

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 March 2017 meeting:

Community Interaction

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

- Winterfest – Explorer Competition
- Car Seat Safety Class
- Dunleith Elementary Career Day
- Town Hall meeting
- Citizen’s Police Academy
- Mardi Gras 5K
- Media Academy
- CRASE Seminar
- Polar Plunge (Special Olympics)

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.

- Vagrants
- Illegal Parking/Disabled Vehicles
- Speeding/Traffic Complaints
- Suspicious Activity
- Suspicious Vehicles
- Solicitors in Neighborhoods
- Trespassing
- Road Obstructions

Strategic Response

- Increased patrols of hotels and properties on Delk/Franklin Road (Zone 1)
- Increase foot patrols throughout zone (Zone 1)
- Investigations into gang activity (Zone 1)
- Increase patrols on Roswell Road corridor, Bells Ferry, Williams Drive area (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 including daytime burglary 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.

- Five narcotics cases were opened within the City of Marietta
- Five arrests were made within the City for drug offenses by Narcotics Unit
- Detectives opened 49 cases, served 11 search warrants, and worked several cases including but not limited to:
 - Felony Murder
 - Aggravated Battery
 - Burglary
 - Robbery

- Sexual Battery
 - Cruelty to Child
 - Statutory Rape
 - Kidnapping
 - Sodomy
 - Aggravated Sodomy
 - False Imprisonment
 - Motor Vehicle Theft
 - Simple Battery
 - False Report of Crime
- Crime Interdiction Unit made 12 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 – April 18, 2017
- Zone 2 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced (April)
- Zone 3 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced
- Zone 4 – Town Hall meeting – March 30, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.