

# Bladensburg Police

## Department Monthly Report



***“Building Leadership and Partnerships  
through the lenses of 21<sup>st</sup> Century  
Community Policing and Engagement”***

**April 2025**

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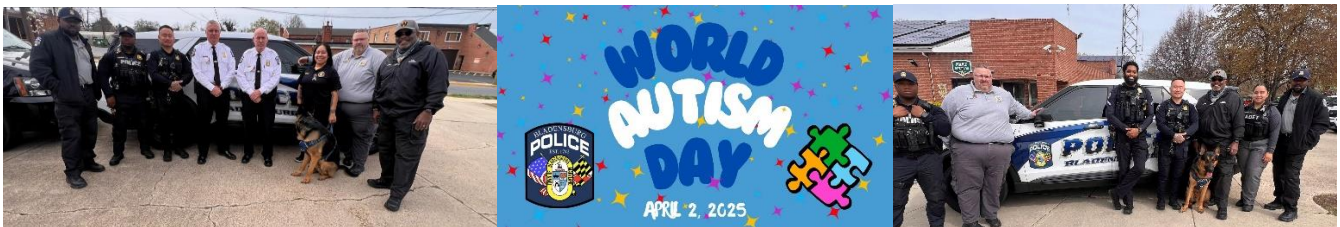
**Tyrone Collington, Sr.**  
*Chief of Police*

## Community Action Team's Outreach, Announcements, and Upcoming Events

*Our Community Action Team's Mission is to stay connected to the community as a conduit to provide residents with the best resources to meet their needs. Especially during these tough Covid-19 pandemic challenges that are affecting families socially, economically, and financially. They do an impeccable job for our community and for the Town of Bladensburg!*

### Wednesday, April 2, 2025 – World Autism Awareness Day

April 2<sup>nd</sup> is World Autism Awareness Day, a special day dedicated to raising awareness about autism, inclusion, and acceptance. The Bladensburg Police Department is wearing autism ribbons to show support and to honor the experiences and strengths of individuals on the autism spectrum.



### Tuesday, April 8, 2025 – 7- Eleven - Coffee with a Cop

Chief Collington and the Bladensburg Police Department truly enjoyed connecting with our community at our local 7-Eleven this morning (4199 Kenilworth Ave). It was a pleasure to chat about upcoming events and hear the thoughts and concerns of our community.



### Tuesday, April 8, 2025 – National Library Week & Workers Day

The Second week of April was National Library Week. Tuesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> was National Library Workers Day. The Bladensburg Police Department would like to express our gratitude to the AMAZING staff at the Bladensburg Branch Library! The staff and their services inspire, educate, and connect us all.







### **April 13 – 19, 2025 – Public Safety Telecommunicators Week**

A HUGE shoutout to the incredible men and women who serve as public safety telecommunicators. We appreciate the hard work and dedication that these compassionate individuals display each and every day.



### **Thursday, April 17, 2025 – Park View Apartments – Easter Luncheon**

Our phenomenal seniors at the Park View Apartments invited the Bladensburg Police Department to fellowship and break bread with them at their Easter Luncheon. We laughed and thoroughly enjoyed ourselves.



### **Saturday, April 19, 2025 – David C. Harrington Park - Eggstravaganza**

We had a blast hunting for eggs and enjoying games with our amazing community at our annual Eggstravaganza! Thank you to all of our staff, volunteers, guests, explorers and community for such a memorable event.







**Monday, April 21, 2025 – Emerson House Apartments – Community Egg Hunt**

*A heartfelt thank you goes out to Councilwoman Blount and the Emerson House team for allowing us to be part of the fantastic Easter Egg Hunt.*







### Saturday, April 26, 2025 – National DEA Drug Take Back Day

The Bladensburg Police Department hosted a drug collection site at 4500 57th Ave in the Town of Bladensburg on Saturday April 26, 2025. DEA's National Prescription Drug Take Back Day reflects DEA's commitment to Americans' safety and health, encouraging the public to remove unneeded medications from their homes as a measure of preventing medication misuse and opioid addiction from ever starting. Please be on the lookout for the next one in October.



### Saturday, April 26, 2025 – Montgomery County Public Safety Training Academy – Police Explorers Training

On Saturday, April 26, 2025, Police Explorer Post 1745 rose bright and early to experience what it means to be a cadet in the Academy. Montgomery County Police Cadets and Officers worked with our explorers to teach them drills, additional signals, presentation, and discussed with them the importance of taking the right steps towards achieving their future goals.







### **Tuesday, April 29, 2025 – International High School at Langley Park – Career Day**

Chief Collington and the Bladensburg Police Department were pleased to engage with the students during the International High School at Langley Park's Career Day. We appreciated the opportunity to discuss the various programs and career opportunities available with the Bladensburg Police Department. We are excited to see the youth thrive and succeed in their desired fields.



### **Wednesday, April 30, 2025 – Bladensburg Volunteer Firehouse – Bladensburg Citizens' Police Academy**

Our Community Action Team had the pleasure of launching the 6<sup>th</sup> session of our annual Citizens Police Academy. We truly hope that everyone enjoyed their first class and look forward to teaching and learning from our community.





Bladensburg Police Department  
**CALLS FOR SERVICE TOTALS**

4/1/2025 To 4/30/2025

Incident Type	Total
911 DISCONNECT	30
ACCIDENT	37
ADDED INFORMATION	20
ANIMAL COMPLAINT	6
ARMED PERSON	2
ASSAULT REPORT	2
ASSIST	20
ASSIST FIRE EMS	1
ATT SUICIDE COMBINED	1
BLS COMBINED	2
BREAK IN IN PROGRESS	1
BREAK IN REPORT	5
CDS COMPLAINT	1
CHECK WELFARE	19
CHECK WELFARE COMBINED	6
CHILD CUSTODY	2
DEATH REPORT	1
DEPT ACCIDENT PD	2
DISORDERLY	25
DOMESTIC	18
DOMESTIC COMBINED	4
DOMESTIC STANDBY	1
ESCORT	1
FAMILY DISPUTE	4
FIELD OPS	1
FIGHT	2
FIGHT COMBINED	1
FOOT PATROL	10
FOUND	1
FRAUD	2
GUNSHOTS	9



HIT AND RUN	9
HIT AND RUN W/INJURY COMBINED	1
IMPOUND	2
JUVENILE COMPLAINT	5
LOCK OUT	1
LOITERING COMPLAINT	6
LOST PROPERTY	5
LOUD MUSIC COMPLAINT	20
MISC CALLS	2
MISC POLICE INCIDENT	39
MISSING PERSON	1
MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT COMBINED	1
NEIGHBOR COMPLAINT	1
NOISE COMPLAINT	16
NOTIFICATION	2
PARENTAL / CUSTODIAL ABDUCTION	1
PARK CALLOUT	2
PARKING ENFORCMENT	10
PEDESTRIAN STRUCK COMBINED	2
PREMISE CHECK	469
PROPERTY ALARM	8
PROPERTY ALARM COMMERCIAL	9
PROPERTY DAMAGE	11
REPORTED CIT ROBBERY	1
RESIDENTIAL ALARM	4
ROBBERY	1
SCHOOL RESOURCE	2
SEXUAL ASALT REPORT	1
SHOPLIFTING	1
SIGNAL 100	1
SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT	1
STOLEN VEH	15
SUBJECT STOP	1
SUICIDE	1
SUSPICIOUS AUTO	17
SUSPICIOUS OCC AUTO	2
SUSPICIOUS PERSON	26

THEFT FROM AUTO	6
THEFT FROM AUTO J O	1
THEFT REPORT	14
TRAFFIC COMPLAINT	3
TRAFFIC HAZARD	1
TRANSFER TO BLADENSBURG CITY	19
TRESPASSING COMPL	10
UNKNOWN TROUBLE	17
VANDALISM	3
VEHICLE ACCIDENT COMBINED	8
WARRANT INVEST	1
WARRANT SERVICE	1
<b>Total Calls --&gt;</b>	<b>1018</b>



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REPORT OF UCR PART 1 OFFENSES

4/1/2025

To

4/30/2025

UCR Offense Type	Total
Assault (Aggravated)	2
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	5
Motor Vehicle Theft	10
Robbery	1
Theft (From Building)	1
Theft (From Motor Vehicle)	4
Theft (Other)	1
Theft (Package/Parcel)	2
Theft (Parts/Accessories From Motor Vehicle)	2
Theft (Shoplifting)	1
Total Part 1 Offenses >>	29

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REPORT OF UCR PART 1 OFFENSES

3/1/2025

To

3/31/2025

UCR Offense Type	Total
Assault (Aggravated)	2
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	3
Motor Vehicle Theft	4
Robbery	2
Sex Offense (Rape)	1
Theft (From Motor Vehicle)	8
Theft (Other)	5
Theft (Package/Parcel)	4
Theft (Parts/Accessories From Motor Vehicle)	8
Theft (Shoplifting)	5
Total Part 1 Offenses >>	42



## NEWS AND INFORMATION

April 19th marked the conclusion of Public Safety Telecommunicators Week, a time dedicated to honoring the incredible work of our dispatchers. Chief Collington took the opportunity to express gratitude by giving each dispatcher a small token of appreciation. While this week has come to an end, our appreciation for the dedication and hard work each dispatcher brings to their role remains unwavering. Thank you to all the unsung heroes in Public Safety—your efforts truly make a difference every single day!









# MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF



## **Strengthening Public Relations for a Safer, Vibrant Community**

I would like to extend my deepest appreciation to the dedicated men and women of the Bladensburg Police Department for their unwavering commitment to delivering 21st Century police services to the residents of Bladensburg and the surrounding communities.

Our success in maintaining a safe and vibrant community is a direct result of the strong partnerships and lasting friendships we have built. These connections allow us to work together for the betterment of our town, and for that, I am profoundly grateful.

Serving as your Chief of Police is both a privilege and an honor. I am humbled by the opportunity to work in such a wonderful town—a place that embodies community spirit, where people live, work, and visit with pride. I look forward to continuing our collaborative efforts with the Town of Bladensburg Council, enhancing safety and fostering growth.

Since 2020, we have faced unprecedented challenges—first with the Covid-19 pandemic, and then with the economic, social, and financial hardships that affected both our department and the broader community. Many of us have experienced personal losses, and we continue to keep those who have lost loved ones in our thoughts and prayers.

In 2021, we also witnessed the shocking events at the U.S. Capitol, where an attack on democracy struck at the heart of our nation and our law enforcement community. We are forever grateful to the brave first responders who acted swiftly to protect lawmakers and staff during such a critical moment in our history.

As we look toward the future, our focus remains on strengthening our relationships with the community, our staff, and our law enforcement partners. The safety and well-being of our residents will always be our top priority, and we are committed to upholding the trust you have placed in us.

On behalf of the entire Bladensburg Police Department, I wish you and your family a safe, remaining year ahead. Together, we will continue building a stronger, safer, and more united community.

*“Change is not for the faint of heart. Change requires tenacity, respect, trust, and a willingness to learn. Respect for those impacted by the change and trust that both the leader and the led are working together for the good of the organization.”* (Author unknown)



## Bladensburg Police Department's Internal Affairs Division Investigations and Patrol Statistics

It is the policy of the Bladensburg Police Department to deliver effective law enforcement services to the community, that fosters a relationship of mutual trust and confidence which must exist between the Police Department and the community. Actions of Departmental employees that conflict with the mission of the Department can erode trust and have a negative impact on the Department's standing in the community. The review or investigation of all public complaints of employee misconduct is vital to maintaining the relationship between the Department and the community. The Department recognizes its obligation to inform the public about its complaint filing procedures and acknowledges each individual's right to file a complaint against an employee. It is the policy of the Bladensburg Police Department to accept all complaints of employee misconduct at all levels of the Department, determine the validity of the allegation(s), investigate complaints in a fair and impartial manner, and to impose disciplinary action, if necessary, in a uniformed and timely fashion.

As Chief of Police, I want to remind our residents they can report their complaints or compliments to the Bladensburg Police Department several ways; email at: **BladensburgPolice@bladensburgmd.gov**, in-person at **4910 Tilden Rd. Bladensburg, MD. 20710**, My Bladensburg free app, or by telephone at **(301) 864-6080**.

Our Internal Affairs Commander will contact you in a timely manner and keep residents abreast of the process. We remind our residents that if you see something, say something!

# Bladensburg Police Departmental Organization Structure

## **Office of the Chief**

- Executive Assistant – **Vacant at this time**
- Custodian of Records / P.I.O. - **Ms. Kimberly Greene**
- Training Coordinator/Property and Evidence Custodian- **Commander-Lt. D. Frishkorn**
- Logistics
- Administrative Duties
- Payroll

## **Deputy Chief**

Major C. Dickerson

- Manages the daily operations of the Police Department
- C.E.R.T. Coordinator

## **Operations Division / Internal Affairs**

### **Lt. R. Poole**

- Four Patrol Teams
- Traffic Officer – **Sgt. R. Harris** - Responsible for managing our Speed Camera Program
- Code Enforcement
- Canine **Officer C. Burnett** and Blood Hound Officer **T. Merrit**
- Bicycle Patrols
- Traffic Safety Program **Sgt. R. Harris**
- Fleet Management -**Shaun Rinehart**

## **Four Teams are supervised by four Sergeants.**

- Shifts are 12 hours in duration.
- Daywork/Night rotation occurs every 8 weeks.
- Currently there is one opening for one Lieutenant
- Our Emergency Communications Center is currently fully staffed.

## **Support Services / Criminal Investigations Division Commander**

### **Lt. B. Goins**

- Criminal Investigator
- Property/Evidence
- Communications
- Community Action Team Coordinator – **Ms. L. Monfort**
- Special Assignment Team Coordinator – **A/Cpl. A. Thornton**
- Records
- Validations
- Vice/Narcotics Investigations
- Criminal Investigations





# Highlights for Code Enforcement April 2025



There were **6** bulk trash reminder notices issued to residents for heavy trash at the curb.

1. Code Enforcement removed **-65** signs from poles, **29** from right of ways; total signs Removed year –to- date is **193**
2. There were **13** abandoned vehicles in the residential area, **4** in the business area, **9** in the apartment areas and **2** vehicle were impounded. Year –to- date we have had **60** abandoned vehicles and **3** vehicle has been impounded.
4. There were **0** grass violation notices issued
5. Code Enforcement received **5** Graffiti complaint.

## Other Code Enforcement Activities:

- **Code Enforcement received 3 citizen concerns from the GO Gov. App.**
- Code Supervisor assisted with career day at Bladensburg Elementary and International H.S.
- Code Supervisor assisted with Police Department interviews.
- Code Staff attended the Coffee with a cop at 7-11.
- Issued at Noise violation citation to Mango Café
- Code Supervisor Rinehart and Staff attended the following meetings / training:
  - Senior Staff Meeting's
  - Mayor and Council Meeting
  - Budget Meeting's
  - Traumatic Brain 5K Meeting.
  - Met with a resident REF: Noise from Commercial properties.

If you have a question or concern please feel free to contact our office at 301-927-0330