

Ward 5

Public Safety Call

with guests:



MPD 5D Commander
Shawn Rooney



MPD 5D Captain
David Augustine



MPD 4D Commander
Nikki Lavenhouse



MPD 3D Commander
Sean Connors

Zoom and YouTube | October 29, 2025 | 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

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Agenda



3:00 – 3:10

**Introduction and
Opening Remarks
(CM Parker)**

3:10 – 3:25

**MPD Third District
Updates and Q&A
(Cmdr Connors)**

3:25 – 3:40

**MPD Fourth District
Updates and Q&A
(Cmdr Lavenhouse)**

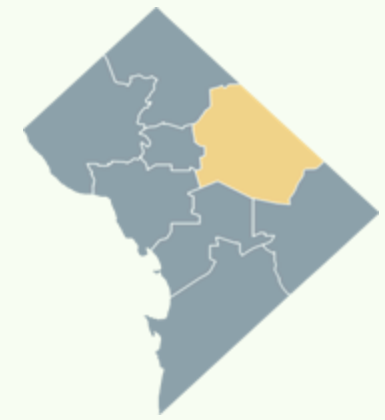
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**MPD Fifth District
Updates and Q&A
(Cmdr Rooney)**

4:00 – 4:15

**Council Updates
and Closing Remarks
(Oliver Stoute – CM Parker's Office)**

Honoring Frances Penn

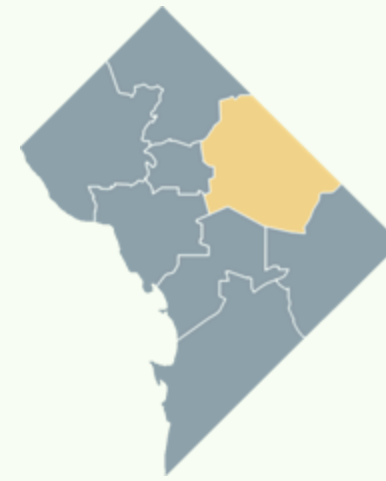


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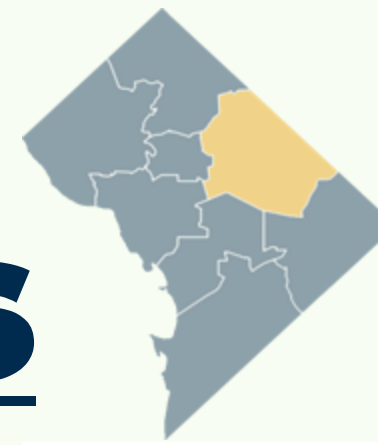
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Federal Impacts



- **Surge of federal officers**
 - "Emergency" has expired
 - Federal agents, including the National Guard, remain in DC
- **SNAP benefits**
 - Due to federal government shutdown and federal administration refusal to issue payments, SNAP recipients are currently set to not receive their benefits starting Saturday (November 1)
 - Happening at a time when we know food insecurity is on the rise (Capital Area Food Bank's 2025 Hunger Report)
- **LIHEAP, ERAP, and other assistance programs are extremely limited**
 - The result of lower funding levels, processing delays, and federal government actions that limit our local ability to provide assistance

Ward 5 Updates



Declines in Crime Continue

2024 saw historic declines in crime, and we continue to build on that work with an additional 15% drop in violent crime YTD in 2025.

We know there is still more work to do.

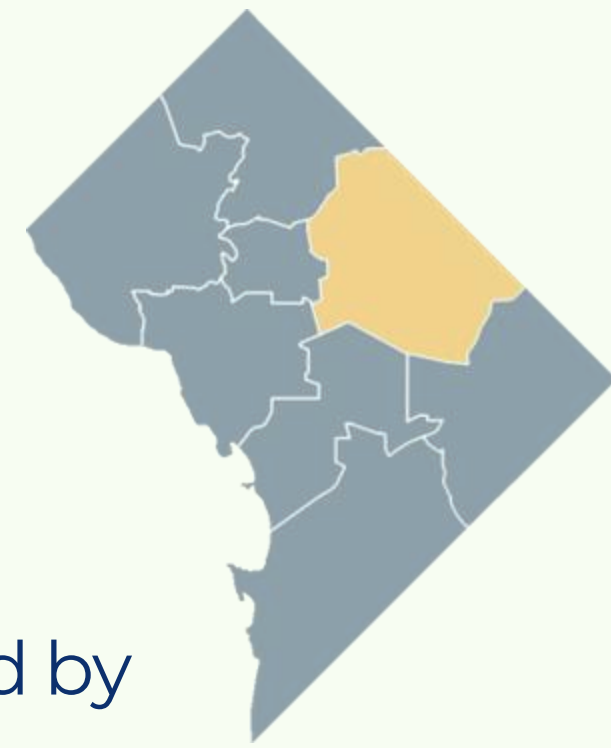
In recent months, we have been focused on addressing:

- **Robberies**
 - October 20, 11:00 p.m. in 1200 block of Newton St NE.
- **Shootings across Ward 5**
 - Map available [here](#) (and later in slides)
- **Burglaries and Motor Vehicle Thefts**

Totals **In Ward 5 as of 10/29/25**

	Previous Period	Search Dates
Total Crime	4,082	3,474 ↓
All Violent Crime	463	345 ↓
🔪 Homicide	21	14 ↓
👤 Sex Abuse	15	14 ↓
🔫 Assault w/Dangerous Weapon	119	95 ↓
👮 Robbery	308	222 ↓
All Property Crime	3,619	3,129 ↓
🏠 Burglary	157	106 ↓
💰 Theft f/Auto	1,166	982 ↓
👛 Theft/Other	1,325	1,214 ↓
🚗 Motor Vehicle Theft	971	825 ↓
🔥 Arson	0	2 ↑

Committee on Youth Affairs



Juvenile Curfew Extension Public Hearing

- Tomorrow, October 30 in the Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety (chaired by Ward 2 Councilmember Brooke Pinto)

The C.A.R.E. for Youth Plan – 16-bill policy package

- *Coordinating Assistance, Rehabilitation, and Empowerment for Youth Plan*
- Learn more at **ward5.us/careforyouth**
- Share your thoughts and get involved at **ward5.us/dcyouth**

Upcoming Hearings on *CARE for Youth* legislation

- November 13, 9:30 a.m.
- November 19, 10:00 a.m.
- December 4, 9:00 a.m.
- Sign up to testify or submit written testimony at **dccouncil.gov/hearings**

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Third District Crime Briefing Report

Commander Sean Connors



Highlights, Vulnerabilities, Issues

Third DISTRICT – Wednesday, October 22, 2025

Crime Update

Robberies

- Down -41% YTD

Homicides

- Down - 29% YTD

ADW's

- Down - 9% YTD

Burglaries

- Down - 34% YTD

Motor Vehicle Theft

- Down - 22% YTD

Major Ward Issues

Narcotic Sales

Retail Theft

Traffic

Motor Vehicle Thefts

New Initiatives

MPD Co-Response Team

Business Outreach

Park Walk and Talks

3D Haunted House

Positive Impacts

Total Violent Crime: -33% YTD

Total Property Crime: -15% YTD

Total Crime: -18% YTD

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Fourth District

Crime Briefing Report

Commander Nikki Lavenhouse



4th District-Crime Stats

PSAs: 405 and 406

		Last 30 Days			YTD		
		2024-09-29 to 2024-10-28	2025-09-29 to 2025-10-28		2024-01-01 to 2024-10-28	2025-01-01 to 2025-10-28	
Violent	Homicide				2	1	-50%
	Sex Abuse	1	1	0%	4	5	25%
	ADW	1	1	0%	16	12	-25%
	Robbery	6	3	-50%	40	30	-25%
	Total	8	5	-38%	62	48	-23%
Property	Burglary	2	1	-50%	23	18	-22%
	MVT	12	4	-67%	146	192	32%
	TFA	26	16	-38%	247	229	-7%
	Theft	28	14	-50%	172	170	-1%
	Arson						
	Total	68	35	-49%	588	609	4%
Grand Total		76	40	-47%	650	657	1%

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4th District in the Community

- Haunted Campground
 - October 30th at 5pm – 8pm
 - 4th District Station



PLEASE JOIN US
for your 4th District
Sector Public Safety Meeting

Sector 1 — Every **second Thursday** at 7 pm
Sector 2 — Every **second Tuesday** at 6 pm
Sector 3 — Every **third Wednesday** at 6 pm

To join the virtual meeting,
scan the QR code or visit:
bit.ly/4DSafetyMeeting



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Fifth District

Crime Briefing Report

Commander Shawn Rooney
Captain David Augustine



HIGHLIGHTS, VULNERABILITIES, ISSUES

5th DISTRICT – Wednesday, October 29, 2025

Major Challenges

Robberies and Carjackings

- Robberies and Carjackings -28 % decrease YTD

Motor Vehicle Thefts (MVT)

- MVT - 15 % decrease YTD

Homicides

- Down - 34% YTD

ADW's

- Down - 21 % YTD

Juvenile Crimes / Lime Green Bikes

Major Ward Issues

Violent crime

Narcotic Sales / Loitering

Residential Burglaries

Motor Vehicle Thefts & Vehicle Related Crimes (MVT -15% & TFA -16%)

Retail Theft

New Initiatives

Traffic Initiatives

Mountain Bike & Foot beat Officers

Metro & National Guard

Peaceful Neighborhood Initiative

Positive Impacts

ADWs down -21% YTD

Theft down -9% YTD

Burglaries down -33% YTD (April 30th +71%)

Total Violent Crime: -15% YTD



MPD Safety Tips

Beats Headphones
or headphones of similar value

Airpods Headphones
or headphones of similar value

MPD is observing an increase in robbery suspects targeting headphones. MPD reminds the community to remain aware of their surroundings, especially while running or jogging! For emergencies, call 911.

VEHICLE THEFT PREVENTION MONTH

Left your car running?
Don't give thieves
a free ride!

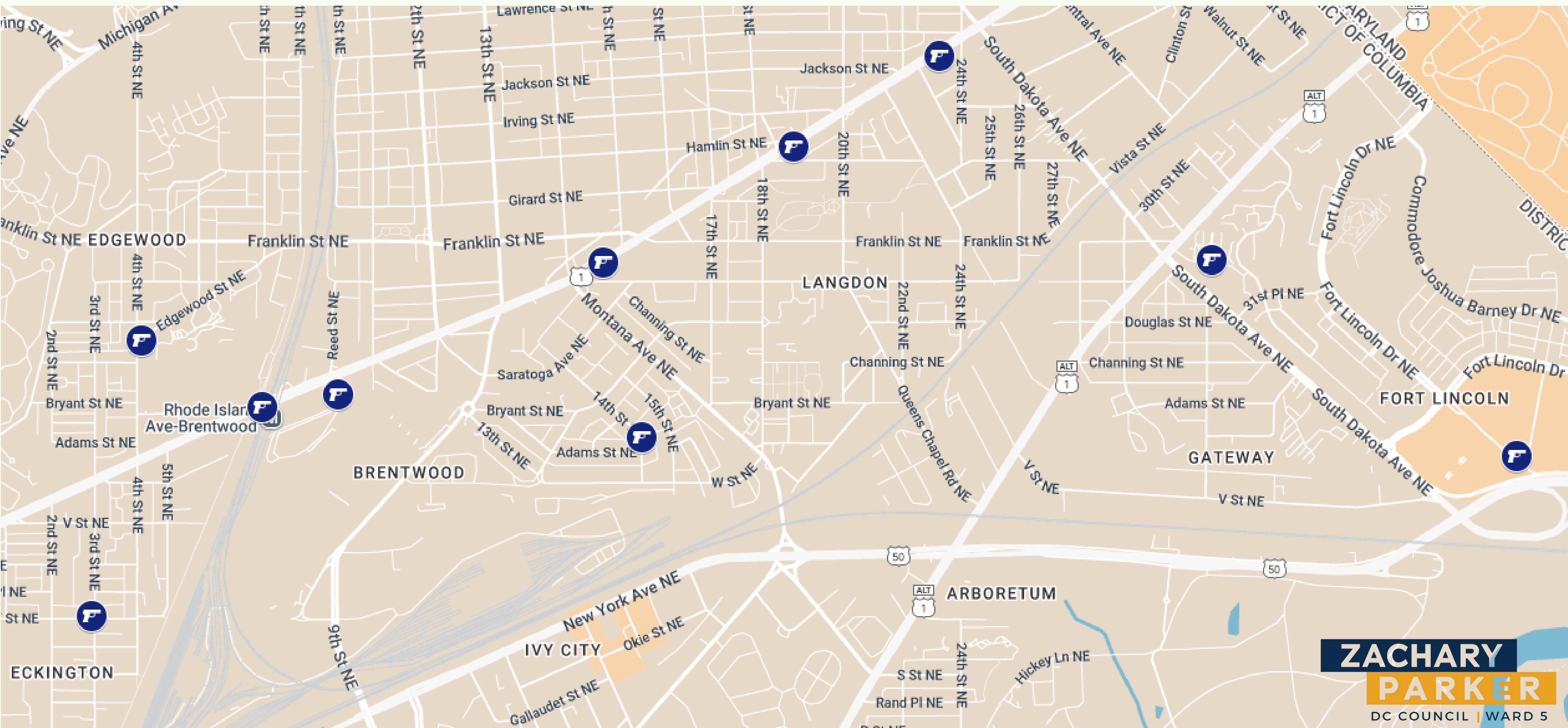
- ✓ Turn It Off.
- ✓ Lock It Up.
- ✓ Take Your Keys.

The Fifth District Community Outreach offers Safety Awareness classes.
Contact 5D.Communityoutreach@dc.gov

- Anonymous Tip Line:
202-727-9099
- Text Tips: 50411
- Crime Solvers Tip Line: 1-
800-673-2777

Trend of Shootings Along Rhode Island Ave Corridor

Visit [*ward5.us/pscmap*](http://ward5.us/pscmap) to click on each incident for more details.



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