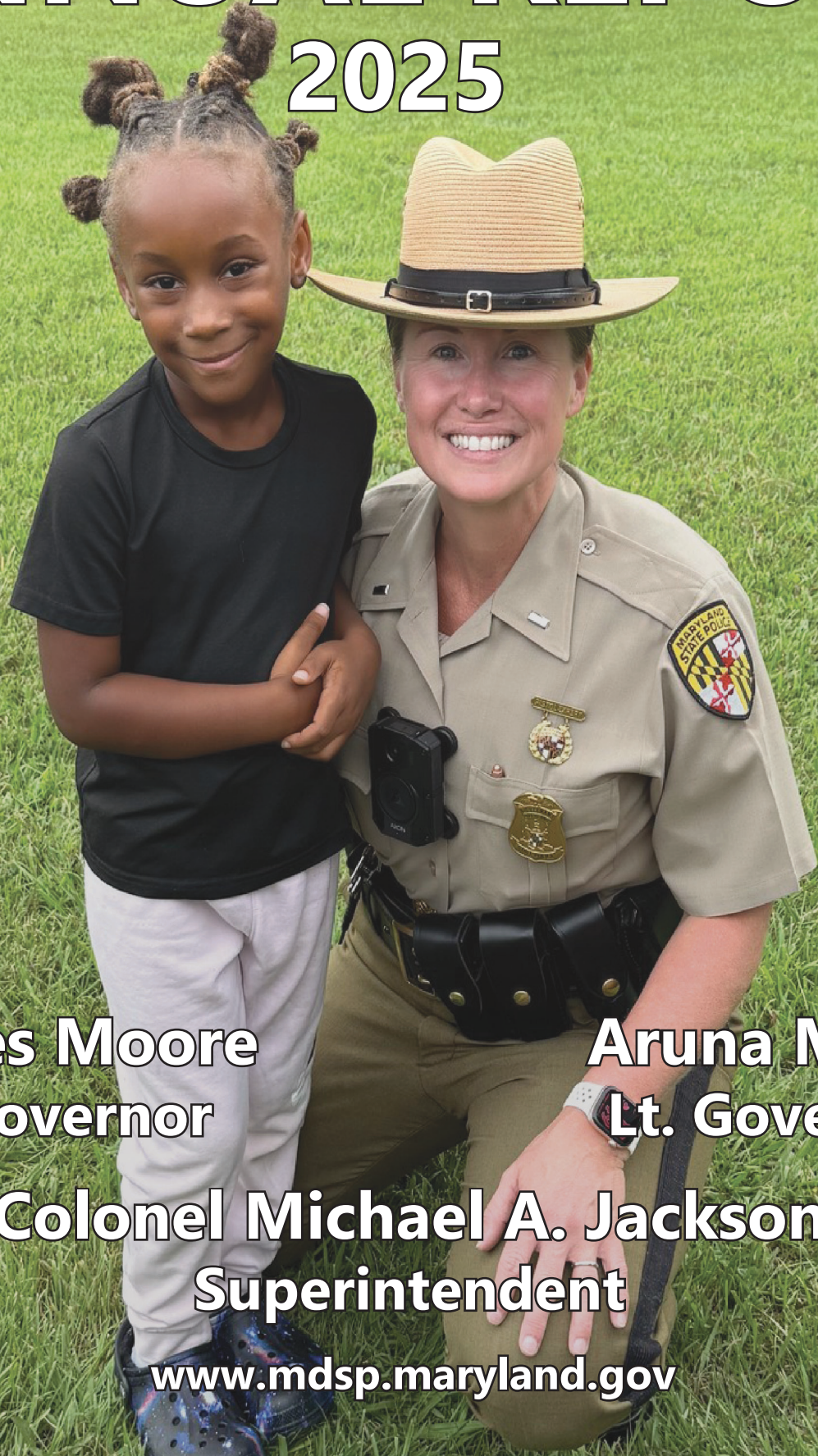


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MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT



The Maryland Department of State Police is proud to present the 2025 Annual Report. The report is an overview of the wide range of operations and initiatives conducted by the Department, which consists of the Maryland State Police, the Office of the State Fire Marshal and the Vehicle Theft Prevention Council. The information and statistics contained in this report represent the highest level of commitment exhibited each day by sworn personnel and members of our professional staff who dedicate their lives to public service.

From traffic enforcement and crash investigation to major crime investigations, calls for service vary every year. The Department continues to provide a full range of law enforcement services while supporting our local, state and federal public safety partners.

Our focus is more than responding to calls. Every unit and division within this Department is focused on improving public safety and impacting crime across Maryland. Protecting our state from the most significant threats to citizen safety is top priority. These threats include terrorism, violent crime perpetuated by gangs, guns, drugs, and fugitives, human trafficking, and traffic-related death and injury in all jurisdictions. Patrol, investigative and specialized units, such as the Forensic Sciences Division, Aviation Command, and Licensing Division provide unique resources to support statewide investigations and proactive enforcement.

The Office of the State Fire Marshal also plays a key role in protecting people and property from fire and related hazards. Deputy Fire Marshals work closely with Maryland State Police to support a variety of investigations.

Our role is also to be visible throughout every community in which we serve. We know our presence can make a difference. Whether with the Boys and Girls Clubs, or other community organizations and community leaders, our partnerships within the communities we serve play a vital role in fulfilling our mission. Together we are stronger and more effective.

As Superintendent of the finest law enforcement agency in the state, I am proud of the services we provide. Thank you for taking the time to review our annual report and learn more about the outstanding work of the men and women of the Maryland Department of State Police.

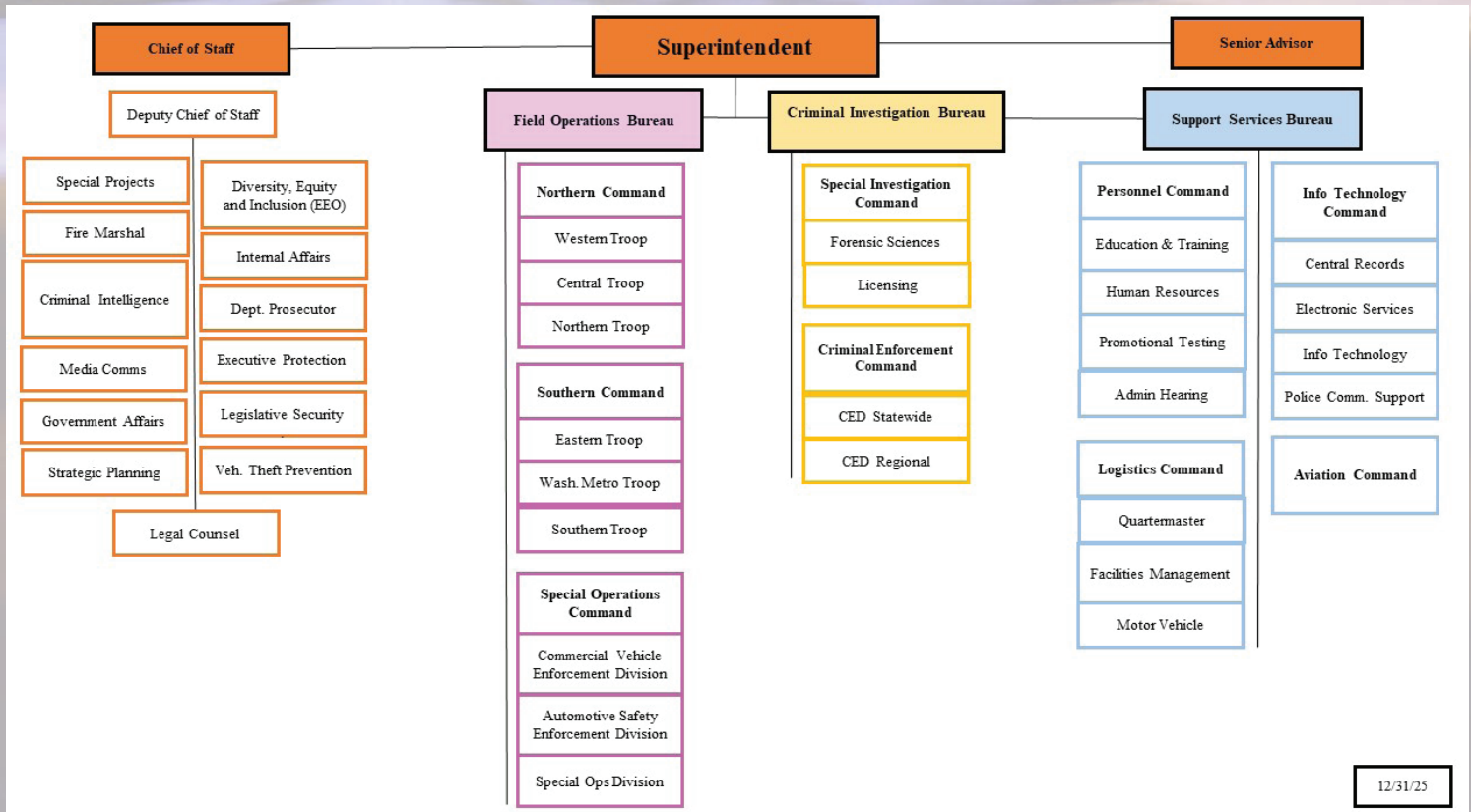
Sincerely,

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Michael A. Jackson
Superintendent



ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



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ALLEGANY COUNTY



In October, a Cumberland Barrack trooper posed with a youth during the 8th Annual Not So Scary Halloween event.

- In January, Cumberland Barrack troopers were alerted to an armed robbery at a residence in Frostburg. An investigation revealed that an armed suspect had entered the home, stolen various valuables at gunpoint, then fired a shot from a firearm toward the victim while fleeing the scene. Troopers were able to identify, locate and arrest the suspect within hours of the incident being reported. The suspect was subsequently convicted of armed robbery.

- In April, the Allegany County Narcotics Task Force investigated a drug trafficking organization distributing cocaine and fentanyl. Following surveillance, two traffic stops were conducted in Cumberland. Three suspects were arrested, and cocaine, fentanyl and a firearm were seized. Subsequent to the traffic stops, a residential search and seizure warrant was served at a home in Cumberland. An additional firearm, plus ammunition, cocaine, fentanyl and oxycodone pills were seized.
- In May, Allegany County had catastrophic flooding conditions, forcing thousands of residents to leave their homes and businesses. Cumberland Barrack troopers and the Special Operations Division of MSP were mobilized to assist with search and rescue operations, as well as recovery efforts. The contributions of MSP personnel were recognized by Governor Moore.
- In December, troopers received a report of a shooting in Corriganville. The suspect was subsequently located and apprehended by Cumberland Barrack troopers. Upon serving a search warrant at the suspect's residence, evidence related to drug distribution activities was seized.



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| Calls for Service | 8,521 |
| Investigations | 1,104 |
| Arrests | 573 |
| Narcotics Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 25 |
| Traffic Stops | 14,465 |
| DUI Arrests | 68 |
| Crashes Investigated | 311 |

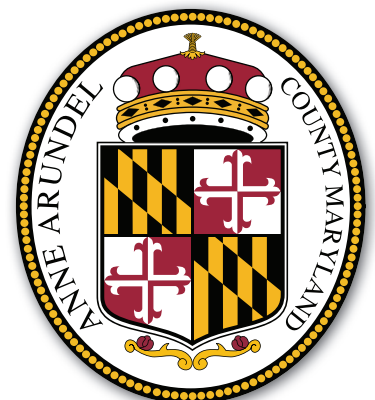
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY



In May, TFC Tenney and Tpr. Fletcher visited with children from Point Pleasant Elementary School.

- In July, the MSP Car Rally Task Force, in coordination with the Philadelphia Police Department and the MSP Special Tactical Assault Team Element, conducted enforcement operations related to an illegal car rally associated with Super Bowl LVIII celebrations in Philadelphia. During service of a search and seizure warrant at a residence in Laurel, a suspect was charged with possession of a firearm by a minor and possession of a firearm without a serial number. Upon adjudication of the Maryland charges, the suspect will face extradition proceedings related to involvement in the Philadelphia car rally, which included multiple felony and misdemeanor charges.
- In July, Glen Burnie Barrack's TFC Tenorio initiated a traffic stop for an equipment violation. A records check indicated that the vehicle's driver had an active arrest warrant. In addition, there were controlled dangerous substances in plain view, as well as drug paraphernalia. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In December, Glen Burnie Barrack's TFC Louderback responded to a collision and detected the odor of alcohol emanating from the at-fault driver. Field sobriety tests were conducted, and the driver was arrested for DUI. A subsequent search revealed a loaded handgun. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In December, the Annapolis Barrack was notified of a firearm brandished during a road rage incident. Cpl. Daigle identified a suspect and obtained a search warrant for the suspect's vehicle. After surveillance of the vehicle, a traffic stop was initiated. A firearm was located, and the suspect was arrested and charged with felony assault.

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| Calls for Service | 17,678 |
| Investigations | 2,022 |
| Arrests | 578 |
| Narcans Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 57 |
| Traffic Stops | 25,228 |
| DUI Arrests | 293 |
| Crashes Investigated | 1,440 |



BALTIMORE CITY



In November, the Strategic Operations Group and allied agencies seized the above in Baltimore City.

- In early 2025, the Strategic Operations Group initiated an investigation into a controlled dangerous substances (CDS) distributor operating in Baltimore City. After several undercover and controlled drug purchases, substantial probable cause was obtained for search and seizure warrants for the suspect and three residences. Investigators coordinated a controlled buy-bust utilizing an undercover police officer to purchase fentanyl from the suspect. Once the suspect was arrested, simultaneous search warrants were served at the three addresses. The total amounts seized included 527 grams of fentanyl, 45 grams of crack cocaine, a firearm plus ammunition, CDS paraphernalia, a laptop and several cell phones.
- In September, the Maryland State Apprehension Team assisted the Baltimore Police Department with locating and apprehending two suspects wanted for armed carjacking, first-degree assault and violation of probation. Both suspects were arrested in Baltimore City, and a loaded handgun was recovered.
- In November, the Strategic Operations Group and allied agencies served search and seizure warrants related to an investigation into a drug trafficking organization operating in the Baltimore Metro area. Seized during the search of the suspect and residence were 446 grams of fentanyl pills, 196 grams of crack cocaine, three handguns and a rifle, ammunition and over \$2,300 in currency. The suspect was arrested and charged accordingly.
- In December, the Baltimore Area Drug Task Force was conducting proactive drug interdiction when investigators seized a crate. The crate, destined for an address in Baltimore City, was found to contain 14,000 grams of cocaine and 2,200 grams of fentanyl. A successful controlled delivery was conducted, resulting in the arrest of a suspect and the seizure of an additional 13,500 grams of cocaine and 5,600 grams of fentanyl.



BALTIMORE COUNTY



In May, Golden Ring Barrack's M/Tpr. Johnson visited with children at Joppa View Elementary School for Career Day.

- In May, TFC Sigman and K-9 Roy stopped a vehicle for several violations, with the assistance of Tpr. Marley. Indicators of driver impairment were observed, leading to an arrest for DUI. A subsequent search resulted in the seizure of 49 ecstasy pills, 203 grams of marijuana and a digital scale. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In July, TFC Sigman and K-9 Roy conducted a traffic stop with assistance from Tpr. Marley. Signs of driver impairment were observed, and the driver was arrested. A subsequent search revealed 218 grams of marijuana, and the driver was charged accordingly.
- In September, investigators from the Technical Investigations Section conducted a proactive human trafficking operation. Investigators identified a child victim as a missing person in the National Crime Information Center database. An interview with the victim identified a trafficking suspect. Arrest warrants were obtained for two suspects. One of the suspects was arrested in Pennsylvania, and another missing child victim was discovered in that suspect's residence. The second suspect was located and arrested in Minneapolis. The two suspects faced numerous charges for sex trafficking of minors.
- In December, JFK Barrack troopers collaborated with agents from the Drug Enforcement Administration in a coordinated enforcement effort. TFC Ericksen received intelligence regarding a tractor-trailer of interest and subsequently conducted a traffic stop. TFC Ericksen observed multiple criminal indicators and requested a K-9 scan. After a positive alert, a search led to the discovery of \$410,295 in currency, which was seized.

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| Calls for Service | 18,447* |
| Investigations | 5,152 |
| Arrests | 1,681 |
| Narcan Deployments | 2 |
| Guns Seized | 90 |
| Traffic Stops | 20,184 |
| DUI Arrests | 698 |
| Crashes Investigated | 3,040 |

* Calls for Service are for Golden Ring Barrack; does not include JFK Memorial Highway Barrack, which had 11,798 calls for service



CALVERT COUNTY



In June, Cpl. Ditoto participated in the Calvert County NAACP's Juneteenth Celebration at Jefferson Paterson Park.

- In April, S/Tpr. Polanco responded to a report of a domestic disturbance. The victim had visible injuries to her neck, arms and ribs. While the victim sought a protective order, the suspect was located and taken into custody.
- In July, Tpr. Parker responded for a reported assault in the Port Republic area. The victim advised she was assaulted and robbed by a suspect known to her. The suspect was subsequently located, served with an arrest warrant and transported to the Calvert County Detention Center.
- In September, the Prince Frederick Barrack received a report of a missing 84-year-old male believed to be suicidal. Using a mobile tracking application provided by the missing individual's wife, S/Tpr. Lewis located the individual near a stream at the edge of Hallowing Point Park, holding a loaded handgun. After establishing communication, troopers were able to de-escalate the situation. The individual was transported to a local hospital for an emergency petition.
- In September, Tpr. Bennett investigated a theft of \$35,000 from a Calvert County resident and determined that the suspect had been targeting multiple victims through fraudulent schemes across Maryland, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Virginia. The suspect was being held in Pennsylvania on related charges and was pending extradition to Maryland.



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| Calls for Service | 11,506 |
| Investigations | 657 |
| Arrests | 361 |
| Narcan Deployments | 1 |
| Guns Seized | 6 |
| Traffic Stops | 17,734 |
| DUI Arrests | 130 |
| Crashes Investigated | 128 |

CAROLINE COUNTY



In December, TFC Rodriguez participated in Shop With A Cop.

- In February, TFC Cooper conducted a traffic stop for an equipment violation and recognized the driver from a prior controlled dangerous substances (CDS) search warrant. TFC Cooper requested a K-9 scan, which resulted in a positive alert. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed CDS paraphernalia with heroin / fentanyl residue. A search of the passenger yielded 12 capsules of heroin / fentanyl and ten vials of crystal methamphetamine. Both the driver and the passenger were charged accordingly.

- In March, the Easton Barrack received a 911 call regarding a hit-and-run collision. TFC Mowbray stopped a suspect vehicle in the area of the crash for speeding, and the vehicle matched the reported tag. The suspect driver showed signs of impairment, failed field sobriety testing and was arrested for DUI. A search of the vehicle revealed a handgun. The suspect was charged with 16 traffic offenses, including DUI and possession of a firearm in a vehicle.
- In May, TFC Nikodemski responded to a rogue and vagabond complaint in Caroline County. Victims provided a video of two suspects fleeing the area. Troopers identified and located the two suspects. The suspects were found to be in possession of a mask, gloves, eight heroin / fentanyl wax folds and CDS paraphernalia. Both suspects were charged accordingly.
- In December, Tpr. Glessner received a Letter of Commendation from the Caroline County Sheriff's Office following his extraordinary actions in November. In November, Tpr. Glessner encountered a victim who had sustained a life-threatening gunshot wound to the leg. Tpr. Glessner swiftly applied a tourniquet with proper technique, successfully controlling the victim's bleeding. Medical professionals later confirmed the necessity of this intervention, stating that without Tpr. Glessner's help, survival would have been highly unlikely.

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| Calls for Service | 10,576* |
| Investigations | 897 |
| Arrests | 495 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 24 |
| Traffic Stops | 7,299 |
| DUI Arrests | 104 |
| Crashes Investigated | 259 |

* Calls for Service are for Easton Barrack, which also includes Dorchester and Talbot Counties



CARROLL COUNTY

- In March, a Westminster Barrack trooper responded for a reported handgun brandishing incident involving three victims in Hampstead. A suspect vehicle description was obtained during the investigation, and a trooper from the Criminal Enforcement Division's Homeland Gun Violence Unit subsequently located the vehicle in Frederick. A juvenile suspect was identified and charged with first-degree assault, and a handgun consistent with the description in the original complaint was recovered from the vehicle.
- In March, the Westminster Barrack and allied agencies conducted a high visibility enforcement traffic and crime suppression initiative throughout Carroll County. Due to this initiative, troopers performed 260 traffic stops, resulting in 92 citations and 232 warnings being issued. In addition, the stops resulted in 61 safety equipment repair orders, two DUIs and one criminal arrest.
- In May, Westminster Barrack troopers responded to a reported burglary in Woodbine. An investigation took place, which revealed that suspects stole \$4,000 in lottery tickets and caused several thousand dollars in property damage. In support of this investigation, Tpr. Pettyjohn collected surveillance video and identified a primary suspect in the burglary and theft. In June, a search warrant was served at a Frederick County residence, resulting in the recovery of stolen lottery tickets, and information was gathered during the search that led to the arrest of a second suspect connected to the incident.
- In September, Westminster Barrack troopers investigated a burglary at an Eldersburg game store involving Pokemon trading cards valued at \$18,918. Troopers obtained surveillance footage and produced still photos of two suspects. Through coordination with surrounding gaming stores and allied police agencies, investigators identified two suspects linked to multiple burglaries in the region. MSP Westminster assisted the Sykesville Police Department in serving search and seizure warrants in Howard and Frederick Counties, which aided in the arrest of both suspects.



In December, Westminster Barrack troopers participated in Shop With A Cop, along with Frederick Barrack troopers.



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| Calls for Service | 13,729 |
| Investigations | 1,922 |
| Arrests | 611 |
| Narcans Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 39 |
| Traffic Stops | 19,881 |
| DUI Arrests | 159 |
| Crashes Investigated | 846 |

CECIL COUNTY



In March, Lt. Huffman, Sgt. Ellis and Sgt. Allaband participated in Coffee With A Cop at the Chesapeake House Travel Plaza.

- In April, the Strategic Operations Group arrested two suspects and seized multiple firearms and illegal drugs as part of a months-long drug trafficking investigation. Ten firearms, 810 grams of cocaine, 307 grams of crystal methamphetamine, drug packaging material, a digital scale and ammunition were seized. The suspects were charged accordingly.

- In April, the Cecil County Drug Task Force served search and seizure warrants related to a long-term controlled dangerous substances (CDS) investigation. Items seized included 1,019 grams of cocaine, a loaded firearm, two digital scales with cocaine residue, \$11,052 in currency and two cell phones. The suspect was arrested and charged with several felony charges, including a drug kingpin charge.
- In May, North East Barrack troopers responded to a report of a domestic assault. Investigation revealed that the suspect had discharged a firearm twice in the direction of the victim, striking the victim's vehicle. Due to the severity of the offense and the confirmed involvement of a firearm, the Special Tactical Assault Team Element (STATE) was requested to assist. The suspect was taken into custody.
- In Summer 2025, the Strategic Operations Group investigated the sale and distribution of CDS in Cecil County. Investigators identified the supply source and authored search and seizure warrants for the suspect's residence and vehicles. A total of 1,171 grams of cocaine, a loaded firearm, drug packaging materials and a digital scale were recovered. The suspect was subsequently arrested and charged accordingly.

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| Calls for Service | 11,550* |
| Investigations | 2,550 |
| Arrests | 905 |
| Narcan Deployments | 1 |
| Guns Seized | 68 |
| Traffic Stops | 17,252 |
| DUI Arrests | 167 |
| Crashes Investigated | 890 |

* Calls for Service are for North East Barrack; does not include JFK Memorial Highway Barrack, which had 11,798 calls for service



CHARLES COUNTY

- In February, Criminal Enforcement Division personnel investigated a crematory in White Plains with some potential criminal violations. The resulting investigation involved more than 50 interviews, surveillance and other investigative techniques. In addition, probable cause was developed for issuance of search and seizure warrants. Identified remains have been returned to the appropriate families, and investigators prepared for a trial.
- In May, TFC Sabock responded to a vehicle collision in Waldorf. The driver of vehicle one fled the scene, and it was determined that the vehicle was stolen. The stolen vehicle was also involved in a larceny investigation in King George, Virginia. The MSP Forensic Sciences Division processed the stolen vehicle and recovered stolen items worth more than \$500. The suspect was identified and served with a warrant.
- In August, Tpr. Walker responded to a two vehicle collision in Pomfret. Witnesses advised that, after the initial collision, vehicle one intentionally rammed vehicle two multiple times. The driver of vehicle one emitted an odor of alcohol and was given field sobriety testing. The driver of vehicle one was subsequently arrested for DUI and charged with second-degree assault.



In December, La Plata Barrack troopers participated in A Holiday With Hometown Heroes.

- In November, Tpr. Miller responded to a motor vehicle collision in La Plata. The driver displayed signs of impairment and was arrested after refusal of field sobriety testing. Two firearms were located in the vehicle, and the driver was charged accordingly.



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| Calls for Service | 7,444 |
| Investigations | 1,200 |
| Arrests | 357 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 15 |
| Traffic Stops | 13,984 |
| DUI Arrests | 143 |
| Crashes Investigated | 1,024 |

DORCHESTER COUNTY

- In July, the Dorchester County Drug Task Force, with the assistance of other units, served numerous search and seizure warrants related to a drug trafficking organization in Dorchester, Caroline and Wicomico Counties. As a result, 1,059 grams of cocaine, 1,775 grams of cannabis, six grams of psilocybin, six controlled dangerous substances pills, \$22,863 in currency, three firearms and ammunition were seized. Two suspects were arrested, with more indictments forthcoming.
- In July, Tpr. Glessner conducted a traffic stop in Dorchester County, and the driver displayed multiple criminal indicators. A subsequent K-9 scan resulted in a positive alert. A probable cause search of the vehicle revealed 54 fentanyl pills, 310 grams of cannabis and a digital scale. A search of the driver yielded \$1,000 in currency and two cell phones. In addition, the driver's license was suspended and revoked. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In August, Criminal Enforcement Division investigators responded to a report of a home invasion and armed robbery at a residence in Trappe. Through an extensive investigation, four suspects were identified and subsequently arrested. Investigators recovered three firearms, ammunition and stolen property. The suspects were charged accordingly.



In March, F/Sgt. Stanco and F/Sgt. Sekscinski participated in Coffee With A Cop.

- In October, Homeland Security Investigations Eastern Shore and the Dorchester County Narcotics Task Force were awarded the prestigious Investigative Group of the Year Award for their exceptional contributions to advancing the mission of Homeland Security Investigations Maryland. Their innovative approaches, dedication and impactful investigations have set them apart as leaders in the field. The recognition highlights the task force's commitment to excellence, public safety and national security, and underscores its role as a model of investigative success in the community.

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| Calls for Service | 10,576* |
| Investigations | 686 |
| Arrests | 279 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 104 |
| Traffic Stops | 9,145 |
| DUI Arrests | 76 |
| Crashes Investigated | 224 |

* Calls for Service are for Easton Barrack, which also includes Caroline and Talbot Counties



FREDERICK COUNTY

- In January, troopers were dispatched for a shooting. The victims reported being pursued on a highway and being shot at by the suspect. Troopers located the suspect vehicle stopped on a nearby roadway and approached the suspect. The suspect fled on foot but was subsequently apprehended. Troopers recovered the firearm used in the shooting, and the suspect was charged accordingly.

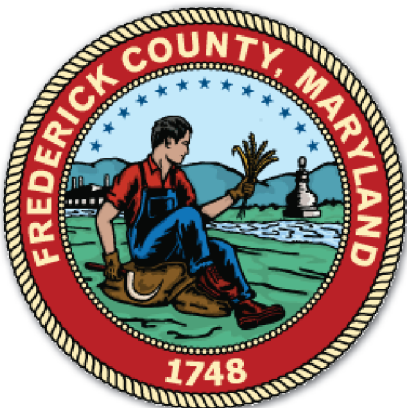
- In January, troopers received a lookout for a possible impaired driver on Interstate 70. Troopers located the vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. After observing criminal indicators, a K-9 scan was requested, which resulted in a positive alert. A subsequent search of the vehicle resulted in the seizure of cocaine, methamphetamine, fentanyl and \$25,000 in currency. Both vehicle occupants received felony charges, and the driver was also arrested on DUI charges.

- In February, a trooper was contacted by the victim of an assault in Rocky Ridge. The suspect had pointed a firearm at the victim during a dispute. A search and seizure warrant was issued for an 150+ acre property, and 34 firearms and ammunition were revealed, including the weapon used during the assault. The suspect was arrested and charged with first-degree assault.

- In March, a Frederick Barrack trooper conducted a traffic stop and observed criminal indicators. A K-9 scan was requested, which resulted in a positive alert. A subsequent search of the vehicle and both occupants led to the seizure of 13 grams of fentanyl, 28 grams of cocaine and two cell phones.



In February, Frederick Barrack troopers attended a Legislative Breakfast in Annapolis.



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| Calls for Service | 21,031 |
| Investigations | 3,221 |
| Arrests | 505 |
| Narcan Deployments | 2 |
| Guns Seized | 77 |
| Traffic Stops | 20,877 |
| DUI Arrests | 216 |
| Crashes Investigated | 1,798 |

GARRETT COUNTY



In June, Lt. Sigmund participated in the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run at Northern High School.

- In January, S/Tpr. Hook conducted an investigation into an attempted burglary and malicious destruction of property case. A suspect was identified, located and interviewed. The suspect confessed, and S/Tpr. Hook noticed a firearm and ammunition in plain sight. A consultation with the MSP Gun Unit revealed that the suspect was prohibited from possessing firearms. A search and seizure warrant was served, and 16 firearms were seized.
- In March, McHenry Barrack troopers initiated an investigation into a rape case. The troopers, as well as Criminal Enforcement Division investigators, carried out interviews and served a search warrant, which subsequently resulted in the suspect's arrest.

- In July, M/Tpr. Shroul responded to a report of a victim in McHenry who had jumped off a dock into a lake but had not resurfaced. M/Tpr. Shroul jumped into the water to search the area where the victim had entered. Another individual searching for the victim found him, and M/Tpr. Shroul assisted in getting the victim onto the dock. The victim was unresponsive, and M/Tpr. Shroul began CPR until EMS arrived. The victim was transported to the hospital, but unfortunately was pronounced deceased.
- In October, S/Tpr. Hook completed the criminal investigation of an assault. The victim had been invited to a residence, where he was subsequently assaulted by four suspects. S/Tpr. Hook arrested and charged four suspects with first-degree and second-degree assault.

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| Calls for Service | 15,668 |
| Investigations | 950 |
| Arrests | 365 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 33 |
| Traffic Stops | 12,369 |
| DUI Arrests | 110 |
| Crashes Investigated | 320 |



HARFORD COUNTY



In October, JFK Highway Barrack's TFC Warble participated in Trunk or Treat.

- In January, Strike Force 7 conducted a buy-bust operation and served three search and seizure warrants. The suspect had been identified as a source of supply for oxycodone tablets. Investigators recovered a total of 150 oxycodone tablets, 2 ecstasy pills, 14 firearms and \$1,250 in currency. The suspect was charged accordingly.
- In March, Bel Air Barrack troopers responded for a report of a bound and gagged male in the roadway. The victim revealed that he was kidnapped and held captive at a residence in Darlington. The location was identified, and a search and seizure warrant was served. Three suspects were identified and subsequently arrested.

- In October, JFK Highway Barrack troopers conducted a traffic stop and observed multiple indicators of criminal activity. A requested K-9 scan resulted in a positive alert. During a subsequent search, troopers discovered fictitious driver's licenses and numerous cameras inside home improvement store bags, accompanied by receipts from multiple recent purchases across the Baltimore-Washington area. However, none of the payment cards used for those purchases matched any cards possessed by either occupant of the vehicle. In addition, multiple cards not in the suspects' names and \$1,700 in currency were discovered. Troopers collaborated with the Criminal Enforcement Division and identified a large-scale theft ring spanning Maryland and other Eastern states, with approximately \$50,000 in stolen merchandise linked to these individuals.
- In October, Bel Air Barrack troopers responded to an armed robbery at a convenience store in Bel Air. Troopers enhanced surveillance imagery and disseminated the images to allied agencies. Distinctive identifying features led investigators to link the suspect to a separate armed robbery in Harford County. Through coordinated investigative efforts, the suspect was identified and subsequently charged.



* Calls for Service are for Bel Air Barrack; does not include JFK Memorial Highway Barrack, which had 11,798 calls for service

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| Calls for Service | 10,562* |
| Investigations | 2,861 |
| Arrests | 751 |
| Narcan Deployments | 2 |
| Guns Seized | 72 |
| Traffic Stops | 31,025 |
| DUI Arrests | 336 |
| Crashes Investigated | 1,984 |

HOWARD COUNTY

- In January, Waterloo Barrack troopers responded to a road rage incident on Interstate 95, involving the brandishing of a firearm and an explicit threat of violence. Through rapid investigative efforts, troopers were able to identify the suspect vehicle, apply for and serve multiple search warrants and recover the firearm used in the offense, along with ammunition. The suspect subsequently pleaded guilty to second-degree assault and was sentenced to five years of incarceration.
- In February, troopers responded to a single-vehicle crash on Interstate 70 and detected indicators of impairment. The driver was placed under arrest, and a search incident to arrest resulted in the seizure of more than 33 grams of crystal methamphetamine. This enforcement action prevented a substantial quantity of illegal narcotics from entering the community and highlighted the frequent nexus between impaired driving and broader criminal activity.
- In March, a traffic stop on Interstate 70 led to a positive K-9 alert and the discovery of more than 17 grams of fentanyl. This seizure contributed to ongoing opioid-suppression efforts along major transportation routes and reinforced the effectiveness of proactive traffic enforcement as a critical public safety tool.



In March, Waterloo Barrack troopers participated in Coffee With A Cop in Columbia.

- In October, Waterloo Barrack troopers partnered with the Howard County Police Department during a targeted crime-suppression operation in Elkridge. A traffic stop for an expired registration led to the arrest of all four vehicle occupants and the recovery of fentanyl, cocaine and controlled dangerous substances paraphernalia. This collaborative effort reinforced the value of interagency partnerships in addressing high-risk areas and repeat criminal activity.

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| Calls for Service | 13,277 |
| Investigations | 1,388 |
| Arrests | 346 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 14 |
| Traffic Stops | 17,563 |
| DUI Arrests | 187 |
| Crashes Investigated | 887 |



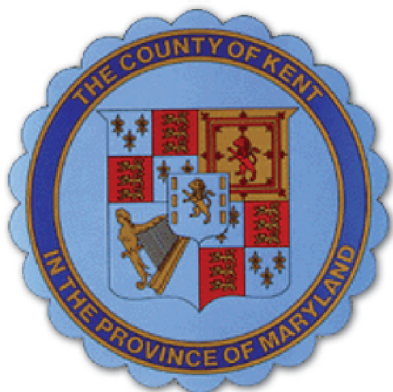
KENT COUNTY

- In May, Centreville Barrack troopers performed a traffic stop on a truck in Galena. The driver was found to have an active warrant, and a search incident to arrest revealed eight wax folds containing heroin / fentanyl. The driver was charged accordingly.

- In June, the Kent County Drug Task Force served a series of search and seizure warrants on a vehicle and two residences in Kent County. As a result, 140 grams of cocaine, 46 grams of heroin, 25 prescription pills, almost \$1,600 in currency and ammunition were seized. One suspect was arrested and charged accordingly.
- In July, troopers responded for a reported escapee from the Whitsitt Center in Chestertown. The escapee left in a vehicle, which was subsequently located. The vehicle was stopped and the escapee was apprehended. Further investigation led to the seizure of 561 grams of marijuana, a digital scale and drug packaging material. All occupants including the escapee were charged with possession with intent to distribute and escape / aiding escape.
- In October, the Centreville Barrack was asked to assist the Delaware State Police (DSP) in locating a vehicle involved in a fatal hit and run accident in Delaware. Troopers located the suspect vehicle parked in Chestertown and took custody of the vehicle to allow the DSP to further their investigation. The DSP identified the suspect and applied for a warrant. Centreville Barrack troopers placed the suspect in custody in Chestertown for the out-of-state warrant.



In August, Lt. Connolly posed with Sheriff Hickman, of the Kent County Sheriff's Office, at National Night Out.



* Calls for Service are for Centreville Barrack, which also includes Queen Anne's County

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| Calls for Service | 8,156* |
| Investigations | 279 |
| Arrests | 72 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 16 |
| Traffic Stops | 2,156 |
| DUI Arrests | 26 |
| Crashes Investigated | 137 |

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

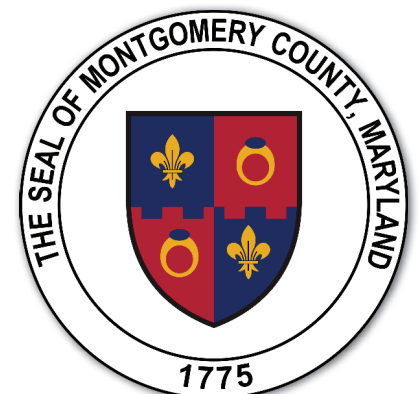
- In April, the Child Exploitation Unit and federal agents of the Maryland Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force served a search and seizure warrant at a residence in Rockville. The warrant was related to an ongoing possession and distribution of child pornography materials investigation, in response to a CyberTipline referral initiated by Dropbox through the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Investigators interviewed the suspect and confirmed ownership of the Dropbox account. Thirteen electronic devices were seized pending forensic analysis.
- In May, TFC Yu was dispatched to a pedestrian on Interstate 270 and discovered a distraught and naked woman running into traffic. TFC Yu, assisted by Montgomery County Police, was able to intercept the woman to keep her from harming herself. The woman's life was saved and she was transported to a local hospital for evaluation.
- In 2025, troopers dedicated over 450 hours to targeted enforcement to assist the Montgomery County Police with rising crime in Silver Spring and to select hot spots for barrack patrol. Troopers made over 900 traffic stops and issued 728 citations, 899 warnings and 89 safety equipment repair orders. In addition, troopers made two criminal arrests and removed 38 impaired drivers during these initiatives.



In December, TFC Theinhorn was honored at the 28th Annual Washington Regional Alcohol Program Awards, pictured with Lt. Upole and Lt. Jefferson.

- In 2025, troopers focused on removing impaired drivers from the road and joined allied agencies throughout Montgomery County for a combined alcohol task force. The task forces concentrated their efforts during the summer and holiday seasons. Their combined efforts yielded 2,600 traffic stops, 3,362 citations, 3,279 warnings, 301 safety equipment repair orders, 45 criminal arrests, three warrants served, one missing juvenile rescued and 306 impaired drivers removed from the roads.

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| Calls for Service | 8,451 |
| Investigations | 2,035 |
| Arrests | 718 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 21 |
| Traffic Stops | 18,396 |
| DUI Arrests | 556 |
| Crashes Investigated | 1,935 |



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

- In January, Forestville Barrack's Tpr. Greenlee was stationary in District Heights when a stolen vehicle, fleeing from Prince George's County Police Department (PGPD), struck his vehicle. Tpr. Greenlee assisted in arresting all five of the stolen vehicle's occupants, including one suspect who displayed a firearm.
- In April, troopers were contacted regarding a road rage incident in Prince George's County in which a firearm was displayed and fired. The suspect was identified and subsequently arrested in Alexandria, Virginia. Search and seizure warrants on the suspect's vehicle and apartment yielded marijuana, drug distribution paraphernalia, two firearms and ammunition. The suspect was charged accordingly.



In June, College Park Barrack troopers visited with students at Cherokee Lane Elementary School.

- In April, College Park Barrack troopers received a report of an assault and carjacking. During the course of the investigation, a GPS location from equipment located in the carjacked vehicle was obtained, and the vehicle was subsequently recovered.
- In May, the Child Exploitation Unit, federal agents of the Maryland Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, PGPD detectives and College Park Barrack troopers served search and seizure warrants at a suspect's residence in Beltsville. The investigation stemmed from a Laurel Police Department arrest of a father distributing illicit images and video of his minor daughters. The suspect was interviewed and admitted to requesting and receiving the child pornography images from the arrested father. The suspect's cell phone was seized, and the suspect was arrested and charged accordingly.



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| Calls for Service | 24,761 |
| Investigations | 5,887 |
| Arrests | 1,325 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 90 |
| Traffic Stops | 29,610 |
| DUI Arrests | 873 |
| Crashes Investigated | 4,877 |

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY

- In August, a traffic stop was conducted on a vehicle for speeding. During the stop, a K-9 scan was performed, with a positive alert. A subsequent search of the vehicle revealed a handgun and several prescription pills. The suspect was discovered to be a felon prohibited from possessing firearms and was charged accordingly.
- In September, troopers responded for a reported domestic assault and robbery in Sudlersville. The suspect fled in a vehicle which was subsequently discovered in place of a stolen tractor trailer. During the course of the investigation, it was discovered that the suspect and the victim were involved in a theft ring over multiple states. The suspect was taken into custody in Tennessee, and both the suspect and the victim were charged with theft and fraud.
- In September, the Queen Anne's County Drug Task Force and allied agencies served a search and seizure warrant at a residence in Millington. Two suspects were located and detained. A search revealed 138 grams of cocaine, five grams of fentanyl, 12 grams of psilocybin mushrooms and \$283 in currency. The suspects were charged accordingly.

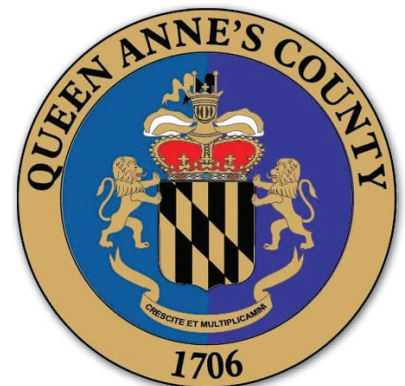


In May, a Centreville Barrack trooper participated in Bright Beginnings Preschool's Community Day in Stevensville.

- In October, the Centreville Barrack was notified that a minor with developmental disabilities had stolen a vehicle. Troopers were able to locate the vehicle, traveling the wrong way on Route 19 in Church Hill. The vehicle struck several mailboxes before troopers were able to box in the vehicle and get it stopped. The minor was unharmed and returned to family members via juvenile release.

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| Calls for Service | 8,156* |
| Investigations | 1,390 |
| Arrests | 327 |
| Narcan Deployments | 1 |
| Guns Seized | 38 |
| Traffic Stops | 12,420 |
| DUI Arrests | 124 |
| Crashes Investigated | 652 |

* Calls for Service are for Centreville Barrack, which also includes Kent County



SOMERSET COUNTY



In July, TFC Salgueiro posed with a youth at the Touch-A-Truck event at the Somerset County Fair.

- In March, TFC Wilson conducted a traffic stop and discovered that the driver had an outstanding arrest warrant. A K-9 scan was performed on the vehicle, with a positive alert. A subsequent search revealed several capsules of cocaine, \$10,000 in currency and ammunition. The driver was arrested and charged accordingly.

- In May, the Princess Anne Barrack received notification of a pedestrian struck by a vehicle. The victim was being treated for life-threatening injuries. Investigation revealed that after the victim and a suspect had an argument, the suspect intentionally struck the victim with his vehicle. The suspect was arrested after fleeing to California. The suspect was convicted and received more than 10 years of incarceration.
- In August, TFC Hicks conducted a traffic stop and detected the odor of PCP. Upon having the driver exit the vehicle, a pat down revealed a glass vial with five ounces of PCP. The driver was placed under arrest, and a secondary search revealed \$605 in currency.
- In August, TFC Hicks received information that a suspect with an outstanding warrant was residing at an inn in Princess Anne. After surveillance, the suspect was arrested, and a search and seizure warrant was authored for the suspect's room. A total of 70 grams of crack cocaine, a handgun and ammunition, \$918 in currency, a digital scale and two cell phones were seized. The suspect was charged accordingly.



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| Calls for Service | 6,743 |
| Investigations | 565 |
| Arrests | 291 |
| Narcan Deployments | 1 |
| Guns Seized | 23 |
| Traffic Stops | 12,044 |
| DUI Arrests | 67 |
| Crashes Investigated | 144 |

ST. MARY'S COUNTY



In December, Leonardtown Barrack troopers participated in St. Mary's County's Shop With A Cop.

- In January, the Leonardtown Barrack was notified of a victim inside a vehicle in Lexington Park that suffered from a gunshot wound to the head. The victim was pronounced deceased, and the Homicide Unit responded to assume the investigation. The victim's ex-husband was identified as a suspect and ultimately confessed to the murder.

- In February, Tpr. Phelps responded for a report of two subjects not breathing in Saint Inigoes. Tpr. Phelps administered Narcan and began life-saving measures. Tpr Phelps also observed a large amount of controlled dangerous substances in the residence, indicative of the intent to distribute, and several firearms in plain view. One of the subjects succumbed to the overdose, while the other subject was charged accordingly.
- In February, TFC Eckrich conducted a traffic stop in Mechanicsville and observed cocaine in plain view. A search of the vehicle revealed two firearms and cocaine. Both the driver and the passenger were arrested and charged accordingly.
- In March, Tpr. Olayanju responded for a reported robbery at a hotel in California, Maryland. The victim alleged that he was assaulted and several of his items were stolen. The Criminal Enforcement Division assumed the investigation and identified the suspect. With the assistance of the Maryland State Apprehension Team, the suspect was located, taken into custody and charged accordingly.

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| Calls for Service | 10,747 |
| Investigations | 979 |
| Arrests | 542 |
| Narcan Deployments | 4 |
| Guns Seized | 20 |
| Traffic Stops | 13,668 |
| DUI Arrests | 145 |
| Crashes Investigated | 271 |



TALBOT COUNTY



In October, M/Tpr. Rola participated in the Easton Barrack's Trunk or Treat event.

- In September, Easton Barrack troopers received a lookout for a possible impaired driver. TFC Hernandez stopped the suspect vehicle in Talbot County and detected signs of impairment from the driver. The driver underwent field sobriety testing unsatisfactorily and was subsequently arrested for DUI. A K-9 scan of the vehicle led to a positive alert, and a subsequent search revealed methamphetamine and two handguns. The Gun Center advised that the driver was prohibited from possessing firearms. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In September, TFC Hernandez conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle with a suspected intoxicated driver. Field sobriety tests were conducted, and it was determined that the driver was under the influence of controlled dangerous substances. A positive K-9 scan led to the seizure of two firearms, ammunition, Xanax and methadone. The driver was charged accordingly.
- In September, the Talbot County Drug Task Force and the Queen Anne's County Drug Task Force conducted parcel interdiction at a packaging facility in Easton. A suspicious package tested positive during a K-9 scan and was found to contain 22 pounds of cannabis. After a controlled delivery, a suspect was detained. A search of the suspect's residence and vehicle led to the recovery of three oxycodone pills and currency. The suspect was charged accordingly.
- In November, Cpl. Kemp contacted the St. Michaels Community Center to identify current community needs. The center advised it had received requests for 14 coats. Cpl. Kemp organized a coat drive and collected donations. Sufficient funds were raised to purchase 14 new coats valued at over \$1,000, and a surplus of funds was used to purchase non-perishable food items for a food pantry.



* Calls for Service are for Easton Barrack, which also includes Caroline and Dorchester Counties

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| Calls for Service | 10,576* |
| Investigations | 615 |
| Arrests | 217 |
| Narcans Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 51 |
| Traffic Stops | 9,011 |
| DUI Arrests | 89 |
| Crashes Investigated | 266 |

WASHINGTON COUNTY

- In February, the Underwater Recovery Team was notified that an ATV being operated on the frozen Deep Creek Lake had broken through the ice, trapping an adult male passenger. Sgt. Matthai dove down to the sunken ATV, cut the passenger out of his seatbelt and brought the passenger to the surface. The passenger still had a pulse and was flown to a hospital for further care. The passenger subsequently passed away at the hospital the following morning, after his family had a chance to see him and say goodbye.
- In March, troopers from the Hagerstown Barrack and the Criminal Enforcement Division participated in a criminal enforcement initiative. During the initiative, troopers made 67 traffic stops and issued 15 citations and 59 warnings. In addition, troopers made two controlled dangerous substances arrests.
- In August, Sgt. Matthai responded with the Underwater Recovery Team to assist the Baltimore County Police in searching for an adult male drowning victim at the Beaver Dam Quarry. Sgt. Matthai successfully located and recovered the victim's body.
- In November, troopers responded to a triple homicide in Clear Spring. The residence was set ablaze, which the Office of the State Fire Marshal determined to be arson. The three bodies all had gunshot wounds, and multiple shell casings were recovered inside the residence. Homicide Unit investigators identified five suspects involved in the homicides. The suspects were arrested and charged accordingly.



In December, a Hagerstown Barrack trooper participated in the 8th Annual Shop With A Trooper.

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| Calls for Service | 12,423 |
| Investigations | 1,889 |
| Arrests | 431 |
| Narcans Deployments | 1 |
| Guns Seized | 64 |
| Traffic Stops | 15,059 |
| DUI Arrests | 121 |
| Crashes Investigated | 995 |

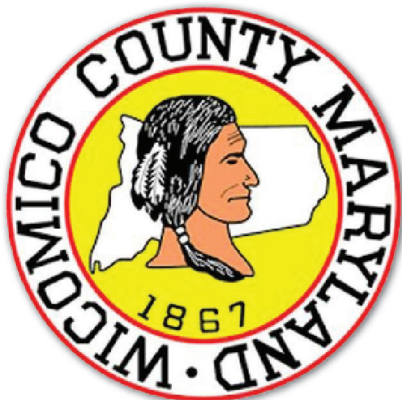


WICOMICO COUNTY

- In March, TFC Hopkins received an alert regarding a stolen vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. After inconsistencies in the driver's story, an investigation led to obtaining a search warrant on a residence. Upon serving the search warrant, 170 marijuana plants and drug manufacturing equipment were seized.
- In April, the Homicide Unit assisted the Fruitland Police Department in investigating a homicide. Investigators identified the victim's roommate as the primary suspect. After locating the suspect in Salisbury, the suspect was interviewed and confessed to the murder. The suspect was charged with first-degree murder.
- In August, TFC Hopkins responded for a report of an assault at a residence. The victim was a delivery driver, and the suspect shot a firearm at the victim. A search warrant was authored and served. The suspect was located inside the residence, taken into custody and charged accordingly.
- In November, Salisbury Barrack troopers responded for a shooting at a residence and found two victims with gunshot wounds, one with life-threatening injuries who subsequently died. The identity of the suspect was obtained, and the suspect was located. The suspect pointed a handgun at troopers, who fired their weapons. Troopers rendered aid and requested EMS, but the suspect was ultimately pronounced dead.



In December, Tpr. Porta and M/Tpr. Edwards participated in Shop With A Cop.



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| Calls for Service | 10,004 |
| Investigations | 1,659 |
| Arrests | 679 |
| Narcans Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 33 |
| Traffic Stops | 16,776 |
| DUI Arrests | 213 |
| Crashes Investigated | 611 |

WORCESTER COUNTY



In September, a ribbon cutting ceremony was held for the newly constructed Berlin Barrack.

- In January, TFC Bradley conducted a traffic stop for speeding, and the driver had an outstanding warrant. During the driver's arrest, a search revealed two grams of cocaine, one gram of crack cocaine, 13 wax folds containing heroin and two glass smoking devices. The driver was charged accordingly.

- In March, TFC Stacey stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation. During a probable cause search, two handguns and 55 grams of marijuana were located. Both the driver and the passenger were arrested and charged accordingly. A subsequent investigation led to the prosecution of a Salisbury University student for manufacturing firearms in his dorm room.
- In May, Berlin Barrack troopers responded for a report of a victim with a gunshot wound at a residence. Troopers arrived on scene, detained the suspect and located a firearm that the suspect had attempted to hide under a mattress. The suspect was subsequently charged with first-degree murder.
- In November and December, Worcester County Criminal Enforcement Team investigators served multiple waves of search and seizure warrants related to a drug trafficking organization investigation that had begun in October 2024. The following were seized: 43 kilograms of cocaine, 24 grams of crack cocaine, two grams of heroin, 36 fentanyl pills, four kilograms of marijuana, four grams of MDMA, eight grams of psilocybin mushrooms, five Suboxone strips, 11 firearms, \$23,816 in currency and 11 vehicles. As a result of the investigation, 25 members of the drug trafficking organization were charged.

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| Calls for Service | 10,630 |
| Investigations | 1,389 |
| Arrests | 690 |
| Narcan Deployments | 0 |
| Guns Seized | 42 |
| Traffic Stops | 18,451 |
| DUI Arrests | 388 |
| Crashes Investigated | 488 |



FORENSIC SCIENCES DIVISION



In September, the Forensic Sciences Division (FSD) celebrated National Forensic Science Week.

In April, a suspect was found guilty of a 2023 Bel Air homicide, after a Forensic Scientist Advanced testified during the trial. The Forensic Scientist Advanced had issued six findings reports and testified that DNA matching the suspect was found at the crime scene. The Forensic Scientist Advanced also received a Harford County Sheriff's Office Sheriff's Salute for her work during the investigation.

In September, the new Berlin Barrack opened its doors with a state-of-the-art crime laboratory that has allowed FSD to expand the services provided there. The new Berlin lab includes Crime Scene, Toxicology and Latent Prints / Impressions, alongside the Central Receiving Unit and the Controlled Dangerous Substances Unit.



In November, a suspect pleaded guilty to six counts of negligent vehicular manslaughter, from a 2023 crash in Baltimore County. The suspect's blood kit had been sent to FSD Toxicology for Alcohol and Drug Testing Unit. The blood was negative for alcohol but positive for THC and its metabolites.



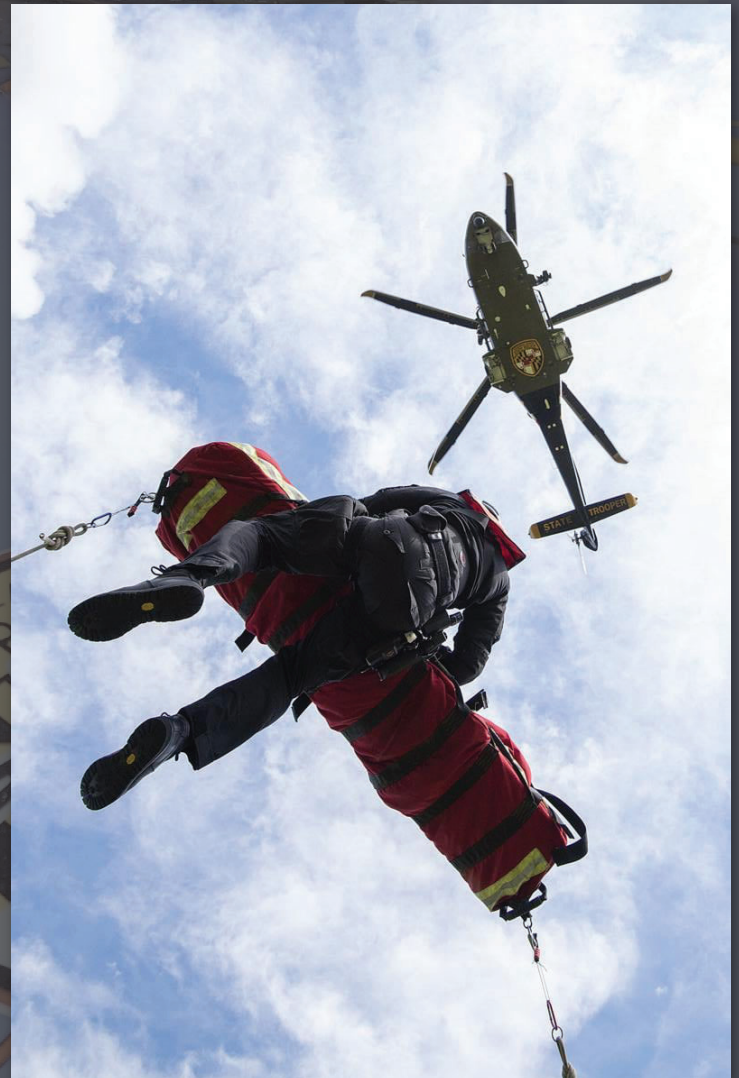
AVIATION COMMAND



- In 2025, MSP Aviation Command (MSPAC) flight crews completed 2,875 missions, including 1,971 medical evacuations, resulting in the transport and treatment of 2,004 patients.
- In 2025, MSPAC aircraft accumulated 2,511 flight hours.



- In 2025, MSPAC's Whole Blood Program administered 154 units of whole blood to 116 critically injured patients, often stabilizing blood pressure during transport.
- In 2025, MSPAC became the first civilian aviation medical program in the United States to deploy and test the Battlefield Assisted Trauma Distributed Observation Kit (BATDOK), developed by the Air Force Research Laboratory. This mobile medical documentation and decision-support system assists flight medics with real-time patient monitoring, streamlined documentation and improved information transfer to receiving hospitals.



COMMERCIAL VEHICLE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

- During 2025, the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division (CVED) weighed over 880,000 commercial vehicles and conducted 53,068 roadside inspections. The Division issued 10,210 citations with total fines of over \$4.2 million. In addition, 10,815 unsafe commercial motor vehicles and 5,728 unsafe or unqualified drivers were placed out of service.
- In 2025, the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program (MCSAP) completed its 58th year of operation in Maryland. Four state agencies, along with the Maryland State Police, participate in the program with the assistance of 28 allied agencies. The MSP CVED is the lead law enforcement agency in the Program and is tasked with training and certifying all police officers from allied agencies associated with the MCSAP.



- The CVED is organized into task-specific units and geographic regions that operate fixed weigh and inspection facilities at ten locations. A new facility is being built in Cecilton, with an expected completion date of April 2026.
- In addition to fixed weight and inspection facilities, CVED personnel use virtual weigh stations (VWS) at 18 locations throughout the state. These VWS weigh commercial motor vehicles (CMVs) while traveling at highway speeds. CMVs in violation of the specified parameters are digitally captured and the images and necessary information are disseminated in real time to local roving crews to take enforcement action.
- The CVED hosted ten training courses in 2025 and trained over 383 MCSAP inspectors.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION

The Internal Affairs Division (IAD) is tasked with upholding the integrity of the Maryland Department of State Police (MDSP) and the trust of the citizens it serves. The IAD team is committed to ensuring the Department polices fairly and professionally without bias or prejudice. The MDSP employs IAPro and BlueTeam (BT) to support patrol, supervisory, and command oversight within the Department. BT is the front-line platform used by the field while IAPro is used exclusively by members of IAD. The IAD uses BT coupled with IAPro for direct data entry, which promotes seamless statistical analysis and expedites the investigative process while identifying possible training and/or policy issues within the Department.



- The IAD oversaw the completion of 295 total cases in 2025, processing 202 citizen / external complaints and 93 internal complaints (including firearm discharge investigations). Of the 295 cases, 110 are pending adjudication.
- In 2025, the IAD processed 52 vehicle pursuit reports, 425 use of force reports, 168 show of force reports, five CEW discharge reports, 27 PIA requests, ten Office of the State Fire Marshal investigations and 332 early intervention alerts.
- In 2025, the IAD completed an acquisition of nine sworn investigators, effectively refreshing the Division and ensuring responsibilities to the Department are completed fairly and in a timely manner.

LICENSING DIVISION

- During 2025, the Firearms Registration Unit processed 99,970 regulated firearms transactions. The Unit disapproved 350 applications, of which 244 of those denials were due to criminal-related prohibitors. The average number of applications received in 2025 was 1,922 per week.
- In 2025, the Handgun Qualification License Unit received 38,805 applications, disapproving 580 applicants, which is 1.5% of total applications received.
- During 2025, the Handgun Permit Unit processed 164,690 total applications, a 96% increase in total volume from 2024. The Unit disapproved 1,903 applications.
- The Administrative Investigations Unit completed 83,011 background checks in 2025, a 61% increase versus 2024.



OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL



- In 2025, the Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) responded to 858 fire and explosive incidents, resulting in an estimated \$73 million in property loss. In addition, the OSFM conducted 12,799 code enforcement inspections, ensuring that field conditions are consistent with approved designs and required safety standards are maintained. Also, the OSFM completed 1,496 pre-construction plan reviews, evaluating building and systems designs for compliance with the State Fire Prevention Code.
- Following the May 2025 relaunch of Get Alarmed Maryland, the OSFM has installed nearly 350 smoke alarms and 63 carbon monoxide detectors statewide, supported by a new data-tracking approach to better target prevention efforts.
- In 2025, Western Maryland welcomed its first Accelerant Detection K-9 in more than 20 years. K-9 Quinn, and his handler, Senior Deputy State Fire Marshal Adam Rounds, graduated in November 2024 from the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) National Canine Training Center. Senior Deputy Rounds and Quinn join one of only 77 certified ATF-trained accelerant detection teams in the United States and become part of the country's largest partnership of ATF-trained canines, operated by the OSFM.
- In 2025, the OSFM led Maryland's transition from the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) to the National Emergency Response Information System (NERIS), a more advanced statewide incident data modernization.

COMMUNITY SERVICE EVENTS

Boys and Girls Clubs: Benefiting children in the community

Clothing Drives: Benefiting local families in need

Deep Creek Dunk: Benefiting the Special Olympics Maryland

Food Drives: Benefiting local families in need

Law Enforcement Torch Run: Benefiting the Special Olympics Maryland

MSP Polar Bear Plunge: Benefiting the Special Olympics Maryland

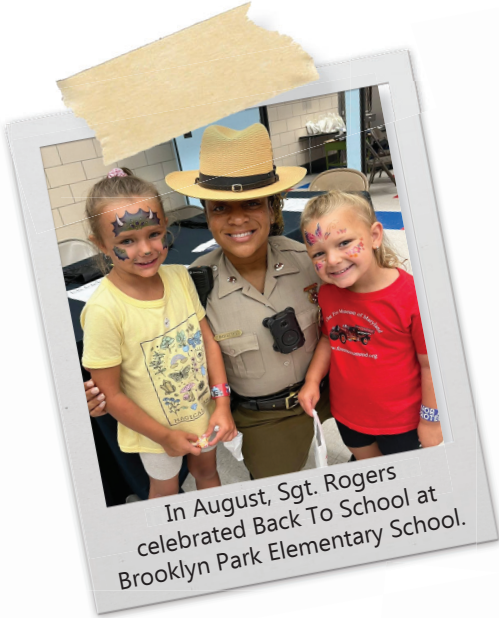
National Night Out

Shop With A Cop / Police Providing Presents: Benefiting local families in need

Toys for Tots / Holiday Toy Drives: Benefiting local families in need

Trunk or Treat / Not So Scary Halloween: Benefiting children in the community

COMMUNITY VOICES



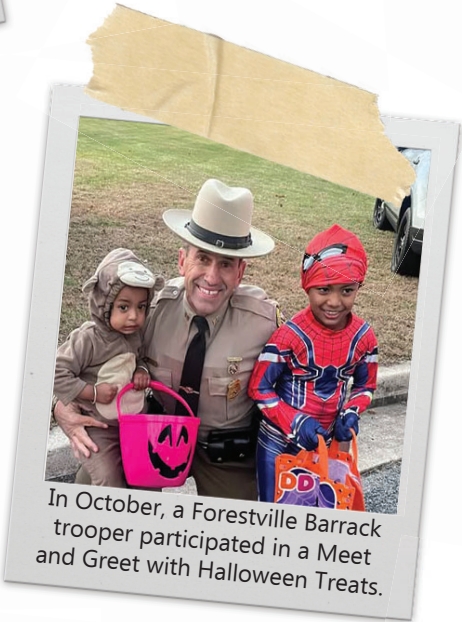
In August, Sgt. Rogers celebrated Back To School at Brooklyn Park Elementary School.

" [E]xtremely professional, courteous and helpful...He went above and beyond to help us out and keep us safe. We are extremely grateful..."



In April, a La Plata Barrack trooper participated in a Touch A Truck event.

" [R]espectful and professional. He listened to my concerns and acted with understanding. I felt safe and heard. "



In October, a Forestville Barrack trooper participated in a Meet and Greet with Halloween Treats.

" At every step he was courteous, friendly, professional and interested in my family's wellbeing."



In November, a McHenry Barrack trooper participated in a Special Olympics Bocce event.

" Pleasant, concise communicator, razor sharp appearance...[E]mbodies the epitome of professionalism. "



In April, Cpl. Opirhory participated in a Touch A Truck event at Southern Middle School.



Above: In May, a McHenry Barrack trooper participated in the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run.



Top Right: In November, Cecil County homeschool children had a field trip to the North East Barrack.

Bottom Right: In December, a Leonardtown Barrack trooper participated in Shop With A Cop.





Above: In January, TFC Pinto visited with students at Worcester Preparatory School.

Top Left: In December, College Park Barrack troopers participated in Shop With A Cop.

Bottom Left: In March, JFK Barrack troopers celebrated Community Helpers Week at Redeemer Classical Christian School in Kingsville.

Below: In September, a Frederick Barrack trooper participated in The Great Frederick Fair.



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