

City of Cincinnati



Interdepartmental
Correspondence Sheet

Date: 01/16/04

To: Colonel Thomas H. Streicher, Jr., Police Chief
From: Captain Michael Cureton, District Two Commander
Copies to:
Subject: Fourth QUARTER PROBLEM SOLVING REPORT – Patrol BUREAU

Category: Program / Project Case #: N/A District: 2 Neighborhood:
Madisonville

Coordinating Personnel: Sgt. Andre Smith

Description of Problem: Drug Dealing, Loitering, Litter

Phase of SARA: Response

SARA Documentation

Scanning (state problem): Drug dealers loitering on corners selling drugs, littering on the sidewalks and hanging out in the area for extended periods of time.

Analysis (identify factual support): Arrests, Survey-Spot maps created depicting CFS including nature/times/locations. Statistics compiled collating problem addresses/frequent CFS.

Response (define action taken): Patrol increased, VCS targeted arrests/residents picking up trash and planting flowers/businesses painting waste cans in partnership with local youths/Black Family Day event to highlight social agencies that are available to assist area residents in need. Truants sweeps have been conducted as well as meeting with high school staff to curb youth problems. The neighborhood officer conducts extra patrols with the Madisonville Citizens on Patrol. Neighborhood officers are accompanying workers from the LightHouse Shelter every Tuesday on home visits in the area to curb problems with youths. Project S.I.M.O.C. (Success Is My Only Choice) - an overnight camp in for female youths from Madisonville and Evanston, was held on December 13-14, 2003. Female police officers discussed issues such as "anti drug and gang awareness" while promoting teamwork and positive interactions between the youth and police officers.

Assessment (document measurement):

Police Participation

Specific Feedback: The Madisonville Community Council has given positive feedback regarding the noticeable decrease in visible drug trafficking. The Lighthouse visits are well received by the parents and positive feedback has been received regarding the S.I.M.O.C. camp in.

City Department Participation Specific Feedback

- Buildings and Inspections
- Community Development & Planning
- Fire Department

- Health
- Metropolitan Sewer District
- Parks
- Public Services
- Recreation
- Transportation & Engineering
- Water Works