



VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

December 11, 2015

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from December 04, 2015 – December 10, 2015. Readers are reminded that an “arrest” is based upon probable cause and does not always mean that someone was physically taken into custody. Furthermore, it does not mean that an individual is automatically guilty of a crime. Judicial outcomes and post-arrest proceedings can be researched through the appropriate court’s website.

(VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS is not meant to be a listing of every incident or call handled by the Vienna Police, but merely a more substantive summary of several incidents, which may be of interest to the community. Some reports may be outside the date parameters due to extended investigations or other circumstances. Some cases are not included at all due to ongoing investigations. Please contact MPO Gary Lose for further information at Gary.Lose@Viennava.gov)

INCIDENTS

Suspicious Event 15-011906

400 Block Plum Street, SW

Between August 01, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. and December 07, 2015 at 3:13 p.m.

A resident reported she had been having issues with a former co-worker since 2012. She stated she contacted her employer about the issues and was advised to contact the Vienna Police Department in the event he attempts to make contact with her.

Civil Matter 15-011937

Anytime Fitness

111 Church Street, NW

Between November 10 at 9:00 a.m. and December 08 at 11:49 a.m.

An employee reported a former client had been causing him to lose business. He was seeking to pursue charges for slander against the man.

Officer Lyons informed him this was a civil matter.

Fraud 15-011789

Giant Food Store

359 Maple Avenue, East

December 02 between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.

A citizen responded to the Vienna Police Station to report someone had fraudulently used his credit card at the Giant Food Store. He was unsure how the person obtained the credit card information as it was still in his possession.

This case is being investigated.

Police Service 15-011760

The Bey Lounge

303 Mill Street, NE

December 03 11:40 a.m.

A resident reported they could hear loud music emerging from the area of the Bey Lounge. Officer Lyons responded to the resident's home and was able to faintly hear the music but not enough to warrant a violation of the Town of Vienna Noise Ordinance.

Sgt. Elias responded to the Bey Lounge and spoke with the staff and was also unable to hear music loud enough to warrant a violation of the ordinance.

Fraud 15-011781

400 Block Blair Road, NW

December 03 4:22 p.m.

A resident reported someone, unknown to her, had changed the address and telephone number associated with one of her credit card accounts.

This case is being investigated.

Arrest – Warrant Service/ Narcotics Violation 15-011795, 15-011809

600 Block Orrin Street, SE

December 04 9:44 p.m.

MPO Smith received information that a town resident was wanted for a warrant obtained by the Fairfax County Police Department.

MPO Smith responded to the resident's home but was informed he was not home. While waiting in the area for the individual to return he observed two men walking past his police cruiser. The men were stopped and one was identified as the wanted individual. After further interaction with the men he located drug paraphernalia on the wanted individual and illegal narcotics on the second individual.

MPO Smith arrested the 46 year old man from Orrin Street, SE in Vienna and transported him to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with the warrant for the Probation Violation and Possession of Controlled Paraphernalia. He was held without bond.

The second individual, a 46 year old man from North Henderson Street in Overton, Texas, was also transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center and charged with two counts of Possession of a Schedule I, II Controlled Substance. He was held on an \$8,000.00 bond.

Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated/Narcotics Violation 15-011807

300 Block Maple Avenue, West

December 05 1:35 a.m.

Officer Hylinski was on patrol when he observed the driver of a vehicle commit several traffic violations. As a result of those violations he conducted a traffic stop. Upon his interaction with the driver he detected the signs of possible impairment. After failing to complete a series of field sobriety tests he arrested the 25 year old man from Addison Road in Fairfax, Virginia for Driving While Intoxicated. While preparing his vehicle to be towed he located a measurable amount of marijuana and other illegal narcotics.

He was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was given the opportunity to provide a sample of his breath for analysis. After the analysis he was charged with Driving While Intoxicated (2nd), Possession of a Schedule IV Controlled Substance and Possession of Marijuana.

He was to be held until he was sober.

Suspicious Event 15-011818

500 Block Alma Street, SE

December 05 10:40 a.m.

A resident reported she received a telephone message from an individual claiming to work for the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). He claimed she owed money to the IRS. The resident called the individual back and informed him she did not owe any money.

The caller hung up on her.

Suspicious Event 15-011819

Navy Federal Credit Union

820 Follin Lane, SE

December 05 12:22 p.m.

An employee reported a suspicious envelope had been delivered to the mailroom. The employee stated the envelope had a blue stain and smelled of either perfume or some other chemical.

Fairfax County Hazmat personnel were summoned and determined the envelope was safe and the odor was not giving off dangerous fumes. The envelope contained checks.

Police Service 15-011821

Vienna Police Station

215 Center Street, South

December 05 2:37 p.m.

A resident responded to the Vienna Police Station to turn in unwanted ammunition for destruction.

Animal Case 15-011836

The Hope Center

140 Park Street, SE

December 05 11:53 p.m.

An employee reported an unknown citizen had dropped off a tan Pit-Bull type dog that had been found wandering by Cunningham Park Elementary School.

The employee was able to determine the dog's name was "Big Mac" and attempted to contact his owners without success.

Big Mac was transported to the Fairfax County Animal Shelter where he will be held until he can be reunited with his owners.

Suspicious Event 15-011859

100 Block Harmony Drive, SE

December 06 11:51 a.m.

A resident reported a dark colored SUV pulled into her neighbor's driveway. The driver exited the vehicle, walked up to the door, then returned to his vehicle and left.

The resident felt this was suspicious and wanted the incident reported.

Arrest – Noise Violation 15-011860

600 Block Park Street, SE

December 06 1:21 p.m.

Officer Post responded to a residence for the report of construction being performed in violation of the Town of Vienna Noise Ordinance. Prior to arriving at the residence she was informed there had been several previous calls to this residence.

Officer Post spoke with the site manager and then issued him a summons for Violation of the Town of Vienna Noise Ordinance. He was released after signing his summons.

Domestic Dispute 15-011880

Manvell Road, SE

December 06 8:05 p.m.

A resident reported she and her husband became involved in a heated argument after he expressed his displeasure with the way she sliced the meat for dinner. She stated he threw the meat in her direction but it did not hit her. Her husband left the house prior to the arrival of Officer Hylinski.

She stated she did not wish to pursue charges at that time.

Found Property 15-011888

200 Block Cedar Lane, SE

December 06 11:51 p.m.

Officer Hylinski was on patrol in the Cedar Lane Shopping Center when he happened upon an unattended cellphone. The cellphone will be held at the Vienna Police Station until it can be reunited with its owner.

Arrest – Narcotics Violation 15-011890

Nutley Street at Roland Street, SW

December 07 3:02 a.m.

Officer Hylinski was on patrol when he observed a suspicious vehicle stopped on Roland Street, SW for an unusually long period of time. Officer Hylinski approached the vehicle and spoke with the driver who appeared to be impaired. After further interaction he located evidence of illegal drug use in the vehicle.

Officer Hylinski arrested the 31 year old woman from Shadow Lawn Court in Annandale, Virginia for Possession of Controlled Paraphernalia and Drunk in Public.

She was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where she was held on a \$2,000.00 bond.

Police Service 15-011903

300 Block Westview Court, NE

December 07 1:25 p.m.

A resident responded to the Vienna Police Station to report his daughter had violated the terms of a Protective Order, after she telephoned him and demanded he pay her money.

The resident did not wish to pursue charges at that time.

Open Door 15-011911

Clarity Restaurant

442 Maple Avenue, East

December 07 5:46 p.m.

MPO Nelson responded to the Clarity Restaurant in reference to an open door. Upon arriving he searched the business and found nothing appeared to be out of place.

An employee was contacted and responded to secure the door.

Narcotics Violation 15-011938

The Cedar Lane School

101 Cedar Lane, SW

December 08 2:00 p.m.

An employee reported finding a student in the boy's room in possession of suspected marijuana. Officer Lyons responded and took possession of the marijuana. The student's parents were contacted and responded to the school to take their son home.

This case is being investigated.

Domestic Dispute 15-011944

Ross Drive, SW

December 08 7:07 p.m.

A resident reported he and his wife had become involved in a heated argument that escalated when she began to throw items in the kitchen.

MPO Lyons responded and after speaking with both the husband and wife he determined no physical altercation had occurred.

The wife agreed to stay in a separate area of the home for the evening to allow for a cooling off period.

Fraud 15-012015

300 Block Westview Court, NE

Between December 09 at 10:00 a.m. and December 10 at 11:27 a.m.

A resident reported he received a telephone call from an individual claiming to work for the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). The caller informed the resident he owed money for a past tax return that had been filed improperly. After sending the caller an undetermined amount of money, the resident became suspicious and contacted the police department.

Officer Post responded and informed the resident to discontinue any contact with the caller.

This case is being investigated.

Telephone Case 15-011970

200 Block Yeonas Drive, SW

December 09 12:30 p.m.

A resident reported she received a telephone message from an individual claiming she would be arrested on Federal Charges if she did not return the telephone call. The resident, believing this to be a scam, did not return the call.

Grand Larceny 15-012013

Dominion Road at Ayr Hill Avenue, NE

Between December 09 at 2:00 p.m. and December 10 at 9:00 a.m.

An employee from County Transmission contacted the police department to report the window of a vehicle, parked in their parking lot, had been smashed out.

Officer Post responded and while investigating the incident the owner of the vehicle arrived and stated several items of personal property had been taken from the vehicle.

This case is being investigated.

Fraud 15-011997

300 Block Lawyers Road, NW

December 09 3:24 p.m.

A resident reported he contracted with an individual to purchase a Hoverboard on the social media site Instagram. He stated he sent the seller an undisclosed amount of money via Moneygram and has not yet received the Hoverboard.

He stated the seller had also blocked him from his Instagram account.

This case is being investigated.

Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated/Refusal/Narcotic Violation 15-012004

400 Block Maple Avenue, East

December 09 11:33 p.m.

MPO Smith was on patrol when he observed the driver of a vehicle commit a series of traffic violations. As a result of those violations he conducted a traffic stop. Upon his interaction with the driver he detected the signs of possible impairment. After failing to complete a series of field sobriety tests he arrested the 35 year old man from Berry Street, SE in Vienna for Driving While Intoxicated.

The driver was transported to the Vienna Police Station where he was given the opportunity to provide a sample of his breath for analysis. After several failed attempts he was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center. While being searched at the detention center a measurable amount of marijuana was located on his person.

He was charged with Driving While Intoxicated, Refusal to Submit to a Breath Test and Possession of Marijuana. He was to be held until he was sober.

Natural Death 15-012011

2800 Block Hunter Road, SW

December 10 9:23 a.m.

A resident reported her husband had passed away after suffering from an extended illness.

A Detective will follow up with this case.

CRASHES

Maple Avenue near Courthouse Road, SW 15-011774

December 04 12:45 p.m.

The driver of a vehicle was attempting to maneuver through a parking lot and struck a legally parked vehicle.

Cottage Street at Kingsley Road, SW 15-011891

December 07 7:27 a.m.

The driver of the first vehicle was traveling westbound on Kingsley Road and stopped for the Stop Sign at Cottage Street, SW. The driver of the second vehicle was traveling southbound on Cottage Street and stopped for the Stop Sign at Kingsley Road, SW.

The driver of the second vehicle entered the intersection before the first vehicle had cleared and a collision occurred.

The driver of the second vehicle was issued a summons for Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

Maple Avenue, SE near W&OD Bike Trail 15-011934

December 08 10:30 a.m.

The drivers of two vehicles were traveling eastbound on Maple Avenue, SE in the same lane of travel. The driver of the first vehicle stopped for the red traffic signal at the W&OD Trail and was rear-ended by the second vehicle.

The driver of the second vehicle was issued a summons for Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

100 Block Park Street, SE 15-011994

December 09 6:03 p.m.

The driver of the first vehicle was traveling southbound on Park Street, SE. The driver of the second vehicle exited a parking lot onto Park Street and struck the first vehicle.

1200 Block Aponi Road, SE 15-012012

December 10 9:23 a.m.

The operator of a moped was traveling south on Aponi Road, SE when his helmet visor fogged up causing him to collide with a legally parked vehicle.

CASE UPDATES

None.

Media Releases

None.

CITIZEN NOTES

The Town of Vienna is again working with the Fairfax County Motor Squad and other local police departments on the Annual Santa's Ride for Children.

Please Donate **NEW unwrapped toys, games, books and gifts to be distributed to children at Fairfax Hospital, Georgetown Lombardi Cancer Center and to those children in the community who might not otherwise have a cheerful holiday season!**

We Need Your Help!

All items may be delivered to the Vienna Police Station, 215 Center Street, South, Vienna, Va 22180

PLEASE DELIVER

NO LATER THAN MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2015 BY 9:00 A.M.

SCAM ALERT

*Recently there have been reports of callers claiming to be employees of the IRS. The callers claim the resident has either committed tax fraud or had improperly filed previous tax returns. The caller informs the resident to send a Western Union payment or purchase a prepaid debit card, for payment, or the resident will be arrested. **This type of call is a scam. Never send a payment unless you have verified the validity of the caller.***

Interested in becoming a Vienna police officer?

Consider joining one of the premier law enforcement agencies in Northern Virginia. The Town of Vienna Police Department offers a competitive salary and excellent benefits.

For application information please call 703-255-6350 or visit:

Citizens are reminded to PLEASE call and report suspicious activity. Even if you choose not to provide your name or other personal information, we still need your help as extra eyes and ears in the community.

**See or Hear Something? Say Something!
We WANT to be Bothered! Call 9-1-1.**

Please contact MPO Gary Lose for further information on any of these cases at Gary.Lose@Viennava.gov or 703-255-6396.