

Case Information

Case Number : [REDACTED]

Reference ID [REDACTED]

Created By: [REDACTED] 3/14/2005 3:19:16 PM

Modified By: [REDACTED] 3/31/2005 10:29:37 AM

Date Opened : 3/9/2005 11:00:30 AM

Disposition : Closed

Disposition Date : 3/15/2005 2:00:30 PM

Source :

Location :

Primary Crime: AA MSP; CM&D - Current Events

Secondary Crime(s)

Case Manager : [REDACTED]

ID/Badge Number :

Phone Number : [REDACTED]

Extension :

Crime Date :

Assigned Agency Maryland State Police

ORI :

Involved Agency(s) :

No Involved

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

*These entities may or may not be printed

Address Information

No information

Number Information

No information

Vehicle Information

No information

Drug Information

No information

Organization Information

Organization : Equality Maryland

Created By: [REDACTED] 3/14/2005 3:21:55 PM

Modified By: [REDACTED] 3/14/2005 3:22:16 PM

Organization : Equality Maryland | **Type :** Gay Rights

Notes :

No Notes

Associations :

[REDACTED] Member [ORG] Equality Maryland



Firearm Information

No information

Narrative

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On 03/10/05 [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] responded to Lawyer's Mall, Annapolis, Maryland to covertly attend a rally denouncing same-sex marriages held by [REDACTED]. Rally organizers had said that they expected at least 1,000 participants so the commander of the Annapolis Barrack along with other city, state and county officials were notified and deployed for the event.

Prior to the rally, [REDACTED] made e-mail contact with a member of Equality Maryland, [REDACTED]. Equality Maryland is a group which promotes gay/lesbian/transgender rights and this group has held prior rallies in Lawyer's Mall with no problems. [REDACTED] viewed a call on Equality Maryland's Internet site for people to go to Annapolis on 03/10/05 to stage a counter-protest to the [REDACTED] rally. [REDACTED] contacted [REDACTED] via covert e-mail to gain information about any disruptions or disturbances which the group was planning and also to gauge participation in the counter demonstration. From [REDACTED] response it appeared as if the counter-demonstrators, approximately 15 people, were being told to stand in the appropriate place and they were also told about items which are prohibited at Lawyer's Mall [REDACTED].

In the run-up to the rally, [REDACTED] also visited numerous spots in Baltimore and surrounding areas where notices are often posted to see if any other groups were announcing plans to attend and disrupt [REDACTED] rally. No such information was seen.

On 03/10/05, [REDACTED] attending the briefing for troopers at the Annapolis Barrack to relay all intelligence gathered about the rally. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] then responded to Lawyer's Mall. Approximately 500 people attended the [REDACTED] rally and no disturbances were reported. There were 10 - 15 counter-demonstrators from Equality Maryland standing on an adjacent corner holding signs and they did not attempt to disrupt the rally. Several members of the [REDACTED] rally crossed the street and engaged Equality Maryland members in debates about same-sex marriage but the conversations were civil and no problems were observed.

Due to the above facts, I request that this case be considered closed.

[REDACTED]