

VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

March 24, 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

March 17, 2023 to March 23, 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 <u>Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov</u>)

On July 1, 2021, citizens will be able to access Community Policing data via <u>https://data.virginia.gov/stories/s/rden-cz3h</u>. 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

Petit Larceny 23-002329 Virginia Tire & Auto 141 Maple Avenue, West Between January 24 at 12:00 p.m. and March 14 at 12:00 p.m.

A citizen reported a tablet belonging to her employer was stolen from her vehicle. The citizen had service done on her vehicle in February and believes it may have been taken at that time.

Suspicious Event 23-2252 Vienna Arsenal 386 Maple Avenue, West Between January 25 at 11:20 a.m. and March 11 at 2:43 p.m.

A resident purchased a firearm out of state and had it shipped to Vienna Arsenal. An employee at the arsenal had no record of the weapon being delivered.

Fraud 23-002430 900 Block Moorefield Creek Road, SW March 10 3:33 p.m. A resident reported someone used his personal information to open credit accounts.

Animal Case 23-002250 900 Block Fairway Drive, NE March 11 1:37 p.m. An officer responded to the report of an injured fox. The officer found the fox was in grave condition and euthanized the animal.

Suspicious Event 23-002441 Maple Avenue and Pleasant Street, SW March 17 11:00 a.m.

A resident came to the police station to report an accident from earlier. The resident stated he was turning onto Maple Avenue from Pleasant Street when he struck a pedestrian. The pedestrian appeared to be uninjured and left the scene without providing their information.

Animal Case – Quarantine 23-002496 400 Block Troy Court, SE March 17 12:00 p.m.

A resident saw her neighbor's dog running at large and was attempting to get it back home when the dog bit her. The dog's owner was advised of the 10-day quarantine.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 23-002433 100 Block Church Street, SW March 17 4:13 p.m.

Officers responded to the report of a suspicious person. Upon the officer's interaction with the man, they detected signs of impairment.

Ofc. Lichtenberg arrested the 49-year-old man with no fixed address and transported him to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Drunk In Public.

Open Door 23-002451 900 Block Glyndon Street, SE March 18 1:51 a.m.

Officers responding to a residential alarm found an open door. The officers searched the residence and found nothing appeared to have been disturbed. A resident was on the scene.

Suspicious Event 23-002462 200 Block Charles Street, SE March 18 7:59 p.m.

A resident reported an incident from earlier in the night where a vehicle was speeding on her street. When she confronted the two occupants, the men began to speak aggressively to her. No crime occurred and the vehicle left the area.

Suspicious Event 23-002463 600 Block Tazewell Road, NW March 18 9:18 p.m. A resident reported his neighbor's guest spoke aggressively to him.

Suspicious Event 23-002484 Popeye's 325 Maple Avenue, East March 19 5:56 p.m.

An employee reported a disorderly customer. The customer was upset over the wait for his food and others being served before him. The customer was refunded his money and he left the restaurant.

Fraud 23-002575 300 Block Berry Street, SE March 20 between 12:01 a.m. and 11:59 p.m.

A resident reported someone forged and cashed four of her checks. She advised they also transferred money from her daughter's account.

Suspicious Event 23-002504 100 Block Sharon Lane, NW March 20 between 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

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Missing Juvenile 23-002566

200 Block Cedar Lane, SE

March 21 between 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

A resident reported her daughter did not return home from school. The juvenile was entered into the national database as a runaway juvenile. On March 22, the resident reported she located her daughter in Fairfax.

Emergency Custody Order 23-002569 Fairway Drive, NE March 21 7:40 p.m.

Officers responded to the report of a juvenile threatening his parent with a knife. The resident reported she broke up a fight between her two juvenile sons after the older child began assaulting his brother. The juvenile then took two knives from the kitchen and made a threatening statement. Officers found the juvenile in his room, took him into custody on an Emergency Custody Order, and transported him to an area facility for evaluation and treatment. The younger brother was transported to an area hospital for evaluation of injuries from the fight.

Suspicious Event 23-002584 300 Block Maple Avenue, East March 22 4:00 p.m.

A citizen reported she was westbound on Maple Avenue, turning left onto Glyndon Street. The citizen stopped for a pedestrian who was waiting to cross and the citizen waived her on. As she was crossing the crosswalk, the man ran into the street, jumped on the hood of her vehicle, then continued to walk down the street. There was no damage to the vehicle. Other calls were received regarding the man's unusual behavior.

Assault 23-002583 Follin Lane and Echols Street, SE

March 22 4:25 p.m.

A juvenile was approached by a man while she was walking her dog and he began an unwanted conversation with her. The juvenile attempted to run away and the man continued to harass her. A citizen passing by heard the commotion and stopped to assist the juvenile, which prompted the man to run off. The juvenile and her parent were advised of the warrant process should they wish to pursue charges.

Suspicious Event 23-002590 500 Block Moorefield Road, SW March 22 8:23 p.m.

A resident reported repeated incidents where she has been outside of her home and a man in a gray Porsche has harassed her.

Arrest – Drunk In Public 23-002606 Cunningham Park Elementary School 1001 Park Street, SE March 23 12:07 p.m.

Officers responded to the area of Park Street and Harmony Drive, SE for the report of two men walking southbound on Park Street who appeared to be intoxicated. MPO Shaver located one of the men on school property. Upon the officer's interaction with the man, he detected signs of impairment and placed him under arrest. Officers were unable to locate the second man.

MPO Shaver transported the 59-year-old man with no fixed address to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Drunk In Public.

CASE UPDATES

Arrest – Burglary 23-001914 (*Vienna Police Highlights, March 3, 2023*) Skorpios Maggio's Family Restaurant 421 Maple Avenue, East

February 27 between 8:44 p.m. and 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. On March 17, Det. Herrera obtained felony warrants for three men in connection with this burglary.

On March 17, Det. Herrera arrested a 26-year-old man with no fixed address. He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where two warrants charging Burglary were served on him.

On March 21, Det. Herrera arrested a 19-year-old man from Lee Highway in Fairfax, Virginia and a 25-year-old man from Lee Highway in Fairfax, Virginia. The men were transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where two warrants charging Burglary were served on both of them.

CRASHES

138 Patrick Street, SE 23-002458 March 18 3:36 p.m.

Vehicle-2 was westbound on Patrick Street, SE. Vehicle-1 was pulling out of a parking lot when the two vehicles collided.

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

200 Block Maple Avenue, West 23-002479 March 19 3:30 p.m.

Two vehicles were traveling eastbound in the left lane on Maple Avenue, West. Vehicle-2 stopped in traffic. Vehicle-1 ran into the rear of Vehicle-2.

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

Maple Avenue and Courthouse Road, SW 23-002483 March 19 5:20 p.m.

Vehicle-2 was traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue with a green traffic light. Vehicle-1 was westbound on Maple Avenue, turning left onto Courthouse Road with a yellow traffic light for turning traffic when the two vehicles collided.

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

Nutley Street near Roland Street, SW 23-002608

March 23 1:32 p.m.

Vehicle-1 (a large tractor-trailer) was traveling northbound in the right lane of Nutley Street approaching Maple Avenue to turn right. Vehicle-2 was traveling in the left northbound lane of Nutley Street. As Vehicle-1 was preparing to make the turn, it sideswiped 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 <u>Ruth.Rohr@viennava.gov</u> or 703-255-6324.

CITIZEN NOTES



Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release

Vienna Police Department Arrests Burglary Suspects









Maldin Anibal-Guzman

On February 28, 2023, Skorpios Maggio's Family Restaurant, located at 421 Maple Avenue E., reported a burglary that occurred the night before. Security video evidence showed individuals entering the restaurant via a back door and taking the tip jar from the counter. The video also showed the same individuals returning a short time later and taking the cash drawer from the register. A lengthy investigation followed, which included a review of video evidence, interviews, search warrants, and electronic data analysis. The investigation identified Gustavo Jose Lagos-Medina, Wilson Uriel Catin-Lagos, and Maldin Anibal-Guzman as suspects. Vienna Detectives obtained arrest warrants charging all three men with two counts of burglary.

All three suspects were arrested without incident and held at the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center without bond.

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