

CAMBRIDGE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Title: *AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS/MISHAPS PROTOCOL* **Procedure:** 4.620

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PURPOSE:

To provide a protocol/policy for handling all aircraft mishaps/accidents at the Cambridge-Dorchester County Airport.

POLICY:

The following policy will be adhered to:

A) Only the supervisor and the assigned sector car will respond to the incident initially.

B) The supervisor will then determine whether additional officers are needed.

C) Officers will render aid to any victims until emergency medical services and/or fire personnel arrive on the scene.

D) Officers will take traffic control positions in one of the two taxi way or airfield ingresses located south of the main terminal building and south of the old terminal building.

E) The Maryland State Police will be the initial investigating agency and will be responsible for passing all information on to the F.A.A. and the NTSB. This is per agreement between federal agencies and the State of Maryland.

F) When there is a need for more officers at the scene, to assist with traffic/crowd control, supervisors will make attempts to utilize on scene troopers from the Maryland State Police or other allied agencies.

G) The on-call Lieutenant will be contacted and advised of the situation so as to be passed up the chain of command.

H) An incident report will be completed.