



VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

March 3, 2023

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from February 24, 2023 to March 2, 2023. Readers are reminded an “arrest” is based upon probable cause and does not always mean someone was physically taken into custody. Furthermore, it does not mean 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)

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.

UPDATE – Car Thefts and Tamperings

The National Capital Area, specifically the Northern Virginia area, has seen increased vehicle tampering incidents and vehicle thefts. A recent pattern has been identified where suspects enter the area in stolen vehicles and cruise streets between 3:00 AM and 7:00 AM. In addition to rifling through unlocked cars for valuables and money, they steal the vehicle when they encounter keys left in it. The Vienna Police Department would like to remind our community members to please stay vigilant, secure their cars and take the keys inside, and close and lock all doors of residences and garages to prevent criminals from targeting your property. Additionally, please call the police if you notice suspicious vehicles or people in your area, and share Ring doorbell or other security camera footage with us if you capture video related to these incidents. The Vienna Police Department is working closely with other Law Enforcement agencies in the region, coordinating our resources to investigate these crimes.

If you see suspicious activity or persons, we ask you to immediately notify the police department at 703-255-6366 or, in case of emergency call 911.

INCIDENTS

Lost Property 23-001728

Vienna Police Station

215 Center Street, South

February 16 12:00 p.m.

On February 23, a resident reported she used her location application to track her lost Apple Air pods Pro in the area around Mill Street, SE.

Fight 23-001732

McDonald's

544 Maple Avenue, West

February 23 9:00 p.m.

An employee reported a large group of juveniles fighting in the restaurant. When the officers arrived, the group dispersed.

Juvenile Case 23-001851

200 Block Cedar Lane, SE

February 25 8:54 p.m.

A citizen requested a welfare check on her stepson who she reported as missing to the Fairfax County Police. The juvenile was located at his mother's residence. The Fairfax County Police were advised the juvenile had been safely located.

Burglary 23-001914

Skorpios Maggio's Family Restaurant

421 Maple Avenue, East

Between February 27 at 8:44 p.m. and February 27 at 9:26 p.m.

On February 28, an employee reported someone entered the business during the night and stole the cash drawer and tip jar. *See Information Bulletin below in the Citizen's Notes for further information.*

Suspicious Event 23-001920

Walgreens

225 Maple Avenue, East

February 28 12:04 p.m.

A Walgreens employee reported ongoing issues with an employee at Petco harassing her. The store manager trespassed the man from Walgreens.

Arrest – Warrant Service 23-001942

400 Block Maple Avenue, West

March 1 9:14 a.m.

An officer was speaking to a man regarding an incident. During their interview, the officer found there was an active warrant for the man in Fairfax County.

Ofc. Fitchue arrested the 31-year-old man from Dogwood Street, SW in Vienna. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where the felony warrant charging Failure to Appear on Possession of Narcotics was served on him.

Suspicious Event 23-001968

500 Block Creek Crossing Road, NE

March 1 10:25 p.m.

On March 2, a resident reported a suspicious man they observed on their security video the night before. The video showed a vehicle pulling into their driveway, the driver looked into the windows at the front of the house, and then walked around the side of the home. The video showed the man left approximately 10 minutes later.

Grand Larceny 23-001958

Whole Foods

143 Maple Avenue, East

March 1 between 1:20 p.m. and 1:50 p.m.

A citizen reported her wallet was stolen while she was shopping at Whole Foods. Unauthorized charges were also made to her credit cards.

Emotionally Disturbed Person 23-001956

Moorefield Creek Road, SW

March 1 7:15 p.m.

A resident requested assistance, stating she was suffering from emotional issues. An officer provided the resident and her family with information on the resources available to them for assistance.

Stolen Vehicle 23-001983

Truist Bank

515 Maple Avenue, East

March 2 between 9:50 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

An elderly citizen parked her vehicle outside of the bank. When she returned to the parking lot, she found her vehicle was stolen.

Assault 23-001991

Water's Field

300 Center Street, South

April 2 2:45 p.m.

A juvenile was at the field when he was approached by a classmate and the classmate's 18-year-old brother. The brother made threats to harm the juvenile and his family. The juvenile's parent was advised of the warrant process if they wish to pursue charges.

CASE UPDATES

None.

CRASHES

Center Street and Church Street, NW 23-001748

February 24 8:00 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was southbound on Center Street, North approaching Church Street. Vehicle-1 was pulling out of a private lot to turn left onto southbound Center Street when the two vehicles collided.

521 Maple Avenue, East 23-001770

February 24 12:22 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was eastbound on Maple Avenue and stopped at the red traffic light. Vehicle-2 was westbound on Maple Avenue, attempting to turn left into a parking lot when the two vehicles collided.

115 Park Street, SE 23-001897

February 27 11:16 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was traveling northbound on Park Street. Vehicle-1 was exiting the parking lot of 115 Park Street when the two vehicles collided.

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

400 Block Colin Lane, NW 23-001941

March 1 8:00 a.m.

A resident was backing out of their driveway when they backed into a Town of Vienna backhoe that was parked, partially blocking the driveway.

200 Block Maple Avenue, West 23-001947

March 1 11:45 a.m.

Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue. Vehicle-1 was traveling westbound on Maple Avenue, turning left into a parking lot when the two vehicles collided.

Glyndon Street and Locust Street, SE 23-001954

March 1 3:20 p.m.

Vehicle-1 was traveling northbound on Glyndon Street approaching Locust Street. Vehicle-2 was traveling west on Locust Street when the two vehicles collided in the intersection.

Nutley Street near Mendon Lane, SW 23-001957

March 1 7:19 p.m.

Two vehicles were traveling northbound on Nutley Street in the left lane. Vehicle-1 ran into the rear of Vehicle-2.

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

Please contact Ruth Rohr for further information on any of these cases at Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov or 703-255-6324.

CITIZEN NOTES



Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release

Town of Vienna Police Department Arrests Shooting Suspect - UPDATE

On January 8, 2023, multiple citizens reported hearing gunshots in the parking lot near 311 Maple Ave E. Officers from the Vienna Police Department responded to the area and after an initial investigation, determined the incident involved a civil dispute between family members, which resulted in one individual discharging a firearm.

A lengthy investigation followed, which included statements from witnesses who remained on scene, interviews, search warrants, and examination of physical evidence. On January 31, 2023, detectives from the Vienna Police Department Criminal Investigations Section obtained arrest warrants charging Aria Shahryary with felony shooting in to an occupied vehicle, felony willful discharge of a firearm in a public place and misdemeanor brandishing. On February 2, 2023, Mr. Shahryary voluntarily reported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he surrendered himself to detectives of the Vienna Police Department for the service of the warrants. Mr. Shahryary was held on a \$50,000 secured bond.

The Vienna Police Department would like to thank the witnesses who remained on scene to give statements and the Fairfax County Police Department who assisted in the investigation.

**For Further Information please contact
MPO Juan Vazquez- Town of Vienna Police Public Information Officer
at juan.vazquez@viennava.gov or 703. 255. 7845**



Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department

Driver Safety Tips

The Town of Vienna Police Department is continuing to investigate the carjacking incident, which occurred on Saturday, January 28th. We would like to thank citizens who have contacted The Town of Vienna Police Department seeking information on how to best prepare themselves. Listed below are some helpful tips to keep in mind if you ever find yourself in a suspicious situation:

-Beware of your surroundings:

- Garage and parking lots
- Intersections with stop signs and traffic signals
- Residential streets and driveways
- Anywhere you need to stop or slow down

-When possible:

- Park in well-lit areas
- Stay alert
- Stay off your phone
- Keep your doors and windows locked while driving
- Allow enough room between your car and the one ahead/behind you to avoid being boxed in
- Keep your cell phone on your person, not left in the vehicle
- If your vehicle is bumped into and you are suspicious of the incident, turn on your emergency flashers, drive to a well-lit, heavily populated area and contact the police department
- If you are the victim of a carjacking:
 - Give up your vehicle and leave the scene
 - Avoid verbal or physical altercations with the suspect
 - Take note of the suspect's description
 - If there is a child in the vehicle, tell the suspect, "My child is in the vehicle"
 - Call 911 immediately

If you ever find yourself in doubt of how to handle a suspicious situation, call the Town of Vienna Police Department, 703-255-6366, and ask to speak to an officer. If you have any further questions or information related to the carjacking incident on Saturday, January 28th, call 703-255-7845, and ask to speak with MPO Juan Vazquez.



Vienna Police Department

INFORMATION BULLETIN

FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

BURGLARY

The suspects pictured below were involved in the burglary of a business which occurred in the 200 block of Maple Avenue E on the evening of February 27, 2023. They were last seen heading southbound on Berry Street SE.



Suspect #1



Suspect #2



<----- Stock photo depicting the backpack worn by Suspect #1

If you recognize these suspects or have any information, please contact Det. Hylinski, gregory.hylinski@viennava.gov, (703) 255-7855, reference case #2023-1914.

Detective G.T. Hylinski #122
215 Center Street South, Vienna VA 22180
gregory.hylinski@viennava.gov (703) 255 - 7855

March 1, 2023



Vienna Police Department

INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

Attempt to ID - For Public Dissemination

Grand Larceny

On October 25, 2022, between 1pm and 2pm, the subject pictured below is suspected of stealing a wallet from a purse of an unattended shopping cart at Giant, located in Vienna, VA. The suspect is seen on security camera approach a shopper's cart as her back was turned, reach into her purse which was in the top "seat" area of the cart and take the victim's wallet from the purse. The wallet contained several credit/debit cards as well as the victim's driver's license. The suspect then turned and exited with the wallet. The suspect is a B/M and was wearing blue jeans, a black hoodie, a patterned face mask, a tan backpack, and a San Antonio Spurs hat.



If you recognize the suspect or have similar cases, please contact PFC A. J. Murray,
alex.murray@viennava.gov (703) 255-7816, reference case number 2022-10499

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215 Center Street South, Vienna VA 22180
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November 21, 2022



Vienna Police Department

INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

Between 2:00 AM and 3:00 AM on July 23, 2022, a group of unidentified males damaged the grounds and equipment at Westwood Country Club, 800 Maple Avenue E, Vienna, VA 22180. Video surveillance captured them and the images below were obtained. Estimates of the cost of the damage to the grounds and property exceeded \$2000.



If you have information on these suspects or incident, please contact Sergeant J. K. Sheeran,
James.Sheeran@viennava.gov, (703) 255-7826, reference case number 2022-7611

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July 28, 2022

