

South Precinct 2842 H.F. Shepherd Drive, Decatur, GA, 30034

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The South Precinct makes every effort to engage the South DeKalb community to take a shared responsibility approach to crime with the understanding that we cannot effect the changes we want to see without working together.



South Precinct is approximately 55.4 square miles and contains about 124,261 residents. The precinct boundaries cover an area from the Clayton and Henry County borders, to as far north as Memorial Drive, and Glenwood Avenue to Wesley Chapel Road.

South Precinct's Public Education Specialist, Dr. Paula Tate, organizes community meetings and Precinct-sponsored events, citizen safety briefings, Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design inspections and public education for the community. Please contact Dr. Tate at pvtate@dekalbcountyga.gov, or 404-286-7955 to get more information on when/where the below Precinct-sponsored events are happening:

- Coffee with a Cop is facilitated every month at a different location in the community. This event gives citizens and business owners the chance to interact with the South Precinct officers who protect their community and establish enhanced relationships with those in service.
- Major's Night Out is held every month at several different locations. Major Robertson travels to businesses and communities and listens to concerns and questions. He takes these concerns and addresses them by deploying police resources, directing the public to additional County resources, and following up to ensure that concerns are resolved.
- Clergy meetings are conducted by the Precinct every month. Major Robertson hosts these meetings open to any member of any religious affiliation in South Precinct. The purpose being to forge a stronger bond between the Department and the clergy in efforts to affect positive change within the community.
- Community engagement meetings are held once a month where community members are invited to interact with Precinct command staff. We answer questions or concerns and attendees learn about Departmental resources. Guest speakers from other County Departments are featured to educate citizens about County services.
- National Night Out is recognized twice a year, usually in August and October. This
 wonderful event gives citizens and business owners a chance to take back the
 night and enjoy camaraderie with Precinct officers, command staff and civilian
 support staff.