

## METRICH-MARMET drug task force seizes 430 grams of fentanyl

A Marion man has been arrested following one of the largest fentanyl busts in county history, according to law enforcement officials.

In a press release issued Friday, May 1, Lt. Chris Adkins of the METRICH-MARMET Drug Task Force said the unit seized 430 grams of fentanyl, \$10,000 in cash, and a firearm during the raid of locations in the 400 blocks of Executive and Lynn drives and the 100 block of South Seffner Avenue. Task force members executed warrant searches at each location last week. The raid ended an investigation that lasted several months, Adkins said.



Officers arrested Travon Floyd, 23, Marion, as a result of the investigation. Charges against Floyd are pending. No court date has been scheduled, according to online court records. He is being held at the Multi-County Correctional Center.

“This seizure of fentanyl, one of the largest fentanyl busts in Marion history, undoubtedly saved lives of citizens of our community and perhaps others as well,” Marion Police Chief Bill Collins said. “We are grateful that this major drug trafficker was able to be apprehended without any incident. Marion’s law enforcement officers continue to do all they can to protect and serve our community, even in this COVID-19 crisis.”

METRICH-MARMET worked on the case in conjunction with the Marion City Police Department, Marion City Special Response Team, Marion County Sheriff’s Office, Marion County Prosecutor, Marion County Adult Probation, and the Wyandot County Sheriff’s Office.

METRICH-MARMET, the Marion Metro Drug Enforcement Unit, is a member of the METRICH Drug Task Force, a collaboration of nine counties promoting regional cooperation and greater efficiency in drug investigations.

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