

METRICH 10-county region collects nearly a ton in prescription take-back event

The METRICH Enforcement Unit along with local agencies in its 10-county region, participated in the Drug Enforcement Administration's (DEA) National Prescription Take Back Initiative on April 22.

Numerous law enforcement agencies from the METRICH region also participated. The METRICH region collected over 1,952 pounds of unused or expired prescription medication.

Community participation and commitment by all law enforcement agencies in the METRICH region was key to the success of this event.



Below is a breakdown of all agencies that participated in this event.

Richland County

Mansfield Police Department 167.2 lbs.
Richland County Sheriff's Office 21.8 lbs.
Shelby Police Department 34.3 lbs.
Bellville Police Department 45.8 lbs.
Lexington Police Department 37.4 lbs.

Ashland County

Ashland Sheriff's Office 200 lbs.

Crawford County

Bucyrus Police Department 85.8 lbs.
Galion Police Department 76 lbs.
Crestline Police Department 32 lbs.
Crawford County Sheriff's Office 105 lbs.

Hancock County

Hancock County Sheriff's Office 93.6 lbs.

Huron County

Huron County Sheriff's Office 16.4 lbs.
Willard Police Department 13 lbs.

New London Police Department 162.5 lbs.
Bellevue Police Department 56 lbs.
Norwalk Police Department 138.2 lbs.
Plymouth Police Department 15 lbs.

Knox County

Danville Police Department 30.4 lbs.
Fredericktown Police Department 25.5 lbs.
Mount Vernon Police Department 63.8 lbs.

Marion County

Marion County Sheriff's Office / Marion Police Department 245 lbs.

Morrow County

Morrow County Sheriff's Office 75.92 lbs.

Seneca County

Fostoria Police Department 59.83 lbs.
Tiffin Police Department 26.6 lbs.
Seneca County Sheriff's Office 70.73 lbs.

Wyandot County

Wyandot County Sheriff's Office 55 lbs.

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