

# PRESS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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The MARMET/METRICH Drug Task Force, which is made up of Deputies from Marion Co. SO and Officers of the Marion City Police, obtained a search warrant for 355 Girard through citizen complaints and the use of confidential informants. At 7:30PM officers of MARMET/METRICH and the Marion Police Dept. executed the warrant and seized 24 grams of crack cocaine, 17 grams of marijuana and over \$1100.00 cash. Arrested were the following individuals.

William Burgess  
355 Girard Ave, Marion  
Age 56  
Felony Drug Possession  
Felony Permitting Drug Abuse

Charlotte Washington  
Detroit, Michigan  
Age 26  
Trafficking in Drugs  
Felony Possession of Drugs

Kristen Mustard  
529 Davids St.  
Marion, Ohio  
Age 26  
Felony Possession of Drugs

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:**  
**1-800-589-DARE and [www.METRICH.com](http://www.METRICH.com)**

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