

**Howard County Police Department
Office of Public Affairs
Daily Crime Bulletin
Tuesday, November 19, 2019**

Robbery

Columbia, 21045: Dick's Sporting Goods, 6200 block of Columbia Crossing Circle, Nov. 18 7:33 p.m.
A store employee reported that two female suspects stole merchandise and displayed pepper spray at an employee before fleeing. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

Laurel, 20723: Pizza Hut, 9100 block of Maier Road, Nov. 18 9:40 p.m.
A store employee reported that two male suspects with their faces partially covered entered the business, displayed handguns, and stole the cash register drawer before fleeing. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECTS: two black males in their late teens with thin builds, one wearing a black jacket and black pants, the other wearing a blue jacket and black pants

Columbia, 21045: 9600 block of Basket Ring Road, Nov. 18 10:37 p.m.
An adult male victim reported that he was approached by three male suspects who assaulted him and stole his cell phone before fleeing. No serious injuries were reported. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECTS: three black males, two wearing black hoodies and the third wearing a red hoodie, no further description

Ellicott City, 21043: Walmart, 3200 block of North Ridge Road, Nov. 19 3:26 a.m.
A store employee reported that three male suspects stole merchandise. When confronted by the employee, one suspect implied a gun. The suspects fled. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECTS: three black males, one 6'0" wearing a gray jacket and red cap, the second wearing a blue jacket and black cap, no further description on the third suspect

Commercial burglary

Jessup, 20794: Forest Valley Tree & Turf, 7100 block of Montevideo Road, Nov. 16 9:54 p.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to a storage trailer by cutting the lock and to an office through a possibly unsecured window. Nothing was reported stolen.

Jessup, 20794: First Impression Hardscapes, 7100 block of Montevideo Road, Nov. 16-18
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to a mechanics garage by breaking the siding and stole tools. Police are investigating whether it is related to the burglary above.

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