



## Montgomery County Police, Maryland

### Unfounded Call Data CY 2022

Total Calls to the Public Safety Communications Center (PSCC), CY2022 = 193,306

Total Calls to the PSCC, CY2022, Cleared as Nothing Found = 21,796

Total Calls to the PSCC, CY2022, Cleared as Unfounded = 3,709

*Nothing found* reflects that the responding officer located no situation or person to corroborate a claim that a crime occurred.

For example, an officer responds to a disabled vehicle in an intersection, and there is no car stopped in or near the intersection. The call would be cleared “nothing found.”

*Unfounded* reflects the situation or person who was contacted was mistaken or wrong in claiming that a particular crime occurred.

For example, an officer responds to a robbery report and discovers the confused victim, who called 911 to report that they were robbed of their wallet, has their wallet in their pocket: area security footage does not corroborate any crime. The call would be cleared “unfounded.”

Montgomery County Bill 45-20, Police Statistical Data, requires unfounded call data to be published online. The Public Safety Communications Center (PSCC) provides the information and is published by the Policy and Planning Division ([MCP.PolicyandPlanning@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:MCP.PolicyandPlanning@montgomerycountymd.gov)). Since neither clearance type generates a report, the caller’s demographic information is not captured.