

COTTAGE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Monthly Report



March, 2025

“To Protect and Serve”

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Calls Handled

February

911 Disconnect	15
Accident	2
Animal Complaint	2
Check Welfare	5
Check Welfare Combined	2
Disorderly	6
Domestic	1
Family Dispute	0
Hit And Run	2
Lost Property	1
Loud Music Complaint	3
Lockout	0
Misc Police Incident	8
Missing Person	2
Noise Complaint	1
Party Complaint	1
Premise Check	5
Property Alarm Commercial	2
Residential Alarm	1
Stalking	1
Stolen Vehicle	2
Suspicious Auto	1
Suspicious Person	4
Theft From Auto	1
Theft Report	1
Traffic Complaint	3
Trespassing Complaint	1
Unknown Trouble	4
Vandalism	0
Vehicle Accident Combined	2
Total	79

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COMPLAINTS/CRISIS HANDLED

Animal Complaint

Incident 1: Dog Attack

The Cottage City Police Department received a report concerning a tan male Pitbull residing at 3710 41st Avenue, Cottage City, MD. The complainant stated that the dog had jumped the fence and attacked both her dog and her boyfriend.

This matter has been referred to Prince George's County Animal Management for further investigation and resolution.

Incident 2: Unleashed Dogs and Waste Disposal Issues

Residents in the Ward 1 area, specifically between 37th Avenue and Parkwood Street, have reported concerns regarding dog owners walking their dogs without leashes and failing to clean up after them.

In response, staff have created and distributed informational flyers to residents in the affected area to address these issues and encourage responsible pet ownership.

Bulling Complaint

Incident Report: Bullying and Altercation at Hyattsville Middle School

A resident and his wife visited the Cottage City Police Department to report an incident involving their daughter at Hyattsville Middle School, which could potentially impact our town. The parents stated that their daughter had been bullied at school and was physically attacked by two girls during dismissal.

In response, Sgt. Hayes and I visited the school to meet with the 8th-grade administrator to investigate the situation and collaborate on a resolution. The school administration reached out to all involved parties and arranged a mediation meeting with the students and their parents.

On March 26, 2025, the school's principal, administrators, the PGPD School Resource Officer, the involved students and their parents, and I participated in the mediation meeting. During the meeting, both sides had the opportunity to share their perspectives and discuss their involvement in the incident. After careful consideration and setting appropriate boundaries, the matter was resolved.

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PROJECTS

COMPLETED EVENTS / UPCOMING EVENTS PREPARATION

March Events:

- No Events

April Events:

- Easter Extravaganza (April 19, 2025)
- Anacostia Watershed Society Clean-Up Day (April 26, 2025)

TRAINING

- PBAA Police Explorers Advisors Conference (February 26, 2025 – March 2, 2025)
 - o Sgt. M. Hayes
- CCPD Training (March 27, 2025)
 - o Chief A. Ayers
 - o Sgt. M. Hayes
 - o Cpl. D. Thompson
 - o Pfc. N. Moreno
 - o Pfc. A. Perez

UPCOMING TRAINING

- CCPD Training (April 3, 2025)
 - o Chief A. Ayers
 - o Sgt. M. Hayes
 - o Cpl. D. Thompson
 - o Pfc. N. Moreno
 - o Pfc. A. Perez
- MML Chiefs Conference and Training (April 22 - 26, 2025)
 - o Chief A. Ayers

CCPD EXPLORERS

Meetings and training during the month.