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Thank you to the Memphis Safe Task Force and National Guard!

President Donald J. Trump delivers positive report on the Memphis Safe Task Force (MSTF) in Memphis

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Today [March 23, 2026], President Donald J. Trump travels to Memphis to highlight the remarkable progress in restoring safety to a city long ranked among the nation's most dangerous. Under President Trump's leadership, the Memphis Safe Task Force — a decisive, aggressive federal intervention involving the National Guard and a host of federal agencies — has crushed violent crime where the policies of Democrats had failed.

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Since operations began, the Memphis Safe Task Force has driven a massive drop in crime:

- More than 7,400 arrests, including hundreds tied to homicides, sexual offenses, gang violence, and drug trafficking.
- 1,219 illegal firearms seized, getting deadly weapons off the streets and out of the hands of thugs who have terrorized the community.
- 150 missing children safely located, bringing families back together and rescuing the



President Trump met with the Memphis Safe Task Force (MSTF) leadership, National Guard members, members of his Cabinet, officeholders, and others when he chaired a roundtable in Memphis, TN. (Photo/Courtesy: The White House)

most vulnerable.

Crime statistics tell the story of clear success:

- Overall crime in Memphis is down more than 43% compared to the same period last year — a dramatic drop from the bloodshed ushered in by the failed policies of the past.
- Motor vehicle thefts are down 67%.
- Robberies are down 51%.
- Sexual assaults are down 38%.
- Homicides are down 35%.
- Burglaries are down 32%.
- Aggravated assaults are down 31%.
- Last year, the city recorded fewer than 200 murders for the first time since 2019, with shootings dropping nearly 40% from the previous year.

These are not just minor improvements; these are lives saved, families protected, and

To see President Trump's roundtable in Memphis on YouTube click link below:

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communities reclaimed from the grip of violence. While Democrats offered excuses, President Trump offered action — and Memphis is safer today because of it.

Law-abiding citizens deserve safety. Under President Trump, they are finally getting it.

SAF Win: Post Office Carry Ban injunction covers current and future members

In a case that has far-reaching implications, a District Court Judge in Texas held in favor of the Second Amendment Foundation (SAF) and its partners, confirming that all current and future members are covered by the injunction granted in the case which prevents the enforcement of the post office carry ban at most ordinary locations.

In September, the Northern District of Texas ruled in favor of SAF and declared the carry ban on post office property unconstitutional, enjoining its enforcement against the plaintiffs, including SAF and its members. In response to the ruling, the government filed a motion to limit the scope of the injunction to only the named individual plaintiffs and to members of SAF and its partner organizations who were members when the complaint was originally filed and

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The 'E' in DEI is for Equity, a Marxist Term. Research before you believe.

-A commentary from The Mid-South Tribune-

For the Record: U.S. Sen. Marsha Blackburn joins President Trump on his historic trip to Memphis to review progress of the Memphis Safe Task Force



By U.S. Sen. Marsha Blackburn (R-TN)

MARCH 23, 2026 - Today, I have the honor of joining President Trump for his first visit to Memphis since launching the Memphis Safe Task Force last

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year to end this great, historic city's crime crisis. In many ways, he will see a Memphis that has been transformed for the better.

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President Trump, those days are over. Since launching in September, the Memphis Safe Task Force has driven down overall crime by 43 percent compared with a year ago—including a 40 percent drop in sexual assault, 56 percent drop in robbery, 68 percent drop in motor vehicle theft, and 36 percent drop in murder.

By coordinating resources between more than two dozen local, state, and federal agencies—including the FBI, U.S. Marshals, Tennessee Highway Patrol, Tennessee National Guard, and Memphis Police Department—the task force has been remarkably successful at getting criminals off the street. Since September, authorities have made more than 9,000 ar-

rests, including for more than 3,300 violent offenses. Among them are hundreds of warrant arrests for domestic violence, aggravated assault, and weapons crimes, as well as dozens more for sexual assault and homicide.

These criminals are among the worst of the worst. On a single day in late February, authorities arrested a 26-year-old woman wanted for killing a two-year-old boy; a 23-year-old man facing charges of first-degree murder, aggravated robbery, aggravated assault, and reckless endangerment with a deadly weapon; and a 24-year-old man wanted for drug distribution and possession of prohibited firearms. Members of the task force are working every single day to get dangerous criminals like these off Memphis streets.

While making arrests, authorities have also recovered more than 2,200 illegal firearms and 1,200 stolen vehicles and rescued more than 150 missing children.

With this resounding success, it should come as no surprise that 62 percent of Memphians say the initiative has been effective at reducing crime. Another 86 percent

support hiring more police officers, while 77 percent say they want Shelby County to build a new jail facility.

To ensure these wins for Memphis endure, the Shelby County District Attorney's Office must prosecute violent criminals and keep them behind bars where they belong. Yet so far, District Attorney Steve Mulroy has failed to enforce Tennessee's criminal code and hold offenders accountable.

In December, just 84 defendants in Shelby County Criminal Court received prison time out of 514 resolved felony cases. When State Senator Brent Taylor (R.) and I pressed Mulroy to explain his low prosecution rate, he admitted that 166 of those cases involved violent offenses—meaning his office released dozens of violent criminals back onto the streets with no jail time.

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about the future of Memphis. It is one of our nation's most iconic, historic cities, and I firmly believe that—thanks to President Trump's leadership—Memphis's best days lie ahead.

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