

M-STAR meetings are held on a monthly basis to review the statistical information for the zones, report efforts being made, identify problems, and to devise and report strategies. The following data within this document was taken from the M-STAR August 2016 meeting:

Community Interaction

The Community Response Unit (CRU) assisted with the following events during the month.

- Government Academy
- Juvenile Police Academy
- Safety Checkpoints
- COPS on a Doughnut Shop
- Active Shooter Talk
- Alcohol Compliance Detail
- Cobb County Safe Kids Coalition

Action Forms & Complaints

The following concerns and/or complaints were received from citizens or businesses within the City. The action forms were addressed and corrected.

- Traffic/Speeding Complaints
- Drugs
- Illegal Parking
- Suspicious Activity
- Requests for Zone Patrols
- Solicitors
- Illegal Dumping
- Illegal Food Trucks

Strategic Response

- Increased patrols of hotels and properties on Delk/Franklin Road (Zone 1)

- Increase foot patrols in stores to reduce larcenies (Zone 1)
- Research similarities in burglaries and robberies to address issue (Zone 1)
- Increase patrols on Roswell Road and surrounding streets (Zone 2)
- Patrol Whitewater Water Park (Zone 2)
- Increase patrols and Criminal Trespass Enforcement along the South Loop Corridor (Zone 3)
- Burglary and Zone Patrols around neighborhoods (Zone 3)
- Continue heavy uniform patrols in residential areas with emphasis on apartment complexes (Zone 4)
- Conduct heavy patrols along all areas of Cunningham Road, Bellemeade Drive and Booth Road (Zone 4)
- Increased shift presence and heavy zone patrols (Zone 4)

Specialized Units – Detectives/Narcotics/Crime Interdiction

Specialized units within Marietta Police Department contribute to the success of each zone. It is the responsibility of each unit supervisor to have teams work within zones that may have increased activity over the previous months.

- One narcotics case was opened within the City of Marietta
- One arrest was made within the City for drug offenses by Narcotics Unit
- Detectives opened 83 cases, served 14 search warrants, and worked several cases including but not limited to:
 - Aggravated Assault on Police Officer
 - Burglary
 - Possession of a Firearm
 - Child Molestation
 - Aggravated Assault
 - Battery
 - Theft by Receiving
 - Fraud
 - Terroristic Threats

- Reckless Conduct
- Crime Interdiction Unit made 11 arrests.

Town Hall Meetings

Town Hall meetings are held on a quarterly basis in a location convenient to the citizens within the zones. Occasionally, majors will combine their Town Hall meetings in order to address issues, problems or concerns from bordering zones. The upcoming meetings are scheduled for:

- Zone 1 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced (September)
- Zone 2 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced
- Zone 3 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced
- Zone 4 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced (September)