

There were 12,959 motor vehicle thefts in Virginia this year –  
a **15% decrease** from 2023



# 7,582

stolen vehicles were  
recovered by Virginia law  
enforcement agencies

# 58%

of all auto thefts occurred  
at night – between 6 pm  
and 6 am

# 81%

of auto theft offenders are male,  
with the most common age  
range being 25–34

# 35%

of auto thefts occurred  
at a residence

11,668 people reported being victims of auto theft  
in 2024 – a **decrease of 15%** from 2023



2023

2024

Auto theft arrests **decreased by 19%** this year

# \$164 Million

worth of motor vehicles were stolen in 2024