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Subject: METRICH APP

The METRICH Enforcement Unit is pleased to announce the release of the "METRICH App" for the public's use. The METRICH App is available for both Apple and Android devices. The App will provide useful information to the public such as drug education, addiction resources, and helpful links. Users will be able to view press releases, and calendar events which are tailored to the specific counties within the METRICH region along with providing the availability to citizens to submit direct tips to METRICH detectives while remaining anonymous. The METRICH Enforcement Unit App is the first of its kind to be used by a drug taskforce within the state of Ohio. We hope citizens within the METRICH region will take full advantage of this new platform and together we can reduce the availability of drugs that enter our community on a daily basis.

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



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.