

News Release

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Subject: Search Warrant

On September 17, 2020, the METRICH Enforcement Unit, assisted by the Richland County Sheriff's Department, executed a drug-related search warrant at 880 Laver Rd, Rm 149. in Mansfield Ohio. The focus of the warrant was on a Reginald Charity, B/M/59, who resided in Rm 149.

Reginald Charity, B/M/59 was the primary focus of this investigation which stemmed from multiple complaints regarding drug-related activity at this location. It was the joint effort of the METRICH Enforcement Unit, the Richland County Sheriff's Department, and their patrol unit that led to the successful arrest of Reginald Charity and the seizure of a handgun.

Reginald Charity was arrested and incarcerated at the Richland County Jail on two counts of felony drug trafficking, and weapons under disability.

METRICH Commander Lt. Jason Bammann stated the collaboration between local law enforcement agencies and the METRICH Enforcement Unit continues to have a positive impact on removing illegal drugs coming into Richland County communities.

Lt. Jason Bammann also thanks those in the community who called in the tips and complaints which assisted detectives in this investigation and he encourages further information pertaining to this location.

METRICH is a ten county decentralized task force in North Central Ohio whose mission is to improve the quality of life for the citizens we serve by reducing the availability of illegal drugs and weapons through proactive enforcement efforts. The success of METRICH is a tribute to the cooperation and support within the Law Enforcement Community in the METRICH region and to those citizens who have chosen to improve the quality of life in their communities by assisting METRICH in reporting suspicious activity and valuable information.

**Citizens may report suspicious activity to the crime hot lines at:
419-522-7463 and www.METRICH.com**



The METRICH Enforcement Unit will continue to target those individuals who engage in trafficking drugs and use all available resources to assist in removing illegal drugs from Mansfield/Richland County, Ohio. The METRICH Enforcement Unit encourages citizens to continue to be proactive by reporting suspected drug activity. Citizens can call the METRICH Crime Tip Hotline at 419-52-CRIME (419-522-7463) or the Task Force line at 419-755-9728.

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