

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority
Board Action/Information Summary

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TITLE:

Security Report

PURPOSE:

The Metro Transit Police Department (MTPD) security report ensures that security-related information is publicly communicated to enhance the security of our customers and the protection of Metro employees and facilities. This security report compares and contrasts Part 1 offenses reported in 2009 to Part 1 offenses reported in 2010.

DESCRIPTION:

None

FUNDING IMPACT:

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|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Project Manager: | Chief Michael Taborn |
| Project Department/Office: | Metro Transit Police Department/MTPD |

RECOMMENDATION:

None



Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

SECURITY REPORT

Safety and Security Committee

February 24, 2011



Significant Facts 2009 vs. 2010

- 2,012 arrests (1,505 adult & 507 youths)
- 6,615 criminal/civil citations for fare evasion and public conduct violations
- 90 bus operator assaults compared to 71 in 2009
- The average probability of being a victim of a Part I crime in the Metro system in 2010 was 5.85 per million riders



Crime Report 5 Year Comparison

| Part I Crime | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Aggravated Assault 2010: 32% are assaults on bus operators | 119 | 106 | 92 | 94 | 136 |
| Burglary -- fare card machine break-ins | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 5 |
| Homicide | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Larceny 2010: 55% property stolen from cars/30% stolen bicycles | 638 | 739 | 864 | 811 | 930 |
| Motor Vehicle Theft | 168 | 166 | 181 | 152 | 129 |
| Attempt Motor Vehicle Theft | 105 | 117 | 101 | 79 | 65 |
| Rape/Sexual Offense | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 |
| Robbery - stolen electronic devices | 398 | 445 | 581 | 894 | 1,007 |
| Total | 1,440 | 1,580 | 1,821 | 2,032 | 2,279 |



Crime Reduction Strategies

- 76% of robberies are stolen electronic devices
- 60% of devices are snatched from customers/consistent with regional trend
- Public outreach- protecting personal valuables
- Late night travel trips brochure
- PA announcements
- Reaching out to RAC to partner with rider advocates



Appendix

Statistical Information



Crime Against Person Calendar Year Comparison 2009/2010

| System Wide Crime Against Person | | Calendar Year | | 1-Year Comparison |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|-------|----------------------|
| | | 2009 | 2010 | % Change |
| Assault | Aggravated | 91 | 136 | +49% |
| | APO | 151 | 122 | -19% |
| | Simple | 622 | 615 | -1% |
| Robbery | Armed | 117 | 116 | -0.9% |
| | Fear | 52 | 39 | -25% |
| | Force & Violence | 248 | 265 | +7% |
| | Pickpocket | 58 | 79 | +36% |
| | Snatch | 425 | 508 | +20% |
| Total | | 1,764 | 1,880 | +6.6 |



Crime Against Property

Calendar Year Comparison 2009/2010

| System Wide Crime Against Property | | Calendar Year | | 1-Year Comparison |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------|----------------------|
| | | 2009 | 2010 | % Change |
| Theft | Auto | 238 | 194 | -19% |
| | Bicycle | 207 | 280 | +35% |
| | From Auto | 525 | 513 | -2% |
| Vandalism | Parking Lot | 780 | 777 | -0.4% |
| | Bus | 102 | 174 | +71 |
| | Rail | 171 | 196 | +15% |
| Total | | 2,023 | 2,134 | +5.5 |

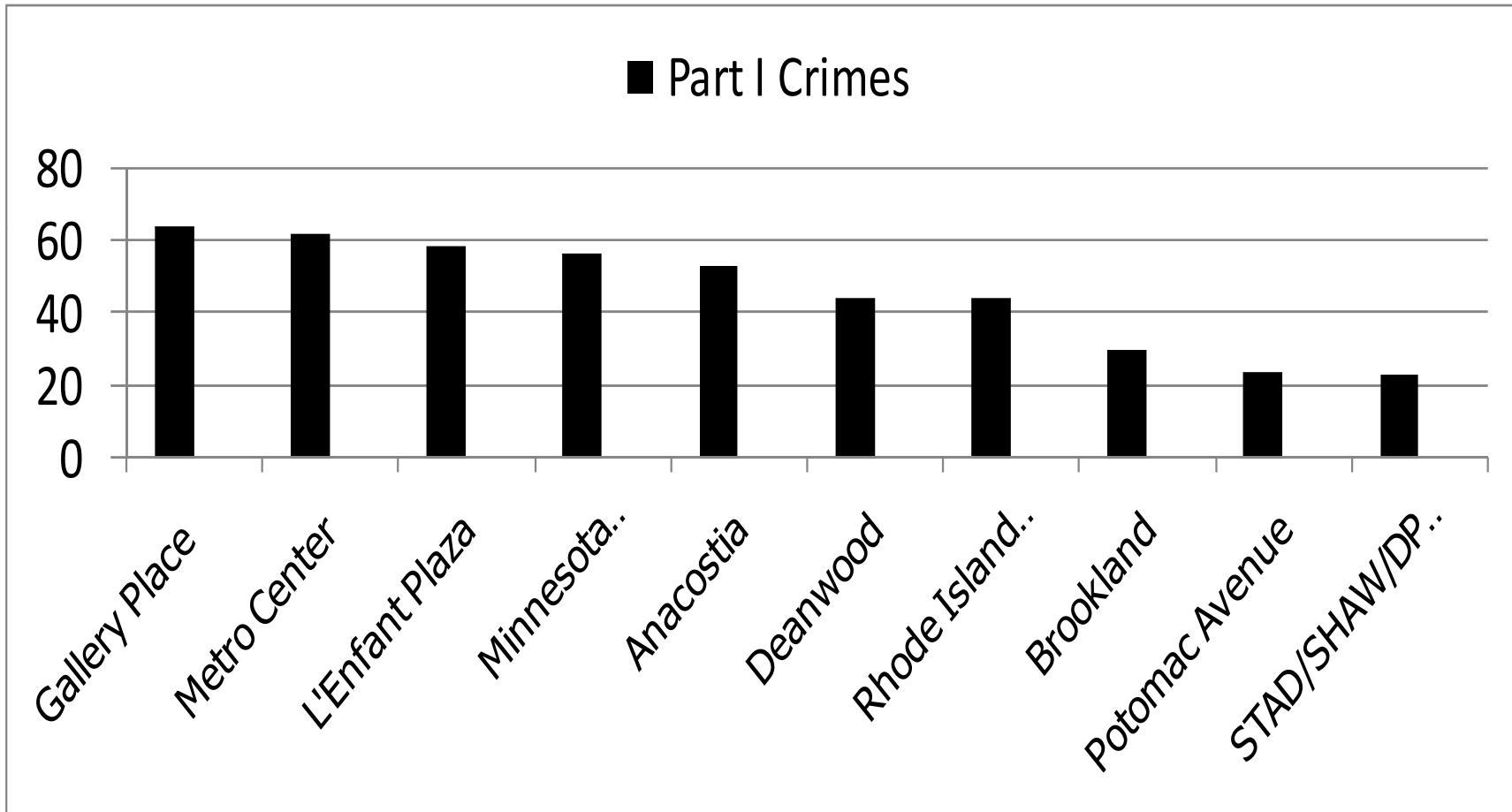


Metro Stations Experiencing Most Part I Crime – Calendar Year 2010

| Metrorail Station | Total Part I Crime |
|--------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. New Carrollton | 89 |
| 2. Branch Avenue | 86 |
| 3. Greenbelt | 70 |
| 4. Prince George's Plaza | 67 |
| 5. Gallery Place | 64 |
| 6. Metro Center | 62 |
| 7. L'Enfant Plaza | 58 |
| 8. Southern Avenue | 57 |
| 9. Largo Town Center | 56 |
| 10. Minnesota Avenue | 56 |



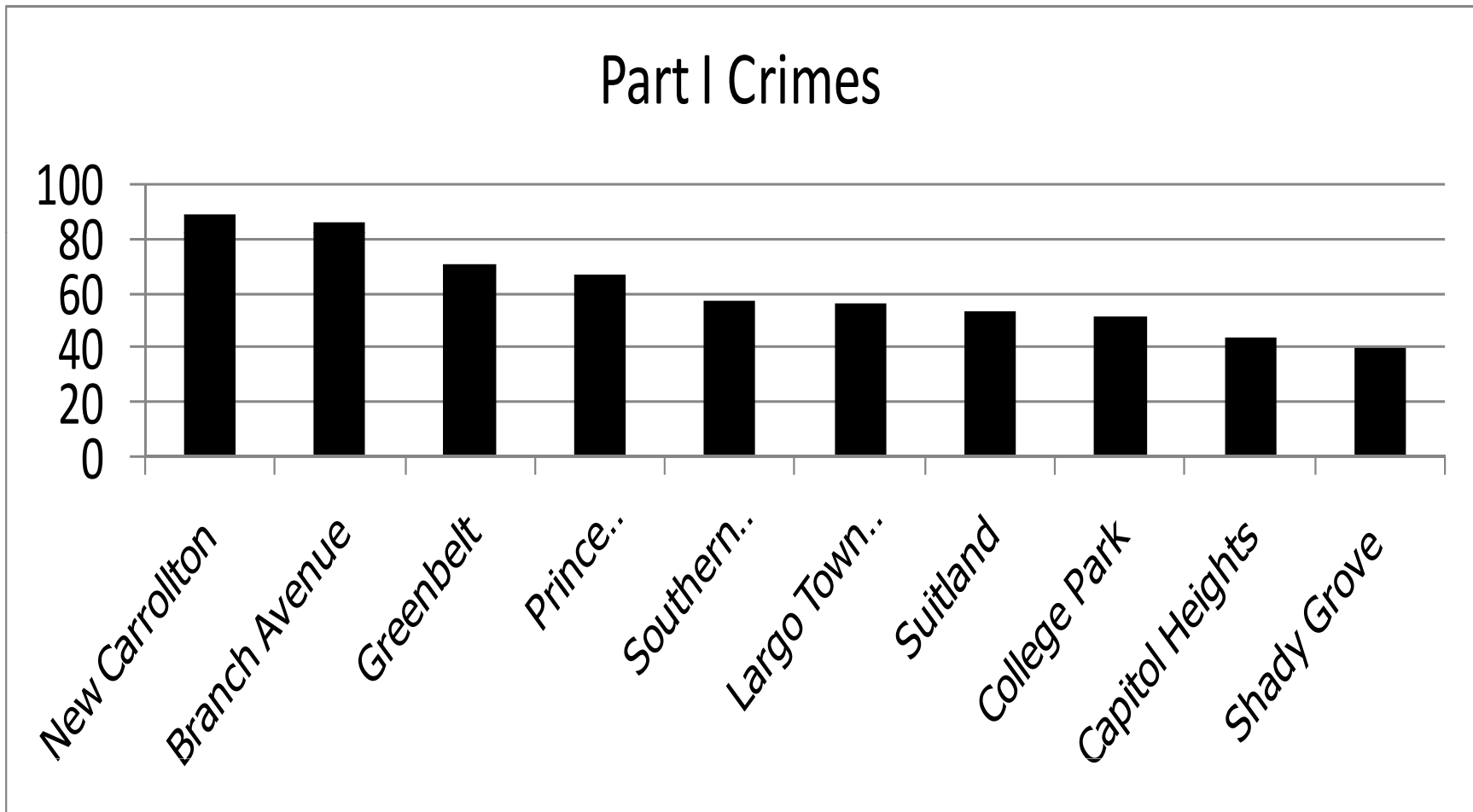
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MARYLAND TOP TEN

Part I Crimes





VIRGINIA TOP TEN

Part I Crimes

