



April 12, 2022 to April 19, 2022

POLICE CRIME REPORT

DURING WAR, BE MINDFUL OF CHARITY SCAMS

The ongoing war and refugee crisis in eastern Europe presents a prime opportunity for fraudsters to pose as a charity and obtain your money on false pretenses.

If you're contacted for funds concerning humanitarian relief on email, text, or phone:

- **Ask for detailed information** about the charity, including address and phone number.
- **Look up the charity through their website or a trusted third-party source** to confirm that the charity is real. [Guidestar.org](https://www.guidestar.org) is a good, free resource to obtain information about nonprofits.
- **Follow your gut** – your instincts are more accurate than you may think. If you don't feel comfortable and if a donation doesn't feel right, don't contribute.

If you've become aware of a fraud or a scam, you can submit a complaint online with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC): <https://reportfraud.ftc.gov>

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.

ARRESTS

04/18/22, a female, age 36, was arrested for trespassing following an incident in the 1400 block of Rockville Pike

04/12/22, a male, age 20, was arrested for 2nd-degree assault and disorderly conduct in the 1000 block Rockville Pike

INCIDENTS

400 block of North Horners Lane, the complainant reports that an unknown subject stole the hard-top, car stereo, battery, and floor mats from a convertible sometime between 04/01/22 and 04/13/22.

700 block of Rockville Pike, an employee discovered that an unknown customer stole \$1500 from an unattended purse at 10:33 p.m. on 04/12/22.

2200 block of Lewis Avenue, surveillance footage shows an unknown subject steal cooper wire from a HVAC truck at 11:30 p.m. on 04/13/22. **The subject is described as:**

W/M – "middle-aged", goatee facial hair, wearing a hoodie

1600 block of East Gude Drive, two complainants reported that an unknown subject shattered the front windows to their two businesses between 6:00 p.m. on 04/13/22 and 3:00 a.m. on 04/14/22.

1300 Baltimore Road, the complainant reports that someone vandalized an excavator between 4:00 p.m. on 04/13/22 and 6:40 a.m. on 04/14/22.

100 block of Halpine Road, the complainant reports that while withdrawing cash from an ATM, an unknown subject approached and demanded money while implying possession of a weapon at 2:30 p.m. on 04/13/22. **The subject is described as:**

H/M – 17-20 years old, thin-build, 5 foot 3 inches tall, medium-complexion, wearing a hoodie and black windbreaker

200 block of East Middle Lane, a business-owner found damage to a front door latch that appeared between 10:00 p.m. on 04/16/22 and 10:30 a.m. on 04/17/22.

2200 block of McAuliffe Drive, the complainant reports that an unknown subject slashed the tires of a company vehicle between 8:00 a.m. on 04/17/22 and 8:00 a.m. on 04/18/22

2000 block of Veirs Mill Road, the complainant reported that an unknown subject brandished a knife and threatened him while on a footpath at 12:29 a.m. on 04/17/22. **The subject is described as:**

H/M, short in stature, heavy-set build, approximately 35 years old



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