Commercial robbery
Jessup, 20794: Sleep Inn, 8100 block of Washington Boulevard, Nov. 21 9:45 a.m.
A suspect with his face partially covered entered the business, jumped the counter and stole cash from the register. An employee called police from a back room; however the suspect fled before officers arrived. No one was injured. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECT: black male, five feet ten inches to six feet tall with a medium build, wearing a black and gray hoodie, dark pants, black shoes

Robbery
Ellicott City, 21042: 4900 block of Dorsey Hall Drive, Nov. 21 3:52 p.m.
A teenage male victim reported he was standing outside his vehicle in a parking lot when three suspects approached, assaulted him and attempted to take his vehicle. A witness approached and the suspects fled. The victim was transported to Howard County General Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. The investigation is ongoing.
SUSPECTS: white male in his late teens, six feet tall with a thin build and short brown curly hair, wearing a gray hoodie and blue jeans; black male in his late teens, five feet six inches tall with a thin build and short hair, wearing a black fleece jacket; black male in his late teens, short, wearing a gray hoodie

Columbia, 21044: 11600 block of Little Patuxent Parkway, Nov. 21 9:54 p.m.
An adult male victim was sitting in his vehicle when a suspect approached, threatened him and demanded money. The victim called police, who located the suspect nearby. The suspect was arrested and assaulted three officers in the process. The officers were treated at Howard County General Hospital and have since been released.
ARRESTED: Ronald Alexander Land, 29, of Yellowrose Court in Columbia, charged with robbery and three counts of second-degree assault.

Commercial burglary
Columbia, 21046: Goldfish Swim School, 9300 block of Snowden River Parkway, Nov. 21 9:01 a.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the business through a possibly unsecured rear door and stole a safe and register.

Elkridge, 21075: Auto Fab, 7400 block of Washington Boulevard, Nov. 22 2:28 a.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the business by breaking a side door window and stole property.

Residential burglary
Ellicott City, 21043: 9000 block of Town and Country Boulevard, Nov. 21 5:00-6:30 p.m.
Unknown suspect(s) gained entry to the apartment through unknown means and stole electronics.

Vehicle theft
Ellicott City, 21043: 8300 block of Montgomery Run Road, Nov. 22 5:16 a.m.
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