

# Encounters Leading to Detentions

June 2021



# Encounters Definition

- Consensual Encounters: A consensual encounter with a law enforcement officer is not considered a stop or search and therefore, is not entitled to Fourth Amendment protection.
- A consensual encounter generally arises when an officer approaches a citizen to inquire about an incident that concerns public safety or the citizen's safety.



# Encounters Definition

- Unconstitutional : In violation of the requirements of our constitution; not conforming or authorized.
- Unconstitutional encounters may result in administrative, civil, and/ or legal action. The Chief of Police is made aware of any such behavior and may respond in a number of ways to address and assure these actions are corrected.



# Encounters Definition

- Reasonable Suspicion : Reasonable suspicion is the legal standard by which a police officer has the right to briefly detain a suspect for investigatory purposes. The detention requires a well-founded suspicion of criminal activity. [Terry v. Ohio, 392 U.S. 1, 30 (1968)]
- A pat-down of the outside of their clothing for weapons can occur, but not for drugs.
- Must clearly articulate why the officer believes the individual is currently armed and/or dangerous.



# Encounters Definition

- Probable Cause : “Probable cause exists where the facts and circumstances within the officers' knowledge and of which they have reasonably trustworthy information are sufficient in themselves to warrant a man of reasonable caution in the belief that an offense has been or is being committed.” (*Brinegar v. U.S.*)



# Standardization

- Tracking all detentions regardless of outcome
- Standardize encounter definition as any contacts that led to a detention, arrest or detention and release
- Triangulation of data points: Reports, CAD, and Body-Cam.



# Definitions

**Non-Officer Initiated:** officer did not cause the initial interaction. Examples include, but are not limited to the following scenarios:

- Officer is responding to a 911 call or dispatch from ECC.
- Officer receives information from another policing agency.
- Victim, citizen or witness engages the officer.
- Protective orders, temporary or emergency custody orders.
- Non-discretionary interaction such as arrest or search warrant.

**Officer Initiated:** officer engages the individual through personal observations or activities.

# Monthly Summary

## June 2021: Investigative Detentions

The Charlottesville Police Department's officers were engaged in **3264** incidents during the month of June. These incidents included officer initiated, citizen assists, and calls for service. **Forty (40)** of these incidents resulted in temporary detentions. Of these 40 incidents, **26** were non-officer initiated and **14** were officer initiated.

# Total Incidents 40

Nature of Contact	Total Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Non-Officer Initiated	26	65%
Officer Initiated	14	35%
Total Incidents	40	100%

Reason for Detention	Total Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Officer Witnessed	16	40%
Suspect on Scene	19	47%
Description Provided	4	10%
Reasonable Suspicion	1	3%
Unconstitutional	0	0%
Total Incidents	40	100%



# Total Detentions: Non-Officer Initiated (26) and Officer Initiated (14)

	Total Detentions	Detention Percentages
Non-Officer Initiated	26	65%
Officer Initiated	14	35%

Review of Standards	Incidents
Arrests	25
Probable Cause: No Arrest	4
Reasonable Suspicion: No Arrest	11
Unconstitutional Encounters	0
Total <b>Detentions</b>	<b>40</b>



Non-officer Initiated	(26)	Officer Initiated	(14)
Assault	3	Assault	1
Attempted malicious wounding	1	Att. Theft	1
Brandish Firearm	1	City Code Violation – Fireworks	1
DIP	1	DUI investigations	2
DIP – Possess SCH I/II Narcotics	1	Stolen vehicle	1
Disorder/ Assault/ Dest. of Prop.	1	Traffic / Narcotics found	1
Disorder – trespass	1	Traffic / Stolen registration/ wanted	1
Domestic Assault	2	Traffic	1
DUI Investigation	1	Traffic – Stolen vehicle	1
DUI related Accident	1	Warrant/ wanted	4
DUI/D	1		
Grand Larceny Auto & Firearm	1		
Malicious Wounding	1		
Narcotics – Intoxicated in public	2		
Narcotic Influence/ Disorderly	1		
Shoplifting	1		
Trespassing	3		
Warrants	3		



All Detentions: **Non-Officer (26) Initiated** and **Officer Initiated (14)** resulted in **45 Individuals Contacted**

Review of Standards	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total
<b>Arrests</b>	0	1	0	0	1	15	3	7	27
<b>Probable Cause: No Arrest</b>	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	5
<b>Reasonable Suspicion: No Arrest</b>	0	0	0	0	3	6	1	3	13
<b>Unconstitutional</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Individuals</b>	0	1	0	0	5	25	4	10	45



# Officer-Initiated Contacts: 14

## Individuals Contacted: 16

Reason (Crime) Detained	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals Contacted	Total Officer Initiated	% of Total
										Incidents	Incidents
Alcohol Related	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	7%
Major Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	7%
Minor Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	2	14%
Minor Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	7%
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	6	5	36%
Warrant	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	4	4	29%
<b>Total Individuals</b>	0	0	0	0	0	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	
<b>% of Total Individuals</b>	0	0	0	0	0	<b>56%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>100%</b>	--	



# Officer-Initiated Detentions 14

## Outcomes for 16 individuals

Law-Enforcement Action	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals	Total Detention Incidents	Total % of Actions
Physical Arrest	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	9	8	57%
Summons - M1 & M2 (Non-physical arrest)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	7%
Summons - M3 & M4 / TI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Warning	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	3	22%
No Action Taken	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	14%
Total Individuals	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	6	16	--	100%
% of Total Individuals	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	56%	6%	38%	100%	--	--

Summons [Class 1 & 2 Misdemeanors] are included in overall arrest totals.  
Class 3 & 4 Misdemeanors and Traffic Infractions are not arrestable offenses



# Officer-Initiated **Detentions**

Arrests: **9 incidents** involving **11 individuals**

Category	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals Arrested	Total Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Alcohol Related	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime – Property	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	11%
Minor Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	11%
Minor Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	4	3	33%
Warrant	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	4	4	45%
<b>Total Individuals Arrested</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	
<b>% of Total Individuals</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>100%</b>	--	



# Officer-Initiated Detentions

Probable Cause to Arrest, but no Arrest.

3 incident involving 3 individual(s)

Encounters w/ PC – No Arrest	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals Contacted	Total Officer Initiated Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Alcohol Related	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime – Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Minor Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	33%
Minor Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	67%
Warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Total Individuals	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	3	
% of Total Individuals	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	67%	0%	33%	100%	--	



# Officer-Initiated Detentions

Reasonable Suspicion: **2 incidents** involving **2 individual(s)**

Reasonable Suspicion—No Arrest	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals Contacted	Total Officer Initiated Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Alcohol Related	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	50%
Major Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Major Crime – Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Minor Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Minor Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	50%
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
<b>Total Individuals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	
<b>% of Total Individuals</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>100%</b>	--	



# Unconstitutional Encounter:

**0 incidents** involving **0 individuals**

Unconstitutional Encounter	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total Individuals Contacted	Total Incidents	% of Total Incidents
Alcohol Related	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Major Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Major Crime – Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Minor Crime - Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Minor Crime - Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other – Unconstitutional	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warrant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Individuals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
% of Total Individuals	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	--	--



## Officer-Initiated Contacts:

11 **Individuals** searches and 1 **Vehicle** searches:

Nature of Contact	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Vehicle	Total
Pat-Down	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Search	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	1	12

10 searches incident to arrest, 1 PC search of B/M; 1 vehicle - consent

Evidence Recovered	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Vehicle	Total
Firearm	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	6
Firearm & Narcotics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Suspected Firearm	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	7
Total Individuals %	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	71%	0%	29%	--	--



# Composition of the Charlottesville Police Department

- The Charlottesville Police Department currently has 108 sworn employees.

		<u>RECRUIT</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>DET</u>	<u>CORP</u>	<u>SGT</u>	<u>LT</u>	<u>CAPT</u>	<u>MAJOR</u>	<u>CHIEF</u>
WM	80	3	40	7	10	12	5	2	1	
BM	13	2	6		1	1	2	1		
AM	3	1	2							
HM	2	1	1							
	98									
WF	8		5	2	1					
BF	1									1
AF	1		1							
HF	0									
	10									



# Officer-Initiated Demographics: 14 officers involved in 14 encounters

Investigative Detention by Officer Race/Sex	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	Total
Officer Making Detention	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14
Officers with 2+ Detentions	AF	AM	HF	HM	BF	BM	WF	WM	
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
2+ Detentions by Shift									
Daylight	0								
Evening	2								
Midnight	0								

Detentions assigned to initiating officer(s). Individual officers are counted once.



# Total Individuals contacted (16) officer initiated by Neighborhood

Detentions by Neighborhood	Incidents								
	Total - 14	AF - 0	AM - 0	HF - 0	HM-0	BF- 0	BM - 9	WF - 1	WM - 6
Mall-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Downtown-2	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Star Hill-3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Westhaven-4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10th & Page-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rosehill Dr-6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Downtown-7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MJH-8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Little High-9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belmont-10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garrett-11	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ridge St-12	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Fifeville-13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JPA-14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
The Corner-15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Venable-16	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Kellytown-17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North East-18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Locust Grove-19	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Woolen Mills-20	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Prospect-21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson Village-22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fry's Spring-23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis Mountain-24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRSC Area-25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRSC-26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blue Ridge-27	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
CHS-28	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greenbrier-29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29 North-30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
The Meadows-31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5th Street-32	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Longwood-33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



# Total Individuals contacted (29) non-officer initiated by Neighborhood

Detentions by Neighborhood	Incidents								
	Total - 26	AF - 0	AM - 1	HF - 0	HM - 0	BF-5	BM -16	WF - 3	WM - 4
Mall-1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Downtown-2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Star Hill-3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Westhaven-4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
10th & Page-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rosehill Dr-6	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
North Downtown-7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
MJH-8	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Little High-9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belmont-10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Garrett-11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ridge St-12	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1
Fifeville-13	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
JPA-14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
The Corner-15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Venable-16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kellytown-17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North East-18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Locust Grove-19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Woolen Mills-20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prospect-21	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson Village-22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fry's Spring-23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis Mountain-24	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
BRSC Area-25	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
BRSC-26	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blue Ridge-27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHS-28	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Greenbrier-29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29 North-30	4	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1
The Meadows-31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5th Street-32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longwood-33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

