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- From approximately 1988 – 2002 the Portsmouth Police Department participated in two Drug Task Forces, the South Central Drug Task Force and the Scioto Lawrence Drug Task Force.
- I was involved briefly in the South Central Task Force and extensively in the Scioto Lawrence.

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- The Portsmouth Police Department contributed approximately \$10,000 and two men each year to the South Central Task Force.
- Portsmouth received very little return, most of the time only getting someone working part-time in Portsmouth.

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- The Portsmouth Police Department contributed money and one fulltime person to the Scioto Lawrence Drug Task Force.
- After approximately one year, to my recollection, less than five arrests were made.