

# Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Service

## Fire Chief's General Order

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**TO:** All MCFRS Personnel

**FROM:** Fire Chief Steven E. Lohr



**SUBJECT:** Annual 2013 MDA "Fill-the-Boot" Campaign

MCFRS on-duty career and volunteer personnel are strongly encouraged to participate in the annual "MDA Fill-the-Boot" Campaign. This years event will occur on August 28th (B shift), 29<sup>th</sup> (C shift), and 30<sup>th</sup> (A shift). The activity is approved from 0800 to 2000 hours on each of the collection days.

Units may not be available during periods of time due to call load. Personnel should concentrate on the morning, midday, and afternoon rush hour periods. During off time, personnel may assist in sorting collected monies, meal breaks, and performing normal station maintenance activity.

Stations may conduct "Fill-the-Boot" activities at an intersection independently, but are encouraged to partner up with another stations at high volume intersections which borders adjoining stations or response areas. Station Officers must forward the intersection locations, rotation schedules, and proposed times of activity to their Battalion Chief or Duty Officer by 2000 hours of the preceding shift.

MCFRS on-duty career and volunteer personnel must comply with the following:

- *Apparatus must be positioned safely to avoid impeding traffic and must be located proximal to facilitate quick response to emergency incidents.*
- *Participating on-duty personnel MUST wear traffic vests and carry a portable radio.*
- *Participating personnel must wear a Class C uniform.*