## ECCO
### 2019 Year-End Part 1 Crimes Summary | Safety Recommendations | Resources

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#### Selection for ECCO

- **Violent Crimes Total**
  - 2015: 5
  - 2016: 6
  - 2017: 15
  - 2018: 6
  - 2019: 2

- **Count**
  - Higher: 15
  - Lower: 6

- **Graph**
BLOCKS NEEDING BLOCK LEADERS (since 8/13/2018)

- 3000-blocks of:
  - Humboldt
  - James
  - Knox
- 3200-block of Humboldt

- 3500-blocks of:
  - Hennepin
  - Holmes
  - Irving
  - James

SAFETY & PREVENTION: Which of these do I actively practice?

CONTACT 9-1-1 immediately for life-threatening and medical emergencies, suspicious/criminal activity, or if you are the victim of a crime.

Text 9-1-1 when unable to safely call. > Available in English and does not support images or video.

Translators available by 9-1-1 phone call.

*Stay connected until the Operator ends the connection.*

COMPLETE an official police report, if you are the victim of a crime.

These actions are key steps to effectively increasing safety.

*In 5th Precinct in 2019, Property Crimes accounted for approximately 89% of reported crime.*

Property Owners & Tenants

- Secure (close, lock, bolt, tether, pin, etc.) > exterior doors, garage doors, windows, bikes, safes etc.
- Remove items from property exteriors, secure large items
- Keep access points well-lit and maintained, secured, and uncluttered, clear of debris
- Security cameras & alarms, lighting, TV/radio/music (w/in Mpls. ordinance limits) are deterents
- Be alert and aware > people may attempt to piggy-back into secure areas – like Employee Only, apartment buildings, businesses, and parking garages
- Post ‘No Trespassing’ yellow placards for ongoing issues or as deterrent
- Reduce oppportunity for package theft by having deliveries received by: having an authorized person onsite accepting delivery, delivery to a secure locker or facility, or selecting ship to store & pick-up

Personal Property

- Take photos of items & uniquely mark/tag property
- Document and secure > serial #s, passport #, driver’s license #, social security #, and account #s - consider a safety deposit box or a bolted safe
- Register your bike online or contact 3-1-1

Motor Vehicles

- Park in well-lit, highly-visible and frequented areas
- Remove keys (even hidden ones), key fobs, garage door openers, valuables & lock your vehicle
- REMEMBER …
  - Minneapolis has open-ignition and idling ordinances ([www.ci.minneapolis.mn.us/government/ord/index.htm](http://www.ci.minneapolis.mn.us/government/ord/index.htm))
  - Remote starts have different rules, defined by Minneapolis ordinance
    - …BUT unattended running vehicles are an attractive target for a thief!
Video Surveillance Best Practices > Effective cameras are an investment tool, not a decorative element
- Ask your neighborhood association about Home Security grant or Rental Rebate programs
- Create (seasonal) reminders to verify camera placement, angles, and image clarity
- Effective images show physical features and vehicle plates > not tops of heads/shoes, glare, etc.

Welfare & Safety
- Welfare
  - 9-1-1 for life threatening and in-progress mental/medical health crises
  - Encampment Livability Issues > structures erected and/or items being stored
    - Contact 3-1-1 by phone call, text, email, app, or online
    - Information goes to MPD’s Homeless & Vulnerable Population Initiative
  - Syringe clean-up > Contact 3-1-1 or the City Health Dept. Opioid Team at 612-358-4167

Community Engagement
- Engage with:
  - Block Club leaders - Ask your Crime Prevention Specialist how to become one!
  - Neighbors, as well as nearby property & business owners
  - Neighborhood & Business Associations
  - And MPD Crime Prevention staff about safety strategies and activities to raise awareness

HELPFUL LINKS & RESOURCES

For MPD Maps & Statistics of Reported Crimes | Alerts & Advisories | Crime Prevention & Safety Tips
http://www.minneapolismn.gov/police/index.htm

MPD Records & Reports
http://www.minneapolismn.gov/police/records/index.htm

Mpls Neighborhoods’ Organizations
http://www.minneapolismn.gov/council/maps/WCMS1Q-074470

Mpls Resources for Property Owners & Renters
http://www.minneapolismn.gov/inspections/index.htm

Crime Victim’s Rights

Conflict Resolution Center
www.CRCminnesota.org

Domestic Abuse & Harassment Resources

Spanish-speaking Crime Prevention Outreach > John Reed: 612.673.5579
John.Reed@minneapolismn.gov

Somali-speaking Crime Prevention Outreach > Ahmed Hassan: 612.673.5164
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