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Marietta Police Unveil High-Tech Scooters

Scooters Can Hit 12 mph

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MARIETTA, Ga. -- The Marietta Police Department added some high-tech wheels Wednesday to its fleet.

Officers demonstrated two new T3 Motion scooters the department purchased for \$12,000 each with seized drug funds.

The Segway-like scooters are electric powered and after a four hour charge can hit up to 12 mph.

Police officials said the rising cost of gas was a factor in purchasing the T3s.

The scooters will be used to patrol special events and high density areas such as the Marietta Square.

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