

City of Cincinnati



Interdepartmental
Correspondence Sheet

Date: 9 Nov 06

To: Colonel Thomas H. Streicher, Jr., Police Chief
From: Lieutenant Joseph Williams, District 2
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Subject: Third QUARTER District 2 PROBLEM SOLVING REPORT – Patrol BUREAU

Category: CPOP Case Case #: SARA0600023, District: 2 Neighborhood: Kennedy Heights

Coordinating Personnel: Police Officer George Engleman

Description of Problem: Drug Sales

Phase of SARA: Analysis

SARA Documentation

Scanning (state problem): The area where the drug sales are concentrated is on Zinsle Avenue at Kennedy Avenue. In particular, it concentrates on the corner of Zinsle Avenue facing Kennedy Avenue.

Analysis (identify factual support): There have been calls for service regarding male subjects loitering on the corner of Zinsle Avenue. Residents attending the CPOP meetings have expressed their concerns regarding several male subjects standing on the corner of Zinsle Avenue approaching motorists when turning off of Kennedy Avenue to Zinsle Avenue. The male subjects are leaning into the vehicles and exchanging unknown items from hand to hand. This is a new Kennedy Heights CPOP problem for May 2006.

Response (define action taken): District 2 has applied \$22,000.00 in additional man hours during various times of the day to address the issue. In addition, most of the apartment buildings in the targeted area have completed the needed paperwork to authorize police to arrest subjects for trespassing. A block watch has been set up and several community outings have been conducted to help unite the community in the effort to clean up the targeted area.

Assessment (document measurement): Pending. But currently there has been a decrease in calls for service in the targeted area.

Police Participation

Specific Feedback: **Targeted behavior seems to be on the decline**

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