

# Private Security Camera Incentive Program Report

Data as of June 5, 2017

**1. The total number of rebates issued.**

**2,290** rebates have been issued.

**2. The total number of private security cameras funded.**

**5,902** cameras have been funded.

**3. The number of rebates issued in each police service area (PSA).**

PSA	Rebates Issued	PSA	Rebates Issued	PSA	Rebates Issued	PSA	Rebates Issued
101	0	207	5	405	49	603	25
102	0	208	21	406	23	604	18
103	2	301	13	407	94	605	26
104	134	302	70	408	29	606	15
105	12	303	25	409	57	607	12
106	60	304	26	501	143	608	24
107	111	305	33	502	149	701	40
108	155	306	12	503	100	702	4
201	23	307	15	504	101	703	13
202	53	308	20	505	20	704	14
203	10	401	22	506	53	705	11
204	19	402	42	507	103	706	3
205	28	403	65	601	17	707	8
206	18	404	101	602	22	708	22

**4. The number of rebates and vouchers issued in each priority area identified.**

Priority PSA	Rebates Issued	Priority PSA	Rebates Issued	Priority PSA	Rebates Issued	Priority PSA	Rebates Issued
103	2	305	33	502	149	701	40
104	134	307	15	503	100	702	4
105	12	308	10	504	101	703	13
106	60	402	42	505	20	704	14
107	111	403	65	506	53	705	11
108	155	404	101	507	103	706	3
202	53	405	49	602	22	707	8
207	5	406	23	603	25	708	22
208	21	407	94	604	18		
302	70	409	57	607	12		
303	25	501	143	608	24		

\*As of August 1, 2016 all PSAs are eligible to apply. Prior to August 1, applications from PSAs 101, 102, 201, 203, 204, 205, 206, 301, 304, 306, 401, 408, 601, 605, and 606 were ineligible.

**5. The number of rebates issued to residents, businesses, nonprofit and religious institutions.**

<b>Property Type</b>	<b>Rebates</b>
Resident	2185
Business	72
Non-Profit	21
Religious Institution	12

**6. The number of times MPD requested footage from a Program recipient, and whether the request was granted or denied by the Program recipient.**

There were two documented requests for footage by MPD from a program recipient, which were granted. MPD detectives may also be in direct contact with a program recipient without that information being specifically tracked by existing law enforcement resources.

**7. The number of times that footage from a private security camera contributed to a successful arrest by MPD, including a breakdown by offense.**

It is difficult for MPD to track and report on this data. For one, there is often a significant amount of time between when a video is pulled and an arrest is made. In cases for which video is pulled, reviewed, and found to contain something of value, MPD will seek a warrant and potentially go through a grand jury process. Moreover, there is a range of ways in which video footage can contribute to an arrest. Many of these do not involve a suspect caught on camera, but rather a witness or perhaps a person or vehicle of interest. Lastly, detectives are not personally tracking whether a camera is an MPD-owned camera, a government camera, a private security camera, or a private security camera owned by a rebate recipient. Tracking this information is not part of their core function. Establishing a system to track the specific utility of video and the type of camera that recorded it until an arrest is actually made is not an efficient use of law enforcement resources better directed at investigating crime. Therefore, MPD is unable to provide comprehensive data on this.

**8. An analysis of the Program's implementation and plans for future expansion, if any.**

On June 1<sup>st</sup>, the Mayor announced the launch of the Private Security Camera Voucher Program provides a private security camera system to eligible residents free of charge. District residents—either owners or tenants—who receive public assistance may be eligible to have a camera system installed at their home.

OVSJG continues to conduct outreach to increase participation in the program. In May, OVSJG presented at the ANC 5A monthly meeting and a meeting of business owners in PSA 507.