

LCSSO - WLS QUARTERLY COMMUNITY MEETING



Tuesday, May 4, 2016
7:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Round Hill Town Office



Western Loudoun Station
23 Main St. 2nd Floor
Round Hill, VA 20141
Main # 571-258-3750





LCSO Mission Statement



SERVICE

TECHNOLOGY

LOUDOUN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE MISSION STATEMENT

The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office will strive to continuously improve safety and law enforcement services to all members of our community through the Step Up Strategy of improved service, technology, efficiency and professionalism.

We will work interactively with federal, state, and other local law enforcement authorities to vigorously and fairly enforce criminal laws by sharing capabilities, strategies and assets.

We will partner with community services groups and human services agencies to implement strategies that improve the quality of life for County residents, businesses and visitors.

Finally, we will engage our community through courteous and proactive outreach and communication, and work diligently to constantly improve our professionalism.

Every member of the Loudoun County Sheriff's Office is expected to contribute to the furtherance of this mission.

Michael L. Chapman
Sheriff, Loudoun County



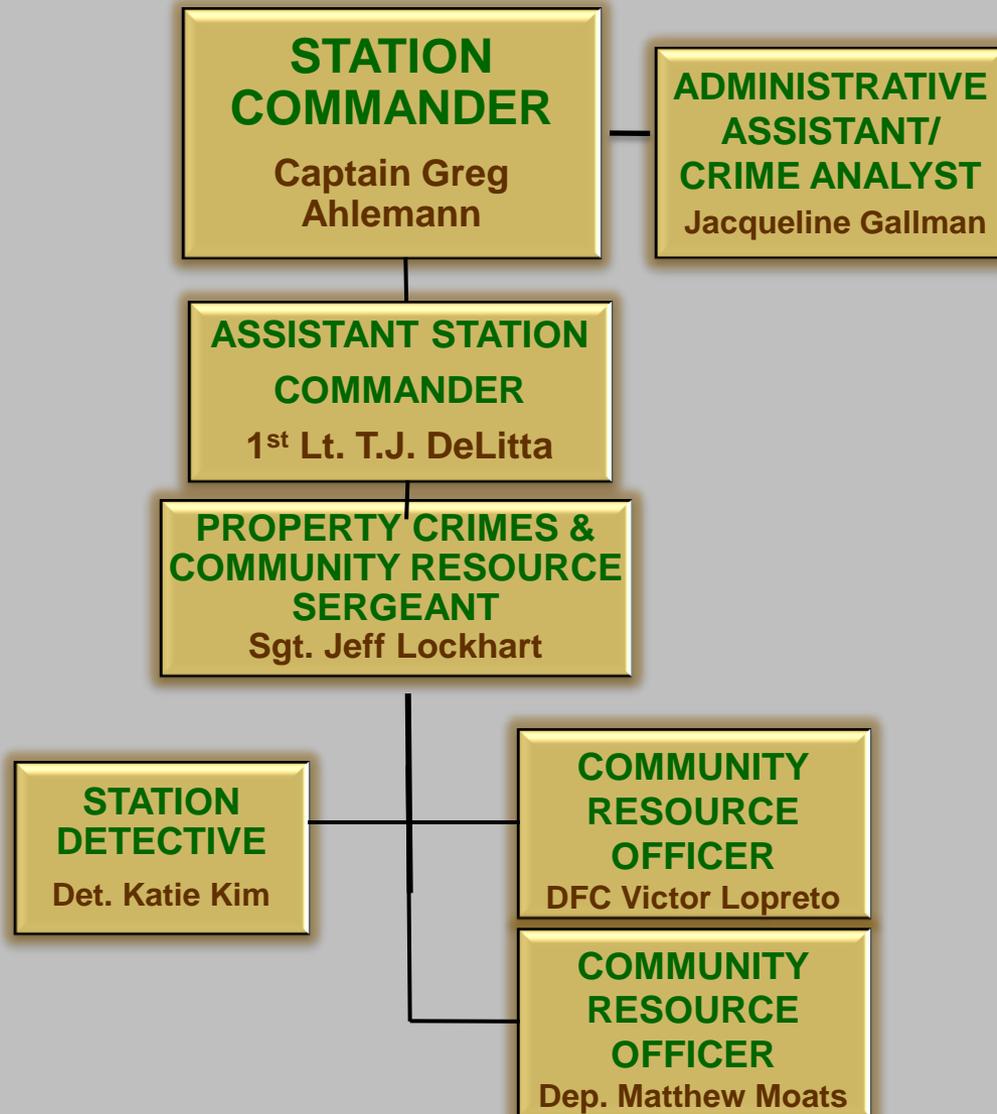
EFFICIENCY

PROFESSIONALISM





WLS Organizational Chart





CROs & Squad/Shift Schedules



VICTOR LOPRETO
Community Resource Officer

571-246-5094

Victor.Lopreto@loudoun.gov

Tuesday - Friday
10:30 AM – 9:00 PM

MATTHEW MOATS
Community Resource Officer

571-528-7964

Matthew.Moats@Loudoun.gov

PATROL SQUADS:

A Days / A Nights

B Days / B Nights

Day Shift: 6:00am - 6:00pm

Night Shift: 4:00pm - 4:00am

7:00pm - 7:00am



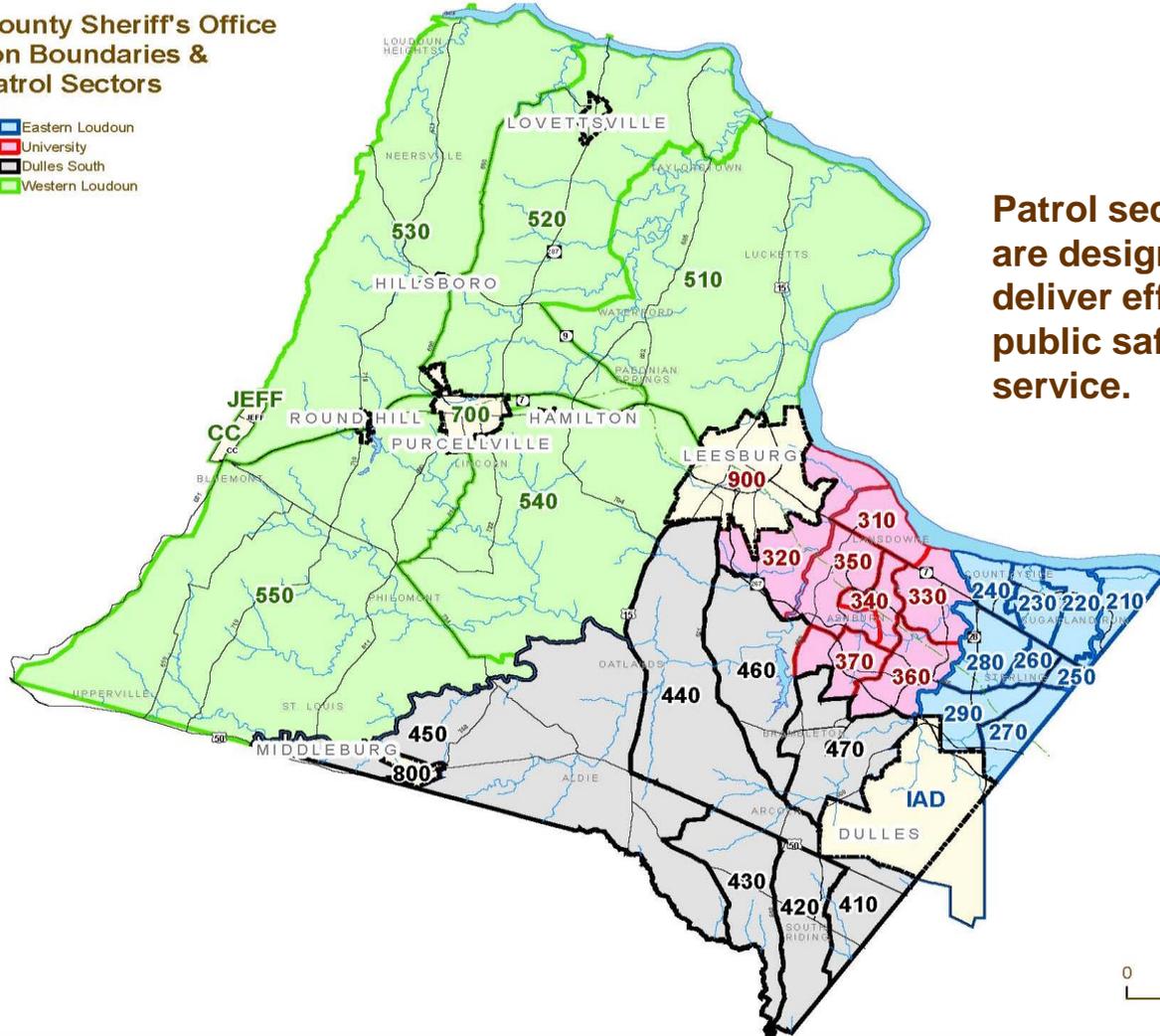


Loudoun County Map w/ Station Boundaries / Sectors



Loudoun County Sheriff's Office Station Boundaries & Patrol Sectors

- Eastern Loudoun
- University
- Dulles South
- Western Loudoun



**Patrol sectors
are designed to
deliver efficient
public safety
service.**



May 2010





PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

RENDERING OF NEW WESTERN LOUDOUN STATION





PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

WESTERN LOUDOUN STATION

Although no public services are available at the current Western Loudoun Station location, it exists as an internal point of presence for Loudoun County Sheriff's Deputies to conduct roll call, follow-up investigations and access departmental information systems.

Now Under Construction!
Anticipated Opening Summer 2016!!





PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

CURRENT PROGRESS!



Original Structure



Excavation



July 2015



April 2016





PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

SHERIFF'S STATIONS

- ★ Sally Port
- ★ Temporary Holding Facility
- ★ Booking Area
- ★ Roll Call Room
- ★ Deputy Workroom
- ★ Interview Rooms
- ★ Multi-purpose / Community Meeting Rooms
- ★ Exercise & Locker Rooms
- ★ Evidence Processing & Storage

SHERIFF'S STATION STAFFING

- ★ Station Commander
- ★ Assistant Station Commander
- ★ Customer Service Assistant
- ★ Administrative Assistant
- ★ Records/Crime Analyst
- ★ Station Deputy / Station Sergeant
- ★ Station Detective(s)
- ★ Community Resource Officers





CALL if You Can

TEXT 911

TEXT if You Can't



Beginning 03/01/2016, in all of Loudoun County and its incorporated towns.

HAVE AN EMERGENCY?

911

CALL IF YOU CAN
TEXT IF YOU CAN'T

now in LOUDOUN COUNTY

Know When To TEXT TO 911

- If you are deaf, hard of hearing or have a speech disability.
- If you cannot speak due to injury or medical condition.
- If you are in a threatening situation and a voice call could increase the threat.
- If you cannot make a call because your mobile phone reception is poor.

www.loudoun.gov/text911

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If you cannot speak due to injury or medical condition.

If you are in a threatening situation.

If your mobile reception signal is poor.

HOW TO TEXT TO 911:

- Enter only 911 in the “To” field.
- Text should be short and include:
 - Location
 - Type of Emergency
- Be prepared to answer questions and follow Call Taker’s instructions.
- Photos and videos cannot be sent to 911.
- Texts to 911 cannot include more than 1 recipient.
- TEXT 911 is available for:
 - ❖ FIRE
 - ❖ MEDICAL
 - ❖ POLICE



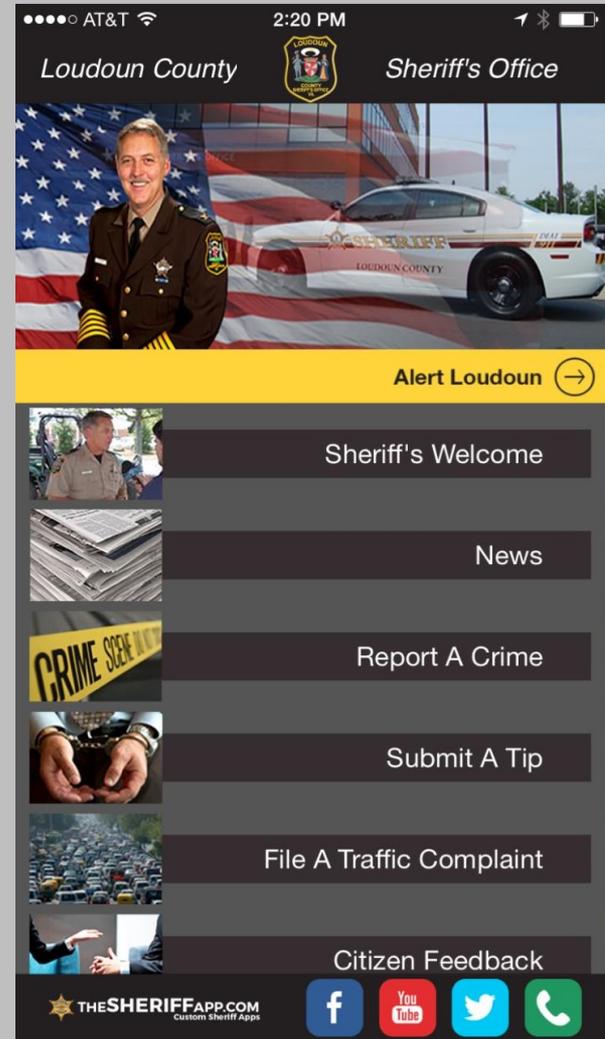


LCSO App



PUT CRIME INFORMATION AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

- Submit Crime Tips
- Report a Crime
- Make a Traffic Complaint
- Provide Citizen Feedback
- Learn the Latest Public Safety News Dispatched by the LCSO
- Receive Non-Emergency Community Notifications
- Learn of Upcoming Meetings & Events Held by the LCSO





LCSO Website



<https://sheriff.loudoun.gov>

New & Improved Website Offers Innovative & Interactive Features in a More User Friendly Layout

- Report a Crime Online**
 - ✓ Report certain crimes such as larceny, ID theft & vandalism via the Internet.
- Community Resource Directory**
 - ✓ Search community resources for health & human services in Loudoun County.
- Case Follow-Up**
 - ✓ Victims can follow-up & inquire about status of cases via the website.
- Find My Station**
 - ✓ A searchable map allowing residents to find their nearest station providing services such as fingerprinting & background Checks.
- Future Enhancements**
 - ✓ Traffic Incident Mapping Using Online Mapping Resources



Find us on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/loudounsheriff>

And on Twitter:

<https://twitter.com/loudounsheriff>





LCSO ONLINE REPORTING



[WWW.SHERIFF.LOUDOUN.GOV](http://www.sheriff.loudoun.gov)

ALERT LOUDOUN



FIND MY STATION



CRIME MAPS & STATS



Report a Crime Online FAQ's

[Home](#) > Report A Crime

Loudoun Sheriff's Office Online Crime Reporting System

Report a Crime Online

Welcome to the Loudoun County Sheriff's Office Citizens Online Police Reporting System. **If this is an Emergency or a crime is in progress/just occurred, please call 911.** Using this online citizen crime reporting system allows you to submit a report without leaving your home; however, not every crime can be reported. Please confirm the following to find out if online citizen crime reporting is right for you:

- This is not an emergency?
- This incident occurred within Loudoun County?
- This is not a motor vehicle crash or hit and run?

If you answered yes to all of the above questions, you are ready to file your report online. Please make sure to turn off your pop-up blocking software before filing the report. If you answered no to any of the questions, please look at our [Online Crime Reporting Frequently Asked Questions](#) section. Upon completion of this report process you will:

- See the words: "Your online police report has been submitted" showing that your report is complete.
- Be given a temporary report number.
- Be able to print a copy of the temporary report to keep for your records.

Please Note:

- All cases filed using the Citizen's Online Crime Reporting System will be reviewed.
- Upon review, if further investigation of your case is needed, you may be contacted.
- **Filing a false police report is a CRIME.**

Anyone found to have submitted a false police report will be prosecuted under the authority of Virginia State Code §18.2-161, which shall be punishable as a Class 1 misdemeanor. Maximum possible penalty is one year in jail and/or \$2,500 fine. The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office Citizen's Online Crime Reporting System accepts the following types of incidents:

- Alcohol Violations
- Civil Disputes
- Credit Card Fraud
- Destruction of Property
- Fraud/False Pretenses
- Harassing Calls/Emails
- Identity Theft
- Theft
- Theft From Vehicle
- Lost Property
- Narcotics Activity
- Suspicious Event/Circumstances

[Please Click Here to Start Your Online Report](#)

[Please click here for Traffic Complaints](#)

[Please click here for Agency Questions or Concerns](#)

Incident Type	Definition	Examples
Alcohol Violation	When alcohol is consumed by a person under the age of 21, sold to a person under the age of 21 or purchased for a person under the age of 21.	Underage parties where persons less than 21 are consuming alcohol, locations where it is believed persons less than 21 are being sold alcohol or where persons are suspected of purchasing alcohol for those less than 21 years of age.
Civil Dispute	A disagreement between people or groups in which no criminal laws are broken.	Child custody disputes, neighbor disputes, common property disputes, etc.
Credit Card Fraud	Occurs when the credit card or credit card number(s) are used fraudulently without the consent of the cardholder.	Your wallet is lost or stolen and purchases are made on your credit card without your consent. An unauthorized purchase appears on your credit card statement from an online retailer.
Credit Card Theft	Taking or obtaining of credit card(s), or credit card number(s), with the intent to use them fraudulently.	Your credit card is stolen from your person or your credit card number is stolen by an unknown person.
Destruction of Property/Vandalism	The act of changing, modifying or defacing public or private property.	A vehicle was damaged on the exterior, but no parts were removed or entry was made into the vehicle.
Fraud/False Pretense	Fraudulently obtaining or selling goods and services.	Construction work intentionally undone. False internet products or returns. Non-delivery of tickets.
Harassing Phone Calls/Emails	Unwanted phone calls or e-mail of an annoying, harassing nature.	Immediate phone hang-ups, obscene language, etc. with no known suspects.
Identity Theft	Obtaining another's personal identifying information and using it to obtain credit, goods or services.	Someone obtains a credit card using your Social Security Number or obtains phone service using your personal information.
Larceny/Theft	Your property is taken without your permission.	Someone takes your cellular phone without permission. Lost property is not a theft.
Lost Property	Property is missing or lost.	This is not theft of property. Does not include lost passports, social security cards or driver's licenses.
Narcotics Activity	Suspected narcotics activity.	Includes suspected sales of narcotics, traffic indicating the sale of narcotics, consumption of illegal narcotics.
Shoplifting	Property is taken from a business without paying.	Someone steals consumable product from a business and leaves without paying. This includes concealment.
Suspicious Event/Circumstance	Suspicious activity that you wish for the Sheriff's Office to know about, but is not necessarily a crime.	Someone you do not know hangs out on your street corner for several hours every afternoon. Cars that you do not recognize are parked in front of your home and then leave at all hours of the night. Your neighbor has frequent visitors that only stay for a couple of minutes at a time.





CopLogic



Online Crime Reporting Statistics

2013 COPLOGIC STATISTICS:

Total Online Reports:	1671
Hours Saved:	3342
Cost Savings:	\$125,325

2014 COPLOGIC STATISTICS:

Total Online Reports:	2355
Hours Saved:	4710
Cost Savings:	\$176,625

2015 COPLOGIC STATISTICS:

Total Online Reports:	2266
Hours Saved:	4532
Cost Savings:	\$169,950

Total Reports 2016



2016 1st qtr COPLOGIC STATISTICS:

Total Online Reports:	523
Hours Saved:	1046
Cost Savings:	\$39,225

From January 2013 – March 2016, approximately 6,815 incidents have been reported using the online reporting system [CopLogic](#). This has resulted in nearly 13,630 deputy hours saved, at a cost savings of approximately **\$511,125 – MORE THAN HALF A MILLION TAXPAYER DOLLARS - thus far – *in only a little over three years!!!***





Alert Loudoun / Reverse 911



Alert Loudoun 2.0

Information You Need Wherever You Are

Emergency Alerts, Traffic, Weather, County News

www.loudoun.gov/alert



REVERSE 911

- If you are a Verizon land line customer in Loudoun County, you do NOT need to register your home phone
- Any land line with a carrier other than Verizon, any cell phones, or VOIP should be registered if you would like to receive Reverse 911 notifications

Self-Registration Site:

<https://loudouncounty.onthealert.com/Terms/Index/?ReturnUrl=%2f>

Please note that REVERSE 911 provides emergency voice notifications ONLY, and is not affiliated with the Alert Loudoun system.

Welcome to the Loudoun County Reverse 911 Self-Registration Site



Loudoun County, VA
Office of Emergency Management



Emergency Preparedness
Citizen Notification System





NARCAN

LCSO BEGINS PILOT PROGRAM TO EQUIP DEPUTIES WITH NASAL NARCAN

This program is part of the comprehensive approach of the Heroin Operations Team (HOT) initiative announced by Sheriff Chapman and Rep. Comstock in April 2015.

All of LCSO deputies have been trained in and equipped with the use of NARCAN, a life saving tool when seconds count.



What is NARCAN?

Nasal NARCAN is a nasal form of the drug naloxone that can reverse the effects of opiates such as heroin, oxycodone and hydrocodone.





DEA Exhibit

DEA National Touring Exhibit

Drugs: Costs and Consequences

Opening Eyes to the Damage Drugs Cause

A Multi-Agency Collaboration

An interactive, visual, hands-on traveling exhibit

750 Miller Drive, SE, Suite F-1, Leesburg, Virginia

571-258-3888

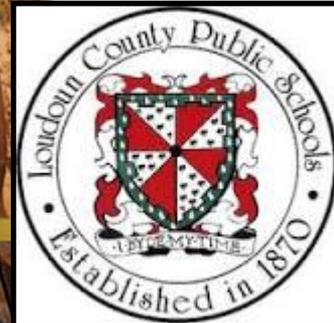


**FREE
ADMISSION**

January 12 - September 11, 2016

Tuesday - Saturday, 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

***** Parental Discretion is advised due to the intensity of some of the exhibits**





Drug Take Back Event

A Drug Take Back Event was held in multiple locations in Loudoun County on April 30th.

Hosted by:
Loudoun County Sheriff's Office
in conjunction with:
**Purcellville Police Dept.
& Middleburg Police Dept.**

TOTAL COLLECTED: 1300+ LBS.

Part of a regional heroin initiative called the
HEROIN OPERATIONS TEAM (HOT) INITIATIVE

A comprehensive approach including enforcement, education and prevention, by incorporating local, state, and federal law enforcement.





LOUDOUN COUNTY

PART I & II CRIME STATS



PART 1 CRIMES BY STATION AREA 2014 VS 2015 VS 2016 January 1 - March 31

Station	Total 2014	Total 2015	Total 2016	% of crime per station for 2016	# CHANGE FROM 2015 VS 2016	% change from 2015 vs 2016
Eastern Loudoun	316	293	283	48%	-10	-3%
University	163	92	111	19%	19	21%
Dulles South	122	141	130	22%	-11	-8%
Western Loudoun	39	52	60	10%	8	15%
Other	1	1	0	0%	-1	-100%
Total	641	579	584	100%	5	1%

PART 2 CRIMES BY STATION AREA 2014 VS 2015 VS 2016 January 1 - March 31

Station	Total 2014	Total 2015	Total 2016	% of crime per station for 2016	# CHANGE FROM 2015 VS 2016	% change from 2015 vs 2016
Eastern Loudoun	542	508	412	41%	-96	-19%
University	328	365	303	30%	-62	-17%
Dulles South	141	151	191	19%	40	27%
Western Loudoun	99	133	100	10%	-33	-25%
Other	2	0	1	0%	1	N/C
Total	1112	1157	1007	100%	-150	-13%

LCSO 1st Quarter 2016 PART I CRIMES

HOMICIDE	1
AGG/ASSAULT	27
RAPE	10
ROBBERY	7
BURGLARY	34
AUTO THEFT	23
LARCENY	482
TOTAL:	584





WESTERN LOUDOUN PART I & II CRIME STATS



[Includes 700]

WESTERN LOUDOUN CRIME STATS PART I – 1st qtr 2015 vs 1st q 2016

CRIME TYPE	2015	2016	CHANGE 2015 vs 2016	% Inc / Decr
Aggravated Assault	2	3	+1	+50%
Auto Theft	2	4	+2	+100%
Burglary	4	7	+3	+75%
Larceny	27	43	+16	+59.26%
Rape	1	3	+2	+200%
Robbery	4	0	-4	-100%
Homicide	0	0	0	0

WESTERN LOUDOUN CRIME STATS PART II – 1st qtr 2015 vs 1st q 2016

CRIME TYPE	2015	2016	CHANGE 2015 vs 2015	% Inc / Decr
Destruction of Property	28	22	-6	-21.43%
DIP	5	5	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	0	3	+3	--
DUI	16	19	+3	+18.75%
Liquor Violation	1	2	+1	+100%
Narcotics Related	19	20	+1	+5.26%
Runaway	5	3	-2	-40%
Sex Assault	3	0	-3	-100%
Simple Assault	24	23	-1	-4.17%
Weapons Violation	1	3	+2	+200%





WLS Significant Incidents



AUTO TAMPERINGS LARCENY



Kevin Heffern
Brunswick, MD
DOB: 09/14/1993



Ryan Menefee
Lovettsville, VA
DOB: 12/03/1996

During the month of February 2016, there was a series of larcenies from vehicles in the Lovettsville area resulting in approximately a dozen incidents. Subsequently, the suspects were observed attempting to use credit cards belonging to some of the victims at the Sheetz in Brunswick, MD. Suspect identities were obtained from surveillance video. The suspects were interviewed and provided full confessions. Arrest warrants were obtained, and the subjects will have a Preliminary Hearing on May 16th.
Property belonging to the victims has been recovered.





WLS Significant Incidents



GRAND LARCENY

PURCELLVILLE GRAND LARCENY CASE TURNED OVER TO LCSO DETECTIVES

85 year old victim had a known male subject (approx. 35 yo) and an unknown subject show up at his residence in Purcellville.

- Known subject asked to use the bathroom.
- Both subjects then left the residence.
- The victim noticed the known subject exiting with his small safe under his jacket.
- Safe and wallet missing. Approximate loss \$2,000
- PPD called to scene. LCSO ID Tech processed scene. Case turned over to LCSO detective.
- Detective interviewed the known subject (suspect) who denied ever being at victim's residence.
- DNA swab from closet door sent to the lab.
- DNA result was positive for the known subject due to his DNA already being in the database.
- Search warrant obtained by detective for a current swab of suspect to be compared to evidence.
- Lab concluded that it was a positive match.
- Charges of Grand Larceny obtained for the known subject.





Traffic Calming Solutions



WHAT IS TRAFFIC CALMING?

- ★ Traffic calming is the slowing of motorists on residential streets using physical and non-physical measures without restricting access.
- ★ Traffic calming is a community initiative, in that addressing speeding on one street will likely push the problem to adjacent streets, resulting in other streets within the community being affected.





Traffic Calming Solutions

TRAFFIC CALMING SOLUTIONS INCLUDE:

Enforcement Solutions

- Deputy Presence
- Physical Measures such as Speed Humps, Roundabouts



Education Solutions

- ★ Sign/Message Boards alert motorists regarding:
 - Events in the area
 - Hazards on or about the roadway
 - Speed enforcement
- ★ Portable Speed Signs
 - Used for targeting known problem areas
 - Can be relocated for enforcement





CRISIS INTERVENTION



**Loudoun County's first Crisis Intervention Team [CIT]
Assessment Center opened October 1st
Shenandoah Building in Leesburg
102 Heritage Way, N.E.
Open Daily 7 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.**

- Funded through a grant by the VA Dept. of Behavioral & Developmental Services
- An ongoing collaboration between Loudoun County Mental Health, Substance Abuse & Development Services, LCSO, and other local PDs and mental health agencies
- To provide a comprehensive point of access and assessment to individuals experiencing a psychiatric emergency
- Will increase access to evaluations during the time of crisis
- Will minimize the time law enforcement is pulled from patrol and community policing duties
- 190+ law enforcement officers in Loudoun have been CIT trained
- Since 2012, LCSO deputies have assisted 1,700+ persons suffering a behavioral crisis





Mail Theft & Check Fraud



THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY, THERE HAS BEEN A RECENT INCREASE IN MAIL THEFT RESULTING IN CHECK FRAUD.

- ❖ Thieves are targeting residential mailboxes and taking outgoing mail in hopes of finding checks
- ❖ The amount on the checks is then altered and cashed at banks
- ❖ Reports have also been received of local residents having their checks altered and cashed in other parts of the nation

HELPFUL TIPS TO PROTECT YOURSELF INCLUDE:

- ❖ Place outgoing mail in an official USPS collection box or drop off at a US Post Office
- ❖ Purchase a USPS approved locking mailbox to protect incoming mail
- ❖ Make payments online when possible, being mindful of online security measures
- ❖ Utilize electronic draft payment options for routine payments
- ❖ Try to retrieve your mail shortly after it has been delivered

Report Suspicious Activity immediately by calling 703-777-1021





Community Notes



OPEN BURNING PROHIBITED WITHIN LOUDOUN COUNTY

May 1 – Sept. 30

Examples of open burning are:

- ❌ Open air fires of leaves, brush, yard & garden waste
- ❌ Open air fires used for agricultural clearing
- ❌ Bonfires no more than 5' in diameter by 5' in height
- ❌ Warming barrels or burn barrels
- ❌ The ONLY allowable open burning are campfires.
- ❌ Campfires can be no larger than 3' diameter by 2' height, and used for cooking purposes only
- ❌ NO CLOSER than 50' from a structure.
- ❌ Must be attended by a competent person 18 years of age or older, AT ALL TIMES, with provisions for control available.
- ❌ Portable fire pits and chimineas are allowed and not considered open burning if operated within manufacturer's specifications.



On a year round basis, open burning (to include campfires) is ALWAYS PROHIBITED in the town limits of Leesburg, Lovettsville, Middleburg, Purcellville, Round Hill, and subdivisions throughout the county.





PROJECT CHILDSAFE

VA CODE § 18.2-56.2. ALLOWING ACCESS TO FIREARMS BY CHILDREN; PENALTY.

IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL:

- To recklessly leave a loaded, unsecured firearm that endangers the life or limb of any child under the age of fourteen (14) [Class 3 misdemeanor].
- To allow a child under the age of twelve (12) to use a firearm except when the child is under the supervision of an adult [Class 1 misdemeanor].

“Adult” means: parent, guardian, *loco parentis* to the child, or a person 21 years or over who has permission from either of the three to supervise the child using a firearm.



PROJECT CHILDSAFE





REMINDERS



- Lock personal vehicles! Did you know that more vehicles are entered through unlocked doors than by force?
- Secure valuables in vehicle trunk (i.e. not in plain view)
- Close AND **LOCK** residential garages, doors, and outbuildings
- Safely secure all firearms

LCSO NON-EMERGENCY NUMBER:

(703) 777-1021

