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POLICE CRIME REPORT

KNOW THE SIGNS OF A SCAM

The [National Crime Prevention Council](#) reminds you that fraudsters use tricky tactics to create a sense of urgency and encourage you to lower your guard.

The next time someone calls or texts you and claims to be a customer service representative or authority figure, remember that a scammer may:

Be impatient, abrasive, pushy, or even rude

Be over-complimentary and make extra effort to relate to you

Evade your questions

Gain your trust by having you **verify some personal information**, then ask you for more

Try to **rush you** into a decision

Offer a deal that seems "**too good to be true**"

Trigger a one-time PIN for you and **ask you to read it back**

Visit the NCPD's website for their Don't Take the Bait – Validate! Campaign and see additional resources [by clicking here](#).

If you have a crime or concern to report, you can call the Rockville City Police Department at:

Non-Emergency: 240-314-8900

Emergency: 9-1-1

We provide a weekly report of serious crime to serve as an overview of police activity occurring within City Limits. Please note this summary does not include every reported incident that has occurred during this time frame and that the words "arrested" and "charged" do not imply guilt.

INCIDENTS

Congressional

100 block of Halpine Road, the complainant reports that an unknown subject removed a wallet and credit cards from a motor vehicle and used them to make fraudulent purchases at 11:20 a.m. on 02/01/22.

Burgundy Knolls

1000 block of Neal Drive, the complainant reports than unknown subject forced entry into a motor vehicle and removed a wallet containing credit cards and cash between 6:00 p.m. on 02/03/22 and 7:33 a.m. on 02/04/22.

East Rockville

300 block of Seth Place, the complainant reports that unknown subjects removed a vehicle's catalytic converter between 5:00 p.m. on 01/30/22 and 12:41 p.m. on 02/03/22.

Saah Plaza & Flagship Shopping Center

800 block of Hungerford Drive, the complainant reports that three unknown subjects forced entry into two businesses and stole merchandise from one at 1:09 a.m. on 02/05/22.

800 block of Hungerford Drive, the complainant reports a subject removed merchandise from a business without paying for the items at 1:00 p.m. on 02/06/22.

King Farm

500 block of King Farm Boulevard, the complainant reports that an unknown subject removed a bicycle from a secure private garage between 4:10 p.m. on 02/02/22 and 3:30 p.m. on 02/03/22.

Potomac Woods

2100 block of Canterbury Way, the complainant reports that unknown subject removed an expensive jacket from a closet during a home sale sometime between December and January. **Incident reported: 02/02/22.**

Rockville Pike

800 block of Rockville Pike, the complainant reports that an unknown subject removed sound-equipment from a vehicle parked at a repair shop for the past year and a half. **Incident reported: 02/01/22.**

Rockville Town Center

Unit block Monroe Place, the complainant reports that an unknown subject removed a vehicle's catalytic converter between 8:00 p.m. 01/28/22 and 10:00 a.m. on 01/29/22. **Incident reported: 02/01/22.**

Rockville Town Center (cont.)

Unit block Maryland Avenue, the complainants report that an unknown subject approached, implied possession of a weapon, grabbed and took the victim's backpack and laptop and fled f at 4:37 p.m. on 02/07/22. **The subject is described as:**

B/M – approx. 6 foot tall, 180 pounds, between 27 and 33 years old, muscular-build, hair in dreads and a bun, light-to-medium complexion – Last seen wearing: white/gray/black jacket and gray sweatpants

Twinbrook

5800 block Vandegrift Avenue, the complainant reports that an unknown subject took an unsecured vehicle between 4:15 p.m. on 02/04/22 and 11:00 a.m. on 02/05/22.

West End

200 block Adclare Road, the complainant reports that an unknown subject stole an unsecured vehicle between the evening of 02/06/22 and 10:00 a.m. on 02/07/22.



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