

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 October 2015 meeting:

Community Interaction

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

- Safety Talks
- Pastor's Police Academy
- Career Day
- West Marietta Festival
- StreetFest
- Red Hare Road Race
- Gun Safety Seminar
- 9/11 Event on the Square
- Whole Hawg Happenin'
- Rotary Club presentation
- DEA Pill Takeback

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
- Drug Complaints
- Zone patrol requests
- Parking
- Loitering
- Suspicious Activity
- Vagrant Issues

- Foot Traffic

Strategic Response

- Increased patrols of hotels and properties, and specialized patrols on Delk/Franklin Road (Zone 1)
- Increased foot patrols to help deter shoplifting (Zone 1)
- Continue Crime Free Housing program (Zone 1)
- Increase Criminal Trespass agreements (Zone 1)
- Increase patrols of Bells Ferry and Williams Drive area (Zone 2)
- Enforcing Apartment Crime Ordinance (Zone 2)
- Continue foot patrols at businesses to deter shoplifting (Zone 3)
- Increase patrols along the South Loop (Zone 3)
- Continue heavy uniform patrols in residential areas with emphasis on apartment complexes (Zone 4)
- Conduct heavy patrols along all areas of Powder Springs Road, Bellemeade Drive and Booth Road (Zone 4)
- Increased shift presence (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.

- Six narcotics cases opened within the City of Marietta
- Six arrests were made within the City for drug offenses by Narcotics Unit
- Detectives opened 121 cases, served 12 search warrants, and worked several cases including but not limited to:
 - Armed Robbery
 - Sexual Exploitation of a Child
 - Rape
 - False Imprisonment

- Aggravated Assault
 - Theft by Taking
 - Theft by Deception
 - Entering Auto
 - Battery
 - Aggravated Stalking
 - Carrying a Concealed Weapon
 - Loitering & Prowling
 - Obstruction
- Crime Interdiction Unit made twenty-eight 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
- Zone 2 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced
- Zone 3 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced (December)
- Zone 4 – Town Hall meeting – To Be Announced