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# DAILY INCIDENT REPORT

October 24, 2025

## Updates

**Officer-Involved Shooting Investigation *INVESTIGATIVE UPDATE –** The independent review into the fatal officer-involved shooting that occurred on July 17, 2025, in the area of Garza Way and Potomac Mills Cir. in the Woodbridge area of Prince William County involving members of the Prince William County Police Department has been completed. The criminal investigation surrounding the incident was conducted by the regional Critical Incident Response Team (CIRT) which is comprised of investigators from multiple law enforcement agencies in the Northern Virginia area. The completed investigation was presented by CIRT to the Honorable Amy Ashworth who is the Commonwealth's Attorney for Prince William County. After a thorough evaluation, Amy Ashworth determined that no charges will be sought against the officer involved**.** The investigation will now proceed with a separate, internal administrative review of the incident by the Prince William County Police Department's Office of Professional Standards. The Prince William County Police Department's Use of Deadly Force Review Board will then conduct a final review to determine if the shooting was justified and within policy.

***Identified:***

The deceased was identified as Harrison Charles **DEPPE**, 52, of Woodbridge

*Please see the next page for additional information previously released regarding this incident.*

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## Updates, *continued*

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**Officer-Involved Shooting Investigation [Previously Released] –** On July 17 at approximately 2:45PM, officers located an individual in the area of Garza Way and Potomac Mill Cir in Woodbridge (22192) who was wanted in connection to a brandishing that had occurred the day prior. In the earlier incident, the suspect reportedly brandished a firearm towards an unknown victim who was walking along Colchester Rd in Woodbridge during an unprovoked encounter. No injuries were reported, and the suspect left the area in a vehicle. Law enforcement had been attempting to locate the suspect since that incident, and the same man was reportedly involved in a separate similar encounter today on Birchdale Ave. While searching for the suspect, officers ultimately located him parked in a vehicle in the roadway on Potomac Mills Cir which circles the Potomac Mills shopping complex. Officers attempted to negotiate with the man for multiple hours for a peaceful surrender. At one point, officers surrounded the suspect's vehicle to take him into custody. The suspect then exited the vehicle and began running towards the mall, armed with a crossbow, when he was shot and killed by police. No officers or uninvolved community members were injured during the encounter. The deceased was identified as a 52-year-old man of the Woodbridge area. The incident is contained and isolated to the roadway. There is no active threat to the community at this time. The Prince William County Police Department, at the request of Chief Peter Newsham, has requested the regional Critical Incident Response Team (CIRT) to oversee the investigation as an independent body. More information will be released when available.

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## Incidents

**Reckless Handling of a Firearm –** On October 23 at 6:02PM, officers responded to the area of Oakwood Dr and Dulcinea Pl in Woodbridge (22192) to investigate a destruction of property. The investigation revealed sometime between 3:30PM and 4:30PM, an unoccupied vehicle parked on the street in the above area was struck by a projectile, believed to be a bullet, which shattered the rear window. No other evidence was located, and no injuries or other property damage were reported.

**Reckless Handling of a Firearm –** On October 23 at 6:55AM, officers responded to the Potomac Ridge Apartments located in the 2800 block of Woodmark Dr in Woodbridge (22191) to investigate a destruction of property. The investigation revealed sometime overnight, an unoccupied vehicle parked in the parking lot was struck by bullets causing damage to the body of the vehicle. Officers located shell casings in the area. No injuries or other property damage were reported. The vehicle owner reported hearing several suspected gunshots around 10:00PM on October 22. Officers responded around 10:21PM that evening to a shots fired call in the area and were unable to locate anything at that time.

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