

# Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE January 12, 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.

<u>Marshal's Office Activity</u>	<u>Nov 2025</u>	<u>Dec 2025</u>
Encampments/decommissioned locations Marshal's responded to	171	156
Investigation of sleeping/encampment in parks or on trails	27	30
Number of encampments cleaned	33	57
Number of encampments decommissioned	0	0
Unsheltered individuals contacted during OHS operations	381	303
Drugs/drug paraphernalia seized	0	0
Weapons Seized	0	0
Stolen property seized	0	0
Enforcement action citation/arrest	29	33
Verbal warning issued by Marshal	7	6

Service First, Now!

Clifton Knight  
Interim City Marshal

c: Kimberly Bizzor Tolbert, City Manager  
Tammy Palomino, City Attorney  
Mark Swann, City Auditor  
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  
Donzell Gipson, Assistant City Manager  
Robin Bentley, Assistant City Manager  
Jack Ireland, Chief Financial Officer  
Ahmad Goree, Chief of Staff to the City Manager  
Directors and Assistant Directors