackings
 - 14 at gas stations (30 YTD)
 - 13 in convenience store parking lots

Carjacking Trends (Cont.)

Day Trend

- Mondays Highest – 37 cases
- Thursday Lowest – 11 cases

Violence Trend

- There is an uptick in the level of violence during the carjackings
- Juveniles in groups of 5-6 will attack a single elderly victim
- A 16-year-old juvenile was apprehended exiting a carjacked vehicle armed with an AR-15 pistol
 - Charged with committing 2 carjackings in Prince George's County and a carjacking and citizen robbery in the District of Columbia all within 2 hours

Carjacking Trends (Cont.)

Most Alarming Trend

- Several police pursuits with a male juvenile driving and 6-7 occupants inside the vehicle (all juveniles)
- High number of these occupants are **juvenile females** picked up after the carjacking or the next day
- Recently a fleeing carjacked vehicle flipped over, and several juveniles were transported to the hospital with minor injuries
- Juveniles that had no part in the carjacking are putting themselves in danger by entering a carjacked vehicle

Property Crime

Theft From Auto Trends

- Personal property left inside vehicles
 - Continues to be the number one factor driving property crime numbers
- Airbags
 - 2021 – 411
 - 2022 - 256
- Catalytic Converters
 - 2021 – 266
 - 2022 – 99

2022 Top Ten Stolen Vehicles

Honda Accord

Toyota Corolla

Ford Fusion

Chevy Malibu

Nissan Sentra

Dodge Charger

Hyundai Sonata

Infiniti Q50

BMW 535

Kia Optima

Stolen Vehicles Totals by Year and Month

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
2019	201	171	173	167	199	185	198	181	214	193	187	184	2253
2020	220	176	158	173	181	229	226	238	217	272	262	271	2623
2021	248	200	221	248	284	272	250	298	319	313	329	316	3298
2022	351	256	284	250	297	206	0	0	0	0	0	0	1644

Juvenile Crime

Guns

- 166 Juveniles have been arrested county wide
- 13 have been arrested on school property

School Related Threats of Mass Violence

2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR THREATS					
SCHOOL TYPE	YTD	PGPD EPS	Guardian EPS	Arrest	Other
High School	48	0	4	13	31
Middle School	53	1	6	19	27
Elem School	14	1	3	3	8
Private School	24	2	5	10	7
	TOTAL YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD
	139	4	18	45	73

Summer Crime Initiative Overview

- Goal: provide extra resources to assist with suppressing crime and engaging the public:
 - Community Engagement
 - Crime Prevention
 - Crime Enforcement
 - The focus will center on violent crimes involving firearms.
- The Initiative commenced on Monday, June 13, 2022, and will run to Sunday, August 28, 2022
- Focus areas will be Dodge Park, Langley Park/Lewisdale, Calverton, Lanham, Hil-Mar, Temple Hills, Old Fort Village, Clinton Plaza, and areas adjacent to the District of Columbia
- Future Details are Forthcoming