



#5 DISTRICT NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NEWSLETTER

PREVENTING THEFT FROM VEHICLES

- Always roll up all windows, lock the doors and take the key with you while your car is parked.
- **Never leave your vehicle unattended while it is running.**
- If you have the option, always park your car inside a garage, locking both the garage and car doors.
- **Never leave your car keys in plain sight or in an easily- accessible area.**
- Keep your vehicle registration certificate and proof of insurance with you at all times.
- **Don't leave important documents in your glove compartment or on a seat.**
- If possible, park your vehicle in a well-lit area.
- **Never leave valuable objects or packages inside the vehicle - put them in the trunk or take them with you.**

Lock It Or Lose It
Crime Prevention Month

For more crime prevention tips visit yrp.ca

As the winter months are near residents are reminded that thefts typically occur when vehicles are left unattended and unlocked for long periods of time, such as in residential driveways, commuter lots and parking lots of businesses.

PROJECT DOUBLE DOWN

Project Double Down – was launched into underground casinos scattered across the City of Markham. To date 5 District officers in partnership with and Guns, Gangs & Drug Enforcement officers have executed 13 warrants, with over 150 arrests, 170 Criminal charges, 554 Provincial charges, and almost \$1,400,000 in cash and property seized.

9-1-1 IS FOR EMERGENCIES

If you are in crisis, or know someone who is, there is help available. In emergencies, always call 9-1-1. For individuals who are experiencing a mental health crisis, and their family or friends, York Support Services Network offers the Community Crisis Response Service, or 1-855-310-COPE (2673).

If you are the victim of a crime including domestic, elder or sexual abuse or when observing any suspicious vehicles, people or activities call us at 1-866-876-5423. Do not engage in following the suspects or their vehicles. When safe to do so, try to obtain vehicle licence plates, make and model of the vehicle.

Please contact the 5 District property investigators tip line by telephone or email with any information regarding suspicious vehicles, persons or activities you have observed that has not been reported previously.

- Tip line: 1-866-876-5423 ext. 7575
- Email: B&E5D@yrp.ca

MARKHAM CRIME MAP ONLINE

Visit www.yrp.ca for further crime prevention tips and to view our crime map for up to date information.



VIDEO CAMERA REGISTRY (VCR PROGRAM)

The Security Camera Registry gives members of the community the option to let York Regional Police know they have installed residential or commercial security cameras which may assist police if a crime occurs in that area/community. The registry does not grant police direct access to your cameras--officers must still seek permission to view and use footage.

We need your help. Sign up for the Security Camera Registry today. This program can be easily accessed on our Website yrp.ca/RegisterMyCam.

PERSON CRIME

July 1 2020 to October 31 2020

Total number of arrests and criminal charges laid by #5 Criminal Investigations Bureau Persons Crime

- # of Arrests: 182
- # of Charges: 455

PROPERTY CRIME

July 1 2020 to October 31 2020

Total number of arrests and criminal charges laid by #5 Criminal Investigations Bureau Property Unit

- # of Arrests: 53
- # of Charges: 235

ARRESTS FOR MAIN ST. UNION VILLE BREAK- INS

Two men were arrested for a series of Commercial break ins that occurred in Unionville that along Main Street. Both Men face a total of 40 charges

RESIDENTIAL BREAK AND ENTER ARRESTS

Homeowners in a residence in the area of 9th line and 16th Avenue were alarmed as suspects entered their house. They called police and barricaded themselves in the second floor bathroom. Police arrived and both suspects were arrested with a total of 8 charges.

5 DISTRICT COMMERCIAL BREAK-INS

- Jan 1, 2019 to Oct 31, 2019: 131
- Jan 1, 2020 to Oct 31, 2020: 91

5 DISTRICT RESIDENTIAL BREAK-INS

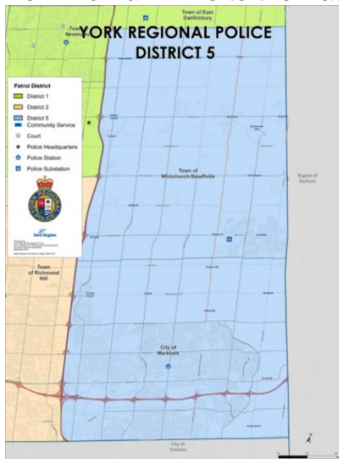
- Jan 1, 2019 to Oct 31, 2019: 373
- Jan 1, 2020 to Oct 31, 2020: 229

5 DISTRICT WEAPON RELATED INCIDENTS

- Jan 1, 2019 to Oct 31, 2019: 92
- Jan 1, 2020 to Oct 31, 2020: 74

YORK REGIONAL POLICE BOUNDARIES FOR #5 DISTRICT ARE:

- Davis Dr. to the North
- Steeles Ave E. to the South
- Highway 404 to the West
- York Durham Line to the East



STOUFFVILLE STUNT DRIVING

From July 1st 2020 to October 31st, 2020 Stouffville officers charged 34 people with 68 stunt driving related charges and suspended their licences and seized their cars for seven days

MARKHAM STUNT DRIVING

From July 1st 2020 to October 31st, 2020 Stouffville officers charged 32 people with 64 stunt driving related charges and suspended their licenses and seized their cars for seven days

(EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND CIVIL PROTECTION ACT) EMACT TICKETS

In 2020 there have been 65 EMACT tickets issued in 5 District

EMACT QUARANTINE CHECKS

- 25 total checks completed so far
- 99% compliance rate
- No charges to date