



September 13, 2022 to September 20, 2022

# **POLICE CRIME REPORT**

#### **KNOW THE SIGNS OF A SCAM**

The <u>National Crime Prevention Council</u> 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 NCPC'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.

# **ARRESTS**

09/20/22, a male, age 36, was arrested for trespassing, disorderly intoxication, and a weapons-law violation in the 2000 block of Tower Oaks Boulevard

## INCIDENTS

1600 block of Rockville Pike, two subjects arrived in a vehicle and stole clothing from a business at 4:33 p.m. on 09/14/22.

100 block of First Street, a resident returned home to find her home's interior disturbed but only a sticker stolen and believes someone had entered between 1:10 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on 09/15/22.

800 block of Rockville Pike, video shows an unknown subject enter the unsecured "Employee only" section of a business and steal a wallet at 12:37 p.m. on 09/15/22.

1700 block of Rockville Pike, an unknown subject entered a business, sat down for a time, placed personal hygiene products in a bag and left at 4:30 p.m. on 09/15/22. **The subject is described as:** 

### Black male –about 30 years old thin build, goatee – Last seen wearing sunglasses and a black Puma baseball cap

200 block of E. Argyle Street, hearing glass breaking, a resident spotted two subjects standing nearby and then run away at 4:30 a.m. on 09/15/22.

Intersection of E. Middle Lane & N. Washington Street, a bar patron fell asleep intoxicated during the evening of 09/16/22 and awoke to find his phone missing and that someone had stolen his car.

800 block of Rockville Pike, video shows numerous subjects wearing ski-masks arrive in a car, shatter the window of another vehicle, and flee with it at 8:00 a.m. on 09/18/22.

1600 block of E. Gude Drive, video shows two subjects entering a business via a broken front door, steal merchandise, and flee at 3:06 a.m. on 09/18/22.

800 block of Rockville Pike, two subjects arrived in car, remotely unlocked another vehicle, and drove it away at Midnight on 09/19/22.



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