

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE May 11, 2026

Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee
TO Cara Mendelsohn (Chair), Jesse Moreno (Vice Chair), Laura Cadena, Maxie Johnson, Jaime Resendez, William Roth, Kathy Stewart

SUBJECT **Marshal's Homeless Action Response Team Activity Report**

The Marshal's Office assigns Deputies to work on the Homeless Action Response Team (HART) and assists the office of homeless solutions daily on encampment cleaning and closures. Deputy Marshal's collaborate with code enforcement, Dallas Animal Services, and crises response teams to ensure the safety of everyone while addressing encampments.

Marshal's Office Activity	March	April
Encampments/decommissioned locations Marshal's responded to	205	162
Investigation of sleeping/encampment in parks or on trails	9	7
Number of encampments cleaned	90	59
Number of encampments decommissioned	0	0
Unsheltered individuals contacted during OHS operations	565	238
Drugs/drug paraphernalia seized	0	0
Weapons Seized	1	0
Stolen property seized	1	0
Enforcement action citation/arrest	64	45
Verbal warning issued by Marshal	6	8

Service First, Now!

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c: Kimberly Bizzor Tolbert, City Manager
Bertram Vandenberg, City Attorney (I)
Mamatha Sparks, City Auditor (I)
Biliera Johnson, City Secretary
Preston Robinson, Administrative Judge
Baron Eliason, Inspector General (I)

Dev Rastogi, Assistant City Manager
M. Elizabeth (Liz) Cedillo-Pereira, Assistant City Manager
Alina Ciocan, Assistant City Manager
Robin Bentley, Assistant City Manager
Jack Ireland, Chief Financial Officer
Ahmad Goree, Chief of Staff to the City Manager
John Johnson, Chief of Real Estate
Directors and Assistant Directors