

**Howard County Police Department  
Office of Public Affairs  
Daily Crime Bulletin  
Wednesday, May 6, 2020**

**Carjacking**

**Columbia, 21045:** 8700 block of Cloudleap Court, May 6 2:53 a.m.

A teenage male victim reported that two male suspects with their faces partially covered approached him as he was sitting in his vehicle, implied a weapon, and demanded he exit the vehicle. The victim complied and the suspects drove off in the vehicle, a 2005 blue Honda Pilot with tags MD/9BZ8981. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.

SUSPECTS: two teenage black males, one approximately 5'8"-5'9" with a thin build wearing a blue puffy jacket, the second approximately 5'5" with a thin build wearing black clothing

**Weapon/drug violation**

**Columbia, 21044:** Green Mountain Circle & May Wind Court, May 5 6 a.m.

Police responded for a single-vehicle collision and found the driver passed out in the vehicle. As they were attempting to check on his welfare, they located suspected marijuana in the vehicle.

Police also discovered the driver was in possession of a loaded handgun and arrested him.

ARRESTED: Elmer Buruca, 23, of Russell Avenue in Mt. Rainier, charged with weapon and drug violations

**Theft from vehicle/vehicle break-in**

**Columbia, 21044:** 5100 block of Harpers Farm Road, May 5, license

**Elkridge, 21075:** 7100 block of Troy Hill Drive, May 5, nothing reported stolen  
6000 block of Rock Glen Drive, May 6 4:28 a.m., cash, credit cards

**Vehicle theft**

**Elkridge, 21075:** 7700 block of Hearthside Way, May 5  
2002 yellow Honda CBR600 motorcycle

**Laurel, 20723:** 9800 block of Washington Boulevard, May 5  
Chrysler 300, SC tag

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