

**Howard County Police Department  
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**ARREST: Commercial burglary update**

Police have made an arrest in a June 9 burglary at the High Road Academy in the 9700 block of Washington Boulevard in Laurel. A suspect entered the school through a broken window and stole electronics. Through investigation, police identified a suspect and arrested him.

ARRESTED: Shannon Dee Austin, 45, of Ashford Boulevard in Laurel, charged with burglary and theft

**Residential burglary**

**Columbia, 21044:** 5400 block of Wooded Way, Aug. 17

Unknown suspect(s) entered the vacant residence through the rear door and stole a blanket. No forced entry was observed.

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

**Columbia, 21045:** 8900 block of McGaw Court, Aug. 17, catalytic converter

**Vehicle theft**

**Laurel, 20723:** 8800 block of Freestate Drive, Aug. 17  
2019 red Kia Soul

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