



# VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

May 20, 2022

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from May 13, 2022 to May 19, 2022. Readers are reminded that an “arrest” is based upon probable cause and does not always mean that someone was physically taken into custody. Furthermore, it does not mean that an individual is automatically guilty of a crime. Judicial outcomes and post-arrest proceedings can be researched through the appropriate court’s website.

(VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS IS NOT MEANT TO BE A LISTING OF EVERY INCIDENT OR CALL HANDLED BY THE Vienna Police, but merely a more substantive summary of several incidents, which may be of interest to the community. Some reports may be outside the date parameters due to extended investigations or other circumstances. Some cases are not included at all due to ongoing investigations. Please contact Ruth Rohr for further information at [Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov](mailto:Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov))

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On July 1, 2021, citizens will be able to access Community Policing data via <https://data.virginia.gov/stories/s/rden-cz3h>. The Vienna Police Department had started complying with this state law in July of 2020. The portal will contain all non-consensual investigatory stops made by the Vienna Police Departments and other law enforcement agencies in the commonwealth.

## **Car Thefts and Tamperings**

The National Capital Area and specifically the Northern Virginia area, has seen increased vehicle tampering incidents and vehicle thefts. In some incidents, suspects entered homes through unlocked doors and open garage doors to steal property and keys to vehicles. The suspects then used the vehicle keys to gain entry into vehicles and use them to get away. The Vienna Police Department would like to remind our community members to please stay vigilant, close, and lock all doors of residences and garages to prevent criminals from targeting your property.

**If you see suspicious activity or persons, we ask that you notify the police department at 703-255-6366 or, in case of an emergency 9-1-1.**

## **INCIDENTS**

### **Fraud 22-004712**

**Navy Federal Credit Union**

**820 Follin Lane, SE**

**September 1, 2021 at 12:00 p.m.**

A citizen in New Jersey reported fraudulent activity through her company's business account with the Navy Federal Credit Union.

### **Animal Case 22-004574**

**Loyal Companion**

**144 Maple Avenue, West**

**May 3 12:00 p.m.**

On May 12, ACO Barker received a dog bite report for an incident that occurred on May 3. ACO Barker spoke to the dog's owner on May 13 and she reported that her dog bit a groomer during an appointment. The 10-quarantine period was expired and the dog was in good health.

### **Petit Larceny 22-004438**

**Leyli's Style**

**111 Church Street, NW, # 204**

**May 5 10:13 a.m.**

A furniture set was stolen from the salon's balcony

### **Petit Larceny 22-004536**

**Freeman Store & Museum**

**131 Church Street, NE**

**Between May 9 at 1:00 p.m. and May 12 at 12:00 p.m.**

Plants were stolen from the store's plant sale.

### **Domestic Dispute 22-004518**

**Pruitt Court, SW**

**May 12 7:19 a.m.**

Officers responded to a domestic dispute between a resident and her husband.

### **Police Service 22-004529**

**Vienna Police Station**

**301 Center Street, South**

**May 12 12:15 p.m.**

A citizen turned in ammo for destruction

**Animal Case 22-004561**

**Vienna Police Station  
301 Center Street, South  
May 13 12:35 a.m.**

A citizen found a dog running at large and brought it to the station. An officer transported the dog to the Fairfax County Animal Shelter after attempts to locate an owner were unsuccessful.

**Grand Larceny 22-004610**

**Vienna Dog Park  
700 Courthouse Road, SW  
May 13 between 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.**

A citizen reported that someone stole his wallet from his unlocked vehicle and made unauthorized charges to his credit cards.

**Suspicious Event 22-004589**

**Hunan Delight Restaurant  
276 Cedar Lane, SE  
May 13 3:44 p.m.**

An employee reported that a man came into the restaurant, began yelling obscenities at the staff and customers, and was asked to leave. The man continued to linger outside of the restaurant. An officer spoke to the man who advised that he was upset because he was asked to leave the restaurant. The man left the area without further incident.

**Grand Larceny 22-004596**

**Vienna Elementary School  
128 Center Street, South  
May 13 between 6:05 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.**

A citizen reported that someone smashed her car window and stole her purse from the passenger seat.

**Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated 22-004598**

**Maple Avenue and Niblick Drive, SE  
May 13 8:54 p.m.**

Officers responded to the area of Maple Avenue and Branch Road, SE for the report of a reckless driver. Sgt. Ruddy located the vehicle and observed the driver commit several traffic offenses. The officer initiated a traffic stop, and, upon her interaction with the driver, detected signs of impairment. After the driver failed to complete a series of field sobriety tests the officer attempted to place her under arrest when the driver began to resist.

Sgt. Ruddy transported the 33-year-old woman from Market Street, East, Gaithersburg, Maryland to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where she provided a sample of her blood for analysis. The woman was charged with Driving While Intoxicated and Resisting Arrest and she was held on a \$2000 unsecured bond.

**Domestic Dispute 22-004605**

**Pekay Street, SW**

**May 14 5:42 a.m.**

Officers responded to the report of a domestic dispute between a resident and his adult daughter.

**Animal Case – Quarantine 22-004700**

**Hope Advanced Veterinary Center**

**140 Park Street, SE**

**May 14 10:18 a.m.**

On May 17, ACO Barker received a notification from the Health Department reporting that an employee was bitten by a dog during a procedure on May 14. The dog was later euthanized. ACO Barker transported the dog to the Fairfax County Animal Shelter for rabies testing.

**Suspicious Event 22-004626**

**1100 Block Hillcrest Drive, SW**

**May 14 7:03 p.m.**

A resident reported concerns that she has with a neighbor's new tenant.

**Civil Matter 22-004654**

**200 Block Cedar Lane, SE**

**May 15 10:13 p.m.**

Officers responded to a civil dispute between two roommates.

**Animal Case – Quarantine 22-004705**

**Hope Advanced Veterinary Center**

**140 Park Street, SE**

**May 15 11:32 a.m.**

On May 17, ACO Barker received notification from the Health Department that an employee was bitten by a dog during a procedure on May 15. The dog was released from the center to go home with its owner in Fairfax. Fairfax County Animal Control will follow up on the quarantine.

**Suspicious Event 22-004656**

**400 Block Upham Place, NW**

**May 15 11:11 p.m.**

At 11:11 p.m., a resident reported that she could hear voices outside of her home and in her basement. Officers searched the home but found no evidence that anyone was inside or around her home. The resident called for assistance again at 11:51 p.m. reporting that she was hearing the unknown people in her kitchen and could see them on her deck. When officers arrived, the resident advised the people left the area in a vehicle just before the officers' arrival. While talking to the resident, officers detected signs of impairment.

**Trespassing 22-004668**

**Cedar Lane School**

**101 Cedar Lane, SW**

**May 16 9:24 a.m.**

A school administrator reported that a man came into the school's office on May 12, inquired about how to submit an employment application with them, and became disorderly with one of the employees. The following day, the man was observed walking around the school's property. On May 16, the man returned to the school again. Officers located the man as he was walking on Cedar Lane and, at the request of the school's administration, trespassed him from the school property. The man was advised that he would be charged with trespassing if he returned.

**Telephone Case 22-004684**

**Cunningham Park Elementary School**

**1001 Park Street, SE**

**May 16 between 12:00 p.m. and 5:49 p.m.**

An employee was receiving suspicious phone calls at work from a man who stated he was with her daughter and was going to kidnap her unless she paid him. The employee immediately called her daughter and found that she was safe and the call was a hoax.

**Vandalism 22-004721**

**300 Block Windover Avenue, NW**

**May 17 2:18 a.m.**

A citizen reported that someone smashed the windshield of his vehicle while it was legally parked.

**Vandalism 22-004720**

**300 Block Windover Avenue, NW**

**May 17 2:19 a.m.**

A resident reported that someone smashed the rear window of her vehicle while it was legally parked.

**Vandalism 22-004717**

**300 Block Holmes Drive, NW**

**May 17 2:45 a.m.**

A citizen reported that someone smashed the windshield of her vehicle while it was legally parked.

**Vandalism 22-004719**

**300 Block Holmes Drive, NW**

**May 17 2:45 a.m.**

A citizen reported that someone smashed the windshield of his vehicle while it was legally parked.

**Found Property 22-004724**

**301 Center Street, South**

**May 17 7:16 p.m.**

A Lyft driver turned in a cell phone that was left in his vehicle by a passenger.

**Arrest – Sex Offender Violation 22-004749**

**Vienna Baptist Church**

**541 Marshall Road, SW**

**May 18 1:53 p.m.**

An employee reported that a suspicious man was sitting in front of the Church, near the playground and preschool. She further stated that the same man was seen there at the same time for the past several days. Officers located the man and, upon their interaction with him, found that he was a registered sex offender.

Ofc. Lichtenberg arrested the 71 year-old-man from Kingsley Road, SW in Vienna. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with Sex Offender Loitering Within 100' of a Child Care Program.

**Grand Larceny 22-004783**

**7-11**

**537 Maple Avenue, West**

**Between May 18 at 4:40 p.m. and May 19 at 4:55 p.m.**

An employee reported that a man stole three gift cards.

**CASE UPDATES**

*(May 13, 2022, Vienna Police Highlights)*

**Assault 22-004361**

**200 Block Yeonas Drive, SW**

**May 6 11:32 p.m.**

A resident reported that she was assaulted by her roommate in violation of a protective order. The roommate reported that it was the resident who assaulted him.

Both parties were advised of the warrant process should they wish to pursue charges.

**UPDATE;** The resident obtained a misdemeanor warrant for her roommate charging Violation of a Protective Order. On May 12, Ofc. Stroh served the warrant on the 35-year-old man and released him on his signature.

## **CRASHES**

### **143 Maple Avenue, East 22-004505**

**April 21 11:15 a.m.**

On May 11, the owner of Vehicle-2 reported that her vehicle was legally parked in the parking lot when it was struck by Vehicle-1. Driver-1 left the scene without providing their information.

### **100 Block Patrick Street, SE 22-004456**

**May 10 6:30 a.m.**

Vehicle-2 was legally parked in the parking lot when it was struck by Vehicle-1. Driver-1 left the scene without providing their information.

### **Maple Avenue and Courthouse Road, SW 22-004503**

**May 11 3:41 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was northbound on Courthouse Road, turning right onto Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 was northbound on Courthouse Road and ran into the rear of Vehicle-2.

### **300 Block Center Street, South 22-004543**

**May 12 8:33 p.m.**

Two vehicles were traveling northbound on Center Street. Vehicle-1 ran into the rear of Vehicle-2.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

### **200 Block Patrick Street, SE 22-004590**

**May 13 4:24 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling westbound on Patrick Street. Vehicle-1 was exiting a parking lot onto Patrick Street when the two vehicles collided.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

### **100 Block Maple Avenue, East 22-004592**

**May 13 6:40 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound in a parking lot when Vehicle-1 backed out of a parking space and the two vehicles collided causing minor damage to both vehicles.

### **300 Block Maple Avenue, East 22-004593**

**May 13 6:57 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling westbound in the right lane of Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 was eastbound, attempting to turn left into 362 Maple Avenue when the two vehicles collided.

**Park Street and Locust Street, SE 22-004628**

**May 14 12:15 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling northbound on Park Street, entering the roundabout with Locust Street. Vehicle-1 entered the roundabout from Locust Street without yielding and collided with Vehicle-2. Driver-1 left the scene without stopping to provide their information.

**100 Block Maple Avenue, East 22-004682**

**May 14 3:30 p.m.**

Two vehicles were traveling eastbound in adjacent lanes when they collided. Vehicle-1 left the area without stopping to provide their information.

**300 Block Maple Avenue, East 22-004683**

**May 16 4:47 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 was exiting a parking lot to turn right into eastbound traffic when the two vehicles collided.

**1100 Cottage Street, SW 22-004756**

**May 18 5:32 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was backing out of a private driveway. Vehicle-1 was traveling northbound on Cottage Street when it struck Vehicle-2.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

**200 Block Nutley Street, SW 22-004767**

**May 18 8:30 p.m.**

Vehicle-2 was legally parked on the roadway when it was struck by Vehicle-1. Driver-1 left the area without providing their information.

**Niblick Drive and Wolftrap Road, SE 22-004770**

**May 19 7:45 a.m.**

Vehicle-2 was traveling northbound on Niblick Drive near Wolftrap Road. Vehicle-1 was traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue, made a right turn onto Niblick, crossed into oncoming traffic, and struck Vehicle-2.

Driver-1 was issued a summons charging Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

**380 Maple Avenue, West 22-004789**

**May 19 8:20 p.m.**

Vehicle-1 was traveling westbound on Maple Avenue. The driver drifted across the eastbound lanes, drove up onto the curb, collided with a fence, and pushed the fence into a compact construction loader before coming to a stop in front of the building structure.



Please contact Ruth Rohr for further information on any of these cases at [Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov](mailto:Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov) or 703-255-6324.

## **CITIZEN NOTES**



### **HARD HAT CORNER**

Week of May 23<sup>rd</sup>

- Complete installing cast stone on seat walls
- Continue installing the permanent roof on the mechanical well (weather dependent)
- Complete finishes in the basement area
- Start hanging drywall and ACT ceiling on the second floor
- Continue to paint drywall on the second floor level
- Continue installing glass on exterior windows/curtain wall system
- Complete installing millwork and cabinetry first and second floors
- Continue build-out of main IT Room
- continue fire alarm testing level
- Complete sprinkler system
- Complete installing slat fence on the perimeter wall
- Install metal lockers on the first floor

Week of May 30<sup>th</sup>

- Continue installing permanent slope roof at the main building (weather dependent)
- Complete finishes in the first floor area
- Complete hanging drywall and ACT ceiling on the second floor
- Continue to paint drywall second and first floor level
- Continue installing glass on exterior windows/curtain wall system
- Continue exterior caulking
- Continue installing ceilings at the sally port
- Complete installing the tile on the second floor level
- Complete tile installation on the first floor level
- Complete the build-out of the main IT room
- Continue landscaping in the plaza and north green area

**\*\*As we move forward with the new facility's construction, Chief Morris is committed to keeping the Vienna community informed and involved in the process. A link has also been established on the Town of Vienna website (<https://vienna.prod.govaccess.org/your-government/town-departments-at-your-service/police/police-station-construction/-fsiteid-1>) for your information.**



# Vienna Police Department

## INFORMATION BULLETIN

FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

### BURGLARY

These two suspects were involved in a burglary and unlawful entry that occurred in the 200 block of Dominion Road NE on December 26, 2021.



*Suspect 1*



*Suspect 2*

If you recognize these suspects or have any information, please contact Det. Marcos Herrera, [Marcos.Herrera@viennava.gov](mailto:Marcos.Herrera@viennava.gov), (703) 255-7821, reference case number 2021-7988

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January 18, 2022



**Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department  
Media Information Release  
Warning: McAfee Scam Email**

Detectives with the Vienna Police Department are investigating two separate scam incidents related to a "McAfee Antivirus" email. Detectives advised that the scam usually begins with an email that purports to be from McAfee informing citizens that they are being charged \$300 for "McAfee Total Protection anti-virus software" unless they cancel the order by calling a phone number provided in the email. If you call the number provided, you will be greeted by a scammer posing as a McAfee employee who will ask for personal information, including a bank account number supposedly to verify the account. After receiving the personal information, the scammer will request a wire transfer of funds which will be nearly impossible to reverse once it is completed. The Vienna Police Department provides the following guidelines for spotting and avoiding a "phishing" email:

- 1) Always check the sender's email. Phishing emails may look like they are from a legitimate company you trust. Most of the time, you can tell it is a phishing scam if the sender's email address consists of random numbers and letters. If you are unsure, research the email of the company.
- 2) Look for spelling and grammatical errors. Phishing emails tend to have multiple spelling and grammatical errors in them.
- 3) Phishing emails will attempt to trick you through a sense of urgency in order to click on a link or open an attachment. You can inspect the link by hovering the mouse over it without clicking on it—only open attachments from trusted and verified sources.
- 4) Phishing emails may trick you by saying:
  - a. They've noticed suspicious activity or login attempts
  - b. Claim there are account problems or problems with payment information
  - c. Ask to confirm personal information
  - d. Attach fake invoices
  - e. Provide a link to allow for a payment
  - f. Threaten to arrest
  - g. Offer money or free items

If you feel you have fallen victim to a phishing scam, please call the police non-emergency number, 703-255-6366, to report it. You can also report phishing emails to your email provider or the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) using their website. Useful links containing phishing email examples, how to avoid phishing emails, and FTC reporting procedures are attached below:

<https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/how-recognize-and-avoid-phishing-scams>

<https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/topics/online-security>

**For further information please contact:  
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