

May 2018 Newsletter



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Sector 411 had a good cycle this month. We maintained 7 violent crimes, however one of those crimes was a homicide unfortunately. That homicide has been solved (see details on page 3). We went from 51 property crimes to 48 property crimes for a 6% reduction. (See all the stats on page 2). Our biggest property crime challenge this cycle was thefts from motor vehicles. See details



Please continue to refrain from leaving your cars unlocked and don't leave anything valuable in plain view inside your car. This is a very hard crime for us to address. It happens very quickly and if the thieves don't even have to break the window to get into your car, our officers will have no idea a crime is even being committed if they happen to see it. Last cycle we had 4 thefts from motor vehicles – this cycle we had 12 for a 200% increase. This is a preventable crime.

Lt. Rick Edwards

28 DAY COMPARISON



RICHMOND POLICE DEPARTMENT Sector 411

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Reporting Period: 4/24/2018 through 5/21/2018 Compared to: 3/27/2018 through 4/23/2018

	Previous 28 day Period	Current 28 day Period	Period Change	Period %Change
09A Homicide Total	0	1	1	N/A
120A ROBBERY/INDIVIDUAL	1	1	0	0%
120E ROBBERY/COMMERCIAL HOUSE	4	0	-4	-100%
120 Robbery Total	5	1	-4	-80%
Victims Shot	0	0	0	0%
13A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	2	3	1	50%
13A4 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT DOMESTIC	0	2	2	N/A
13A Aggravated Assault Total	2	5	3	150%
Victims Shot	0	0	0	0%
Total for Violent Crimes	7	7	0	0%
200 Arson Total	0	2	2	N/A
220A BURGLARY/B&E/RESIDENTIAL	5	4	-1	-20%
220B BURGLARY/B&E/COMMERCIAL	2	1	-1	-50%
220C BURGLARY/B&E/OUTBUILDING	2	0	-2	-100%
220 Burglary Total	9	5	-4	-44%
23C SHOPLIFTING	2	3	1	50%
23D THEFT FROM BUILDING	12	8	-4	-33%
23F THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLE	4	12	8	200%
23G THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE PARTS/ACCESSORIES	4	0	-4	-100%
23H ALL OTHER LARCENY	11	11	0	0%
23 Larceny Total	33	34	1	3%
240 MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	8	6	-2	-25%
240B THEFT OF MOPED/OTHER VEHICLE TYPE	1	1	0	0%
240 Auto Theft Total	9	7	-2	-22%
Total for Property Crimes	51	48	-3	-6%
Grand Total Major Crimes	58	55	-3	-5%



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May 16, 2018

Arrests Made in Alvis Avenue Homicide

The Richmond Police Department, with the assistance of the U.S. Marshal's Regional Fugitive Task Force, have made two arrests in connection to last week's homicide on Alvis Avenue.

Octavis Green, 17, no current address, was arrested yesterday. Green is charged with first-degree murder, use of a firearm in the commission of a felony (x2), and robbery. Nicholas L. Thomas, 20, of the 4300 block of North Avenue was also arrested yesterday and charged with conspiracy to commit murder and use of a firearm in the commission of a felony. Additional charges are pending. Their booking photos are attached. At approximately 1:58 a.m., on Friday May 11, officers were called to the 3100 block of Alvis Avenue for the report of a person shot. Officers arrived and found Russell J. Long, 22, of the 1300 block of Greenmoss Drive in the roadway suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. He was transported to a local hospital where he succumbed to his injury.

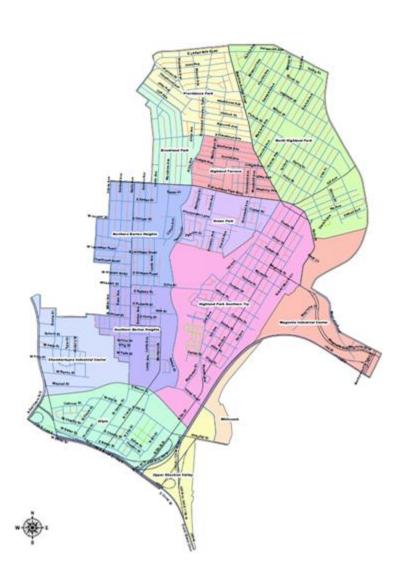
Anyone with information about this homicide is asked to call Major Crimes Detective M. Godwin at (804) 646-5533 or contact Crime Stoppers at 780-1000 or at www.7801000.com. The P3 Tips Crime Stoppers app for smartphones may also be used. All Crime Stoppers methods are anonymous.



Nicholas L. Thomas

Octavis Green

Sector 411



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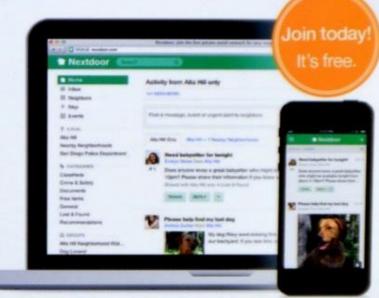
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- Chamberlayne Industrial Center
- > Gilpin
- ➤ Green Park
- Highland Park Southern Tip
- ➤ Highland Terrace
- Magnolia Industrial Center
- ➤ North Highland Park
- ➤ Northern Barton Heights
- Providence Park
- Southern Barton Heights
- Upper Shockoe Valley



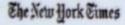
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- Get to know your fellow neighbors so you can finally call them by name



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