



MONROVIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

# NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH REPORT



## Highlighted Activity for October 10 – 16, 2024

During the last seven-day period, the Police Department handled 505 service events, resulting in 85 investigations. To see a list of crimes reported, go to <http://www.crimemapping.com/map/ca/monrovia> for crime mapping. For Police Department news and information, visit our website and follow us on Twitter, Facebook, Instagram or Nextdoor.

### **Warrant Arrest – Suspect Arrested**

October 10 at 10:03 a.m., officers were dispatched to a business in the 800 block of W. Huntington in regarding a disturbing subject. Offices arrived and made contact with the subject. A computer search revealed he had a warrant for his arrest. He was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Shoplifting – Suspect Arrested**

October 10 at 2:28 p.m., an employee from a business in the 500 block of W. Huntington reported left the business with a bag full of stolen merchandise. Officers arrived and located the subject a short distance away. The stolen merchandise was returned to the business. The subject was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Traffic Offense – Suspect Arrested**

October 10 at 11:49 p.m., an officer patrolling the area of Palm and Primrose saw a motorist commit a vehicle code violation. The officer conducted a traffic stop and made contact with the driver. The driver displayed symptoms of intoxication. A DUI investigation revealed the driver was under the influence. The driver was arrested and transported to the MPD jail to be held for a sobering period.

### **Resist / Delay – Suspect Arrested**

October 11 at 1:30 a.m., while patrolling the 1500 block of S. Myrtle and officer saw a suspicious person loitering near a gas station. The officer made contact with the subject who refused to comply. The subject was arrested, cited and released at the scene.

### **Warrant Arrest – Suspect Arrested**

October 11 at 1:46 a.m., an officer patrolling the area of Cypress and California recognized a subject he knew from prior contacts and made contact with him. A computer check revealed he had several warrants for his arrest. He was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Grand Theft Auto Recovery**

October 11 at 10:30 a.m., an employee from a business in the 3300 block of S. Peck reported a vehicle they purchased had been reported stolen prior to purchasing the vehicle. This investigation is continuing.

### **Warrant – Suspect Arrested**

October 11 at 12:01 p.m., a hotel in the 900 block of S. Fifth called to report two renters who had been evicted the previous day were outside the property. Officers contacted them and determined that one of the subjects had a federal warrant for his arrest. The subject was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Grand Theft**

October 11 at 2:34 p.m., employees of a retail store in the 700 block of E. Huntington called to report a female subject in the process of stealing items. The female subject was gone prior to officers' arrival. This investigation is continuing.

### **Court Order Violation – Suspect Arrested**

October 11 at 7:53 p.m., a caller in the 400 block of W. Huntington reported that her daughter got in her vehicle, in violation of a court order. Officers arrived and made contact with the daughter. The daughter was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Driving Under the Influence – Suspect Arrested**

October 12 at 12:04 a.m., an officer patrolling the area of Lemon and Ivy saw a motorist commit a vehicle code violation. A traffic stop was conducted and the driver was contacted. The driver displayed symptoms of intoxication. A DUI investigation revealed the driver was under the influence. The driver was arrested and transported to the MPD jail to be held for a sobering period.

### **Traffic Collision / Driving Under the Influence**

October 12 at 1:12 a.m., several callers in the 100 block of S. Mountain reported a vehicle collided with a residence. Officers arrived and contacted the injured driver. The driver displayed symptoms of intoxication. The residents of the property were uninjured. The driver was transported to a hospital for treatment. This investigation is continuing.

### **Driving Under the Influence – Suspect Arrested**

October 12 at 3:06 a.m., an officer patrolling the area of Myrtle and Camino Real saw a motorist commit a vehicle code violation. A traffic stop was conducted and the driver was contacted. The driver displayed symptoms of intoxication. A DUI investigator revealed the driver was under the influence. The driver was arrested and transported to the MPD jail to be held for a sobering period.

### **Battery**

October 12 at 3:54 a.m., a resident in the 800 block of S. Canyon reported that he was battered by his ex-girlfriend. Officers arrived and made contact with the victim who stated that his ex-girlfriend battered him and her friend pepper sprayed him. The suspects were gone prior to officers' arrival. This investigation is continuing.

### **Drug Activity – Suspect Arrested**

October 12 at 5:02 a.m., a passerby in the area of Magnolia and Evergreen reported a woman walking on the sidewalk that was being followed by a man in a vehicle. Officers

arrived and made contact with both subjects. Both subjects were found to be in possession of drug paraphernalia. They were arrested, cited and released at the scene.

### **Grand Theft Auto Recovery**

October 12 at 8:23 a.m., an officer patrolling the area of Ivy and Lemon was alerted to a stolen vehicle in the area. The vehicle was located parked and unoccupied. This investigation is continuing.

### **Non-Injury Traffic Collision – Suspects Arrested**

October 12 at 3:06 p.m., a caller reported a single vehicle collision in the 500 block of W. foothill. Officers arrived and made contact with the occupants of the vehicle. No injuries were reported. The occupants were found to be in possession of drug paraphernalia. The occupants were arrested, cited, and released at the scene.

### **Driving Under the Influence – Suspect Arrested**

October 12 at 10:39 p.m., a passerby in the 400 block of W. Duarte reported a vehicle that he believed the driver was intoxicated. Officers arrived and contacted the driver who displayed symptoms of intoxication. A DUI investigation revealed the driver was under the influence. The driver was arrested and transported to the MPD jail to be held for a sobering period.

### **Warrant Arrest – Suspect Arrested**

October 13 at 11:39 a.m., an employee for a business in the 200 block of W. Pomona reported a male subject was refusing to leave the property. Officers arrived and made contact with the subject. A computer search revealed the he had multiple warrants for his arrest. He was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Mail theft – Suspect Arrested**

October 14 at 3:36 a.m., an officer conducted a traffic stop in the 1100 block of S. California for a vehicle code violation. An investigation revealed the driver was in possession of stolen mail and burglary tools. He was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Driving Under the Influence – Suspect Arrested**

October 14 at 4:34 p.m., officers were dispatched to 900 block of W. Foothill regarding a welfare check. A caller reported a female subject slumped behind the wheel of a vehicle. Officers arrived and made contact with the female subject who displayed symptoms of intoxication. A DUI investigation revealed she was under the influence. She was arrested and transported to the MPD jail to be held for a sobering period.

### **Commercial Burglary**

October 14 at 10:14 p.m., the owner of a business in the 800 block of W. Foothill reported a burglary in progress after hours. Officers arrived and determined that the subject was gone prior to officers' arrival. Property was taken. This investigation is continuing.

### **Fraud**

October 14 at 11:31 p.m., a caller in the 100 block of W. Huntington reported a subject at a hotel who had used his credit card to book a room. This investigation is continuing.

### **Drug Activity – Suspect Arrested**

October 15 at 2:27 a.m., an officer conducted a traffic stop on a bicyclist in the area of Mayflower and Huntington for a traffic violation. An investigation revealed the bicyclist was in possession of drug paraphernalia. He was arrested, cited and released in the field.

### **Grand Theft Auto**

October 15 at 4:23 a.m., a caller in the 1800 block of S. Myrtle called to report his vehicle was stolen sometime between October 14 and October 15 from a parking lot. This investigation is continuing.

### **Warrant Arrest – Suspect Arrested**

October 15 at 8:14 a.m., a male subject walked into the MPD lobby to turn himself in. A computer search revealed he had a warrant for his arrest. He was arrested and taken into custody.

### **Grand Theft**

October 15 at 11:42 a.m., an employee from a store in the 600 block of S. Myrtle reported a subject left the store with a high end watch and did not pay for it. This investigation is continuing.

### **Shoplifting – Suspect Arrested**

October 15 at 12:36 p.m., a shoplifting incident was reported in the 600 block of W. Huntington. Officers arrived and learned that four subjects entered the store, concealed items, and fled without paying. Two of the subjects were located a short distance away. They were arrested and taken into custody.

### **Grand Theft**

October 15 at 1:07 p.m., a victim was walking in the area of Huntington and Alta Vista when a female subject approached him and began a conversation with him to distract him. She removed his necklace and attempted to flee with it, but instead broke it in the process. The female subject fled the scene. This investigation is continuing.

### **Petty Theft**

October 15 at 2:02 p.m., a caller in a store in the 700 block of E. Huntington reported a theft. An investigation revealed a male subject entered the store, took items, and left without paying. This investigation is continuing.

### **Petty Theft**

October 15 at 6:04 p.m., a victim in the 500 block of Fano reported someone stole property from his vehicle. The vehicle was unlocked and the front passenger window was left down. This investigation is continuing.

### **Vandalism**

October 15 at 8:11 p.m., a caller in the 700 block of E. Huntington reported that someone smashed the window to his vehicle. Nothing was stolen. This investigation is continuing.

### **Grand Theft Auto Recovery**

October 16 at 7:17 a.m., an officer was patrolling the area of 200 W. Pomona and an alert went off regarding a stolen vehicle. The officer checked the area and located the vehicle. It was recovered and taken out of the system as stolen.

### **Assault**

October 16 at 11:54 a.m., an officer patrolling the area of Myrtle and Walnut was flagged down. The officer made contact with the subject who reported that a several days prior a male subject walked up to him and struck him numerous times with a hammer and fled. This investigation is continuing.

### **Fraud**

October 16 at 12:24 p.m., a victim walked into the MPD lobby to report she was fraudulently made to believe that she be purchased a machine through social media, but the machine never arrived. The victim believes she was scammed. This investigation is continuing.

### **Grand Theft Auto**

October 16 at 12:35 p.m., a resident in the 100 block of W. Cypress reported his vehicle stolen. This investigation is continuing.

### **Theft**

October 16 at 2:03 p.m., a victim walked into the MPD lobby to report that her wallet was stolen from her purse while shopping at a store in the 700 block of E. Huntington. This investigation is continuing.

### **Vehicle Burglary**

October 16 at 3:15 p.m., a vehicle burglary was reported in a parking lot in the 1600 block of S. Mountain. This investigation is continuing.

### **Hit and Run Traffic Collision**

October 16 at 3:21 p.m., a business dispute was reported in the area of Primrose and Foothill. Officers arrived and made contact with the caller. An investigation revealed a subject was attempting to make a purchase with a bad credit card. An argument took place, the subject left the store and drove away. As the subject drove away he hit numerous parked vehicles and fled. This investigation is continuing.

### **Shoplifting**

October 16 at 6:11 p.m., officers responded to a business in the 700 block of E. Huntington regarding a shoplifting incident. A subject known to have stolen from the business in the past filled a shopping cart with merchandise and walked out of the store without paying. When loss prevention confronted the suspect, he left the shopping cart behind in the parking lot and fled. He was gone prior to officers' arrival.

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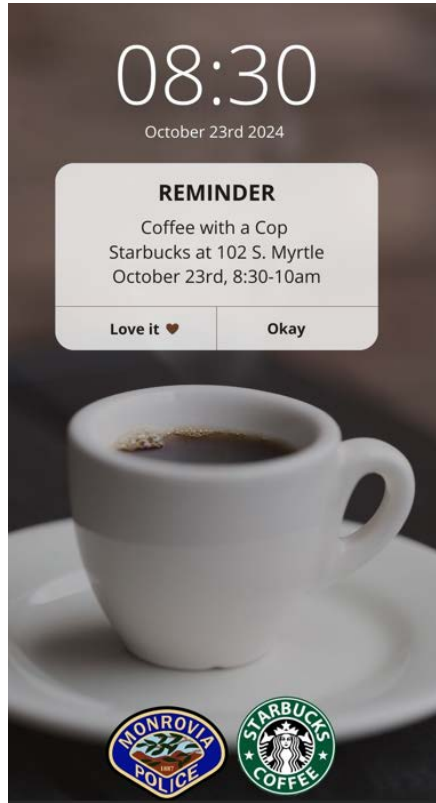
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*Instagram: @monroviapolicedepartment*

*Twitter: @MonroviaPolice*



## Coffee with a Cop



## Don't forget to enroll for the MPD Citizens Academy!



## *Citizens Academy*

The Monrovia Police Department Citizens Academy is an exciting, dynamic and informative 8-week program designed to provide participants with an interactive and comprehensive overview of the Monrovia Police Department. This program is **free** and open to all applicants that meet the following requirements:

- MUST RESIDE, WORK OR ATTEND SCHOOL IN THE CITY OF MONROVIA
- HAVE A CLEAN CRIMINAL BACKGROUND
- OPEN TO ADULTS 18 AND OVER
- BE ABLE TO ATTEND SESSIONS ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, BETWEEN 6 AND 8 PM

**ENROLLING**  
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Classes begin **February 5th, 2025**  
Contact us for an application

Monrovia PD -  
Community Policing Bureau

Officer Montes 626-256-8036



**Monrovia's Safe Schools Anti-Violence Reward – \$100 CASH**



SAFE schools \$100 anti-violence REWARD

Call 911 to report any threat of violence against our schools, whether on social media, online post, or anywhere. After an investigation, if an arrest is made you will receive a \$100 cash reward for helping our community stay safe.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE COMMUNITY ACTIVIST POLICING BUREAU AT 626-256-8020 or 626-256-8036

**Monrovia's Stop Graffiti Bounty \$100 CASH!!!**

One of the ways the City of Monrovia is combatting graffiti is through the Stop Graffiti Bounty. If someone reports an incident of graffiti in Monrovia that leads to the arrest of the suspect, the caller will receive \$100. Call the police if you see criminal activity, help keep Monrovia looking great!!!



**STOP GRAFFITI PROGRAM**

STEP 1 - See a criminal graffitiing and destroying property  
 STEP 2 - Call 9-1-1  
 STEP 3 - Suspect arrested and property protected

CALLER RECEIVES \$100 BILL FOR HELPING KEEP OUR COMMUNITY CLEAN AND SAFE!

**Contact Phone Numbers**

- For Emergencies Dial from your house or cellphone ..... 911
- Police Department Business Line .....(626) 256-8000
- Community Policing Officer .....(626) 256-8036
- Watch Commander .....(626) 256-8030
- Graffiti Removal Service..... (855) 557-1007
- Shopping Cart Removal Service .....(800) 252-4613

**The Pasadena Humane Society & SPCA provides animal control services for the City of Monrovia.**

- For EMERGENCY animal control issues call:
- Monrovia Police Department.....(626) 256-8000
- For Non-Emergency animal control issues call:
- Pasadena Humane Society & SPCA dispatch ..... (626) 792-7151, Ext. 108
- For Dog License, Spay & Neuter Services call:
- Pasadena Humane Society & SPCA.....(626) 792-7151
- Los Angeles Regional Crime Stoppers..... (800) 222-TIPS (8477)



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**CRIME STOPPERS**  
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