

Questions for Border Patrol
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Q. Recently a small town of 3,600, Lockland, Ohio, received 3,100 immigrants from South Africa. The city is only 1.2 square miles in area. It almost doubled the population. Needless to say it has caused major problems with housing, jobs, food, etc., including racial violence. Who determines how many immigrants are sent or permitted to go to a given town? Is it controlled? Is it negotiated with elected officials? Do the people have any say? These South Africans are now 40% of the population of Lockland. Asked by Ray Witt

Q. Have migrants been transported to this area? If so, how many and what community? Any violent attacks? Asked by Tom Kiefer

Q. What happens when an illegal is caught? Catch & release? Please explain the process. Asked by Cathy Javaras

Q. Are there laws currently on the books to help control and handle illegal immigrants that aren't being enforced either because of direction from above or by our choice? Asked by Craig Gillig

Q. When and where did they arrive in Sandusky and how many came? How did they get a boat? Who arranged the drop-off? Asked by Kathryn Orovets

Q. Are there illegal immigrants coming to Ottawa County? If so, how are they allowed to come here and how do we get them removed? Me and my family immigrated to the U.S. in 1995 for my job. In 2012 we became American citizens. We were fully vetted and did it the right way. Asked by Alan Tempich

Q. I would guess at least 10,000 dedicated terrorists must be in our country. Given that only 19 terrorists devastated the USA in 2001, what is planned to deal with this threat? Asked by John Gulick

Q. Are the gang markings generally openly displayed? Are they usually on one portion of the body? Is there more than one? Can we get access to images of the markings?

Asked by J. Wright

Q. Is it possible to arrest and detain the criminals and not involve Border Patrol? Are we becoming the northern border because of Lake Erie? Asked by Ruth Carroll

Q. Are these illegal aliens armed? Describe the gang tattoo. Asked by John Stayancho

Q. How is Border Patrol going about monitoring illegal migration across the lake?
Asked by Rose

Q. So, ultimately if an illegal immigrant commits a crime they will be arrested then released? By federal law? Asked by Liz Chicoine

Q. Are we having issues with our Lake Erie protected border? If yes, what can we, who live on the lakefront, do to help law enforcement? Asked by C. Osborne

Q. Does the public have access to Border Patrol activities and arrests?

Q. Why is this forum not being conducted by the Border Patrol or other federal authorities like Homeland Security? Asked by Ray Witt

Q. Do you know the number of these people in Sandusky? How are they getting in our area from Sandusky – or where are they coming from? Asked by Wendy Kolar

Q. How many illegal aliens are in Ottawa County and adjacent counties? What is the makeup/origination of these aliens? Asked by Rick Bast

Q. How many illegals have been arrested in Ottawa County?

Q. Approximately how many illegals are in Ottawa County?

Q. Do you feel there is a connection between the influx of Venezuelan criminals and the human trafficking corridor between Detroit and Toledo? Asked by Becky

Q. As far as I know none of these book & release so called laws have been passed by Congress. So why do we have to obey them? Asked by Larry Bowers

Q. I have watched a truck unload a truckful of people who had been crammed into the covered bed of the truck in the parking lot of Golden Corral in Sandusky. What can citizens do if we see this happen? Asked by Linda Gulick

Q. The entire purpose of this meeting should be centered around illegal persons in our neighborhoods threatening our very well being. Gang members are a concern for all. We are here to ask what our Border Patrol is doing to protect us. This meeting wouldn't be taking place if the incident at Marblehead Estates had not occurred. Asked by Nancy Brown

Q. Do we now use ICE on speed dial instead of local law enforcement? Asked by J. S. Hawken and Tana Boytim

Q. When an undocumented person is brought to court, what legal rights are they offered and why? Asked by Debbie SanFillipo

Q. It's my understanding that as of two weeks ago there are 28 Venezuelan gang members living in Sandusky; one, the man who was caught at condos off Bayshore. What is being done to remove them from Sandusky and deport them? How are they being monitored? What is protocol with our local law enforcement with this situation or situations? What is Border Patrol doing to monitor these individuals and eliminate them? Asked by Val Walton

Q. How many known immigrants are in this area which are a danger to the residents? Asked by Carol Manbeck

Q. I heard that the gang has started a war with Chicago gangs. What, if any, do we have here? Asked by Kim Bowers

Q. How many illegal/undocumented persons/immigrants are known in the area? Is this data tracked and made public? Asked by William Verne