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# TWINBROOK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

## Neighborhood Crime Breakdown, January 2021

Reporting Period: 01 December 2020 through 31 December 2020

### Part 1 offense reports

In December 2020, local police recorded five (5) Part 1 offense reports within the boundaries of the Twinbrook Community Association (TCA), including:

- Two (2) reports of theft-from-auto, including one witnessed at about 06:15 AM on December 08 at the 13000 block of Ardennes Avenue, and another witnessed around 08:35 PM on December 18 at the 1600 block of Burris Road.

In the former case, a victim observed a lone suspect who fled on foot and ultimately abandoned most of the victim's stolen property (recovered days later). This case appears isolated, as no other thefts of this type were recorded within a relevant area in the two weeks prior, although MCPD recorded another theft-from-auto 1 week later (and 0.31 miles north) targeting power tools from a van.

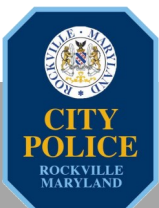
In the latter case, a witness observed two suspects checking car door handles. These suspects subsequently entered an unlocked car before fleeing on foot. This case may be the first of four others (ultimately describing five total targeted vehicles) occurring in the Silver Rock Park and Burgundy Estates neighborhoods between the afternoon of December 20 and early morning of December 21.

- Two (2) reports of aggravated assault, both of which occurred between subjects who knew each other and both of which resulted in an arrest.
- One (1) report of a robbery perpetrated by a 15-year old who, upon approaching a stranger walking in the area of Vandegrift Avenue, brandished (what was later discovered to be) a pellet gun and robbed her of her cell phone. RCPD and MCPD officers ultimately arrested the offender.

### Part 2 offense reports

Local police also recorded six (6) reports of Part 2 offenses, to include four (4) simple assault, two (2) DUI, one (1) disorderly conduct, and (2) minor vandalism cases (including one concerning graffiti and another concerning damage to a resident's door).

RCPD and MCPD officers also recorded three (3) cases of non-fatal drug overdose, including at least one related to opioid abuse. Additionally, officers also responded to the scene of a deceased 21-year old woman and transported her to a local medical examiner.



## Calls for Service Trends

In December, dispatchers recorded 64 calls for service within the boundaries of TCA, a typical amount here when compared to a historic average of 70 calls per (31 day) month. This figure is in the top 45% of historic monthly call volume.

Only calls concerning violent crime were significantly higher than their monthly average, which historically average 2 calls per month within the boundaries of TCA. Of these calls, one concerned a robbery (described on page 1), two concerned an aggravated assault (also described on page 1), and three concerned a simple assault.

Meanwhile, calls about suspicious activity and calls about trespassing were both significantly lower than usual, and all other call categories (listed below) were at or near their historic monthly average.

Readers should note that calls described here may ultimately result in reports describing an incident outside the TCA boundaries, or outside this reporting period. Below one can find a table describing the disposition of calls by category:

	Verified event; no report nor arrest	Report written; no arrest	Arrest	Not verified or unfounded	Total
Alarm	2	0	0	0	2
Disorderly Conduct	8	0	1	3	12
Family Offenses	7	0	0	0	7
Larceny	0	2	0	0	2
Other Offenses	4	6	2	0	12
Prop. Crime (Non Larceny)	0	2	0	2	4
Suspicious Activity	7	0	0	4	11
Traffic Collision	2	6	0	0	8
Violent Crime	0	2	4	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>64</b>