

FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

"Serving Our Community"



2015 ANNUAL REPORT

SHERIFF ZACH SCOTT



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Our Mission

THE FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, IS A FULL-SERVICE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AN ARM OF THE COURTS, AND THE CUSTODIAL KEEPER OF THOSE WHO BREAK THE LAW. IT IS THE MISSION OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO PROTECT THE LIVES AND PROPERTY OF THE CITIZENS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, TO PRESERVE THE PEACE, AND TO PREVENT CRIME AND DISORDER WHILE CONSTANTLY GUARDING PERSONAL LIBERTIES AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW. THIS MUST BE DONE WITH HONOR AND INTEGRITY, CONDUCTING OURSELVES WITH THE HIGHEST ETHICAL STANDARDS TO MAINTAIN PUBLIC CONFIDENCE.

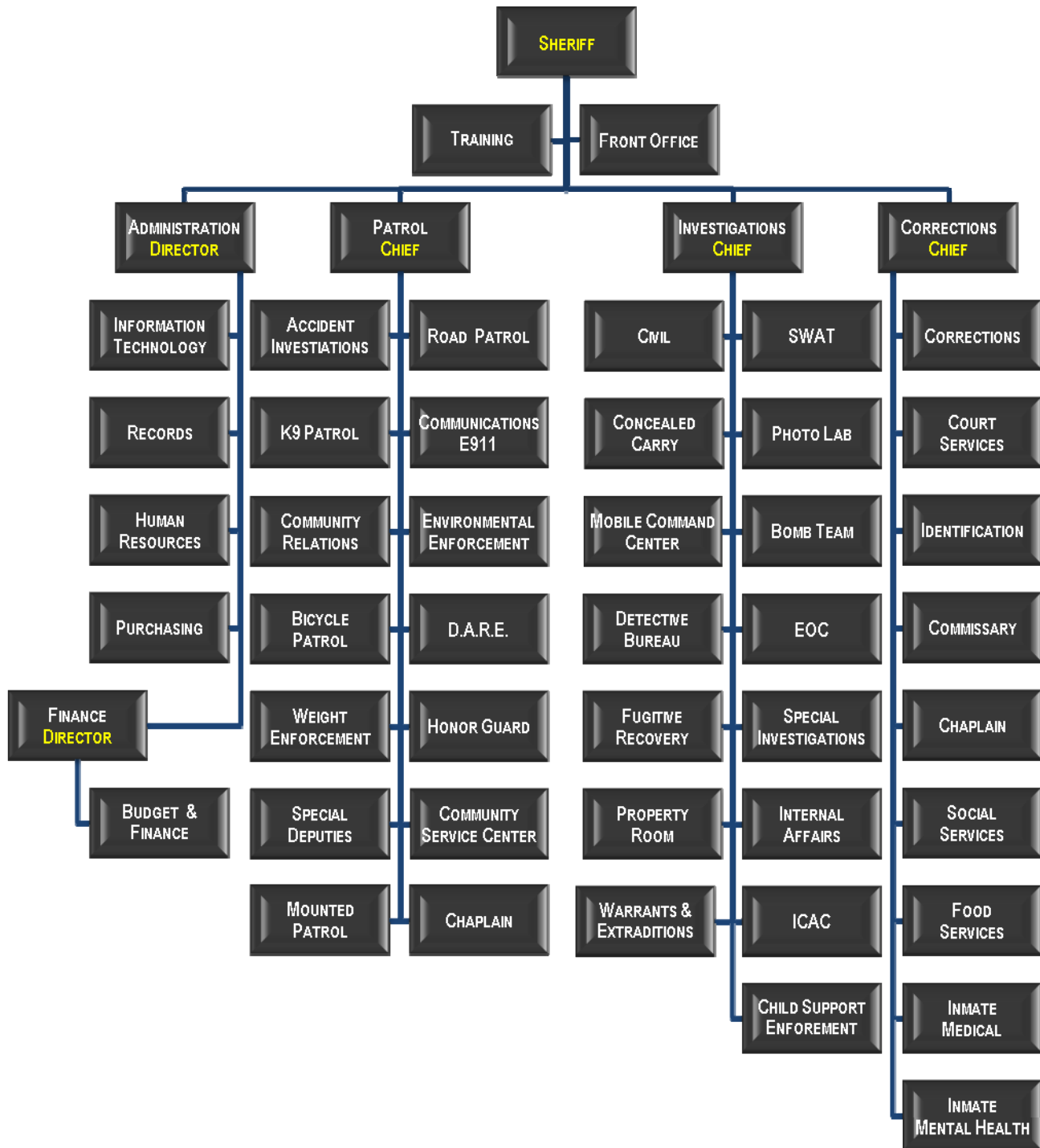
"It is an honor and a privilege to command one of Central Ohio's finest and most well-equipped law enforcement agencies in the country, staffed with some of the most highly trained and dedicated law enforcement professionals in the business of serving and protecting. I encourage you to visit the Franklin County Sheriff's Office website at www.sheriff.franklincountyohio.gov to find information and resources, and to learn more about the work that our office does for Franklin County, Ohio."

-Sheriff Zach Scott



Organizational Structure Chart

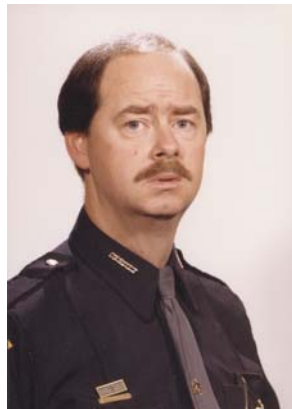
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In Memory



On Wednesday, June 15, 1960, Deputy Jack R. Ellwanger was killed instantly by a motorist while directing traffic at the scene of an accident on Sunbury Road. The motorist, according to Sgt. Harry Lewis, was traveling south and continued on after striking the officer. Deputies said that the youth returned to the scene after a girlfriend, who was with him, told him that he had hit a man. Gahanna police arrested him as he returned to the scene. He was slated at the county jail as Robert Maynard and held for investigation.



In the morning hours of April 11, 1983, Lt. Sharon Moore and her husband, Deputy Joseph Moore, were enroute to their work location. A trailing vehicle operated by Sharon's ex-husband, William Bryant, fired upon their vehicle. A rolling gun battle continued through the eastern part of Reynoldsburg. Lt. Sharon Moore was struck in the head and Deputy Joseph Moore was struck in the chest as he exited their vehicle. Joe died en route to the hospital and Sharon succumbed to her injuries on May 5, 1983. William Bryant died at the scene as a result of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

In Memory



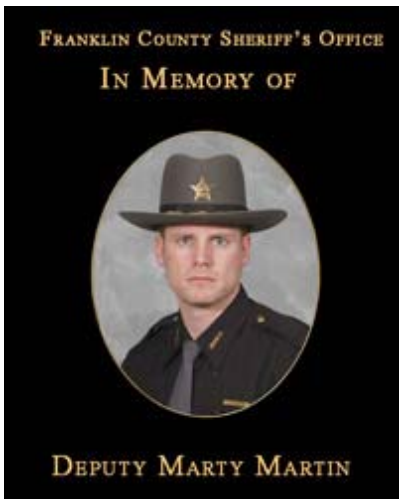
On Thursday, January 27, 1994, just two days prior to his 25th birthday, Deputy Ronald L. Coen was responding to assist as back up on a complaint. As he was traveling southbound on Stelzer Road, his cruiser hydroplaned on a flooded area created by recent rains. His vehicle slid off the roadway and struck a utility pole. Deputy Coen was pinned in the cruiser, after being removed he was transported to Grant Hospital where he later died as a result of his injuries.



On Tuesday, January 20, 2000, Deputy Jeffrey Allen Wehr was assigned to oversee the kitchen at the county jail on Front Street. Around 5:30 p.m., Deputy Wehr did not respond to repeated calls on his radio, and a search began. After hearing the radio through a locked restroom door in the kitchen area, Sheriff Karnes ordered officers to force the door open. Deputies performed CPR on Deputy Wehr until Columbus Fire Medics arrived. Their efforts were to no avail, and Deputy Wehr was pronounced DOA as a result of medical reasons.



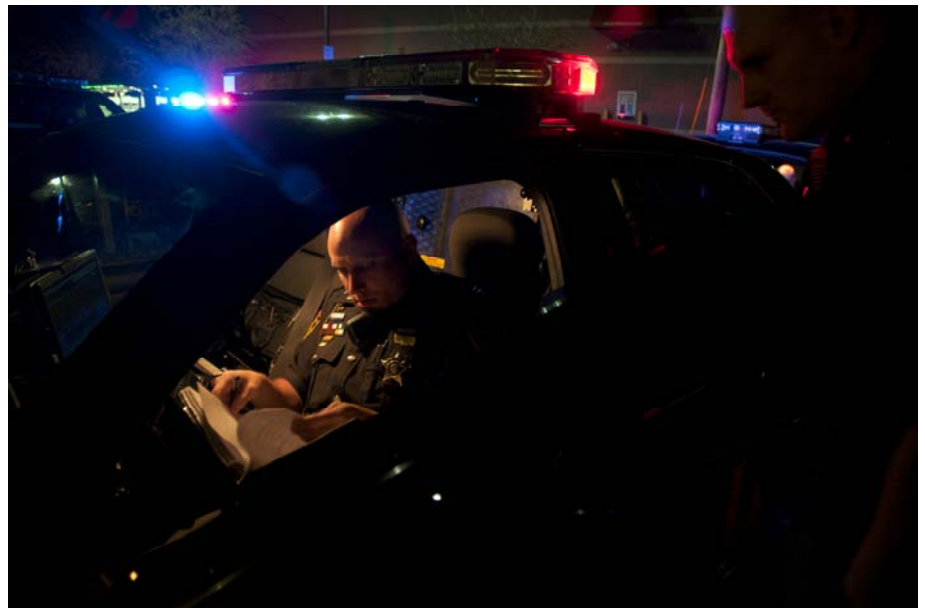
On August 5, 2007 Special Deputy Bollinger was killed in a single-car automobile accident as he and another deputy returned from an assignment. While driving in the rain and under slick roads conditions, Deputy Greg Thomas lost control of the department vehicle and hit a utility pole. Both men were transported to a local hospital where Deputy Bollinger was pronounced dead. Deputy Thomas was treated for non-life-threatening injuries.



On September 6, 2008 Detective Martin was killed in a single-car automobile accident as he and another deputy worked on an undercover operation. The SUV in which Detective Martin was a passenger struck a culvert and overturned due to heavy rain conditions. Detective Martin was transported to the hospital where he succumbed to his injuries. Detective Martin's partner sustained minor injuries.

Patrol Bureau

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office Patrol Bureau is responsible for patrolling Franklin County and enforcing the criminal and traffic laws of the State of Ohio. Patrol deputies answer calls for services and complete written reports on crimes. In many cases they conduct the preliminary investigation on criminal activity. Patrol deputies respond to traffic accidents rendering aid to the injured, when necessary, as well as investigating the causative factors and conditions surrounding the accident. Patrol deputies also perform many support services to the other bureaus of the Sheriff's Office, such as executing arrest, probate and search warrants.



Patrol Bureau

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Dispatched Runs	56,041	50,482	11.0%
Pick Up Runs	73,625	79,229	-7.1%
Domestic Runs	872	816	6.9%
Domestic Assists	1,200	1,131	6.1%
Reports Taken	5,059	4,977	1.6%
F.I. Cards	255	277	-7.9%
Record Checks	25,086	28,146	-10.9%
House Checks	5,651	5,724	-1.3%
Business Checks	34,914	34,073	2.5%
Citizen Assists	6,220	4,845	28.4%
Stolen Vehicles Recovered	246	248	-0.8%
Vehicles Impounded	2,888	3,139	-8.0%
Traffic Warnings	10,005	10,254	-2.4%
Non-Crash Citations	13,865	15,569	-10.9%
OMVI Arrests	565	600	-5.8%
Felony Arrests	502	644	-22.0%
Misdemeanor Arrests	2,846	3,076	-7.5%
Warrant Arrest – Felony	542	474	14.3%
Warrant Arrest – Misdemeanor	1,482	3,076	-51.8%
Prisoners Conveyed	2,843	3,163	-10.1%
Trustees Conveyed	388	643	-39.7%
Twp. / Village Meetings	24	24	0.0%
Total Miles Driven	1,534,989	1,463,912	4.9%
Total Crashes Investigated	2,571	2,440	5.4%
Crash Citations	1,806	1,703	6.0%
Total On-Duty Hours	163,043.55	155,176.00	5.1%
Special Assignment Hours	8,538.85	7,279.50	17.3%
In-Service Training Hours	6,179.50	8,122.50	-23.9%
Overtime Worked	10,127.65	14,873.50	-31.9%
Comp Time (Earned)	6,430	4,325	48.7%
Court Time (Earned)	2,055.00	2,226.85	-7.7%
Sick Time (Used)	4,035.25	3,937.75	2.5%
Approved Time Off (Pl, Cu, Va)	26,681.25	25,254.25	5.7%

Canine Unit

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office Canine Unit is part of the Patrol Bureau. Its responsibilities include tracking of criminal suspects and lost persons, evidence recovery, bomb detection, drug detection, and general patrol duties. The canine unit is one of the few available in central Ohio and their use is often requested by other agencies.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Dispatched Runs	2,026	1,579	28.3%
Pick Up Runs	5,986	5,100	17.4%
Total Miles Driven	151,328	135,922	11.3%
Canine Related Runs	1,507	1,192	26.4%
Canine Demonstrations	39	35	11.4%
Request for Canine Assistance	701	867	-19.1%
Building Searches	88	43	104.7%
Track Runs	59	74	-20.3%
Evidence Searches	14	17	-17.6%
Field Searches	38	38	0.0%
Search and Rescue	0	0	0%
Explosive Detection	87	133	-34.6%
Narcotics Detection	644	694	-7.2%
Canine Related Arrests	13	18	-27.8%
Canine Assisted Arrests	155	191	-18.8%
Canine Use of Force	0	2	-100.0%
Suspects Arrested	233	268	-13.1%
Canine Illness / Injury Hours	96	45	113.3%
Total Hours Worked	11,428.05	10,575	8.1%
Overtime Worked	799.75	1,419	-43.6%
In-Service Training	682	1,094.50	-37.7%
Outside Agency Requests	544	502	8.4%



Special Deputies

The Franklin County Sheriff's Special Deputies are citizens who volunteer their time and equipment to assist the Sheriff's Office. The Special Deputies are certified peace officers through the Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy.

2015 Personnel: 58

2015 Total Hours Donated: 10,900.2

2014 Personnel: 54

2014 Total Hours Donated: 10,621.50

Percent Change in Personnel: 7.40%

Percent Change in Hours Donated: 2.62%

2015 Activities

Assistance to the personnel in all areas of the Sheriff's Office
Dignitary Visits
Franklin County Board of Elections Details
Prairie Township Fire Department Fish Fry
Franklin County Fair
D.U.I. Checkpoints
St. Stephens Community Center Christmas Care Program
Halloween Patrol
Various Parades
Community Service Center
O.P.O.T.A's Law Enforcement Memorial Ceremony
Toy Ride for Children's Hospital
Warrant Sweeps
MACC Music Festival at Hoover Y Park
Various ceremonial events by the Honor Guard/Bagpipers
Hamilton Twp Spaghetti Dinner
Military Send Off>Returns
Westland Area Business Association
SWAT Team Details
Dive Team Details
Mounted Unit Details

Bagpipers

The bagpipers perform at various ceremonial events throughout the year such as funerals, memorial services and parades.

Honor Guard

Honor Guard members are utilized at funeral services and various ceremonial events.

Dive Team

Members assist the FCSO Dive Team with various dive functions.

SWAT

Members assist the FCSO Swat team with various swat functions.

Dive Team

The Franklin County Sheriff's Marine Emergency Rescue Team is responsible for the rescue of people involved in water emergencies. They also search for and recover the bodies of drowning victims and evidence that may have been disposed of in a body of water. Personnel are assigned to this unit on a collateral duty basis.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change From 2014
Call Outs	12	7	71.4%
Bodies Recovered	2	1	100.0%
Vehicles Recovered	1	2	-50.0%
Other Agencies Assisted	10	6	66.7%
Unfounded Calls	5	2	150.0%
Training Hours	1,730	1,424	21.5%
Evidence Recoveries	1	2	-50.0%
Public Relations / Education Events	13	6	116.7%



Traffic Bureau

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office Traffic Bureau is responsible for the investigation of fatal, serious injury, hit skip, and department vehicle crashes. The bureau also investigates and, if necessary, removes abandoned and junk vehicles. The officers assigned to the bureau are responsible for the disposition of vehicles impounded by members of the office.

Investigations	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Fatal Traffic Crashes Investigated	17	19	-10.5%
Alcohol Involved	7	10	-30.0%
Traffic Fatalities	18	19	-5.3%
Drivers Killed	13	12	8.3%
Passengers Killed	3	2	50.0%
Pedestrians Killed	2	4	-50.0%
Motorcycle Drivers Killed	1	1	0.0%
Bicyclists Killed	0	0	0.0%
Serious Injury Crashes Investigated	9	8	12.5%
Hit Skips Investigated	127	121	5.0%
Sheriff's Office Crashes			
Total Crashes	53	58	-8.6%
Marked Vehicles	33	33	0.0%
Unmarked Vehicles	20	25	-20.0%
Deputies Injured	9	9	0.0%
Deputies at Fault	19	24	-20.8%
Cost of Repairs	\$162,267.77	\$37,787.44	329.4%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles			
Complaints on Abandoned Vehicles	15	n/a	0.0%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles Impounded	0	1	-100.0%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles Titles Notarized	433	478	-9.4%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicle Letters Sent	0	0	0.0%
Affidavit Sent of Search	1,884	2,154	-12.5%

Traffic Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Crash Reports Taken	40	72	-44.4%
Crash Citations Issued	25	9	177.8%
Non-Crash Citations	599	493	21.5%
OMVI Arrests	3	1	200.0%
School Bus Complaints	9	3	200.0%
School Bus Violation Citations	0	0	0%
Parking / Traffic Warnings	544	437	24.5%
Citizen Assists	31	22	40.9%
Felony Cases			
Vehicular Homicide	1	6	-83.3%
Felony DUI	4	6	-33.3%
Felony Hit-Skips	2	4	-50.0%
Felony Fleeing	10	10	0.0%
Other Felony Traffic	1	3	-66.7%
Sobriety Checkpoints			
Checkpoints	16	19	-15.8%
Vehicles in Zone	9062	7,030	28.9%
Vehicles Checked	4,443	3,760	18.2%
Vehicles Diverted	405	364	11.3%
DUI Arrests	26	29	-10.3%
Traffic Citations	108	96	12.5%
No Operator's License Arrests	75	101	-25.7%
Misdemeanor Arrests	58	28	107.1%
Felony Arrests	3	7	-57.1%
Administrative and General			
Misdemeanor Arrests	16	28	-42.9%
Felony Arrests	1	4	-75.0%
Offense Reports Taken	9	19	-52.6%
Crash Reports Taken in Office	53	72	-26.4%
In-Service Training	416	797	-47.8%
Interviews Conducted	57	38	50.0%
Office Detail Hours	3,868	3,624	6.7%
Crash Reports Checked	2,550	2,120	20.3%
Sick Time	1.5	214	-99.3%
Overtime	861	776.25	10.9%
Miles Driven	78,528	66,929	17.3%



Weight Enforcement

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office Weight Enforcement Unit's primary function is to enforce the state laws regarding overloaded, oversized vehicles in order to preserve the roadways and bridges in Franklin County. The Weight Enforcement Unit is a self-supporting unit and is funded through the Franklin County Engineer's Road and Bridge Fund.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Overload Cites	384	279	37.6%
Other Truck Violations	34	11	209.1%
Overload Warnings	150	48	212.5%
Other Truck Warnings	201	191	5.2%

Weight Enforcement Fines Issued

January	\$9,378	\$2,144	337.4%
February	\$17,606	\$3,661	380.9%
March	\$25,983	\$6,051	329.4%
April	\$28,848	\$4,607	526.2%
May	\$33,367	\$9,745	242.4%
June	\$21,570	\$11,783	83.1%
July	\$31,396	\$23,801	31.9%
August	\$31,948	\$25,514	25.2%
September	\$25,965	\$16,825	54.3%
October	\$16,296	\$21,598	-24.5%
November	\$20,639	\$19,110	8.0%
December	\$27,803	\$21,593	28.8%
Totals:	\$290,799	\$166,432	74.7%

Weight Enforcement Fines Collected

January	\$7,183	\$3,355	114.1%
February	\$6,251	\$3,152	98.3%
March	\$12,009	\$6,635	81.0%
April	\$13,261	\$5,215	154.3%
May	\$13,340	\$9,605	38.9%
June	\$15,045	\$9,716	54.8%
July	\$14,163	\$14,354.50	-1.3%
August	\$15,234	\$21,538	-29.3%
September	\$13,496	\$14,455	-6.6%
October	\$13,257	\$18,197	-27.1%
November	\$11,271	\$18,861	-40.2%
December	\$14,925	\$19,582	-23.8%
Totals:	\$149,434	\$144,665.50	3.3%

Communications

The Franklin County Sheriff's Communications Center is responsible for taking calls for service, including E911, from the public, other agencies and other bureaus within the office and dispatching the appropriate law enforcement, fire, or medical personnel to handle the situation. Personnel in the Communications Center also operate computer terminals in the checking of vehicle and driver information.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Runs Dispatched	241,185	241,834	-0.3%
911 Calls Received	111,087	117,044	-5.1%
Dispatched Runs			
By Duty Shift			
1 st Shift (7:00am – 3:00pm)	83,969	84,328	-0.4%
2 nd Shift (3:00pm-11:00pm)	111,123	111,213	-0.1%
3 rd Shift (11:00pm – 7:00am)	46,293	46,293	0.0%
Zone 1			
Northwest Franklin County	Dispatched Runs 2015	Dispatched Runs 2014	Change From 2014
10	448	440	1.8%
11	124	133	-6.8%
12	311	326	-4.6%
13	8	11	-27.3%
Calls in Columbus	9	4	125.0%
Other Jurisdictions	1047	1,015	3.2%
Zone 2			
Northeast Franklin County	Dispatched Runs 2015	Dispatched Runs 2014	Change From 2014
20	12,519	11,008	13.7%
21	556	435	27.8%
22	21,787	21,510	1.3%
23	2,186	2009	8.8%
Calls in Columbus	138	167	-17.4%
Other Jurisdictions	4,569	4,334	5.4%

Zone 3	Dispatched	Dispatched	Change
Southwest Franklin County	Runs 2015	Runs 2014	From 2014
30	2253	2,117	6.4%
31	5007	5,247	-4.6%
32	14336	11,029	30.0%
33	10620	12,188	-12.9%
Calls in Columbus	61	40	52.5%
Other Jurisdictions	4839	4,568	5.9%
Zone 4			
Southeast Franklin County			
40	11926	11,342	5.1%
41	2529	4,611	-45.2%
42	18461	19,410	-4.9%
43	52	46	13.0%
Calls in Columbus	309	375	-17.6%
Other Jurisdictions	6010	5,908	1.7%



Community Relations

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office Community Relations personnel are assigned to speak to schools and neighborhood groups in an attempt to educate and gain the cooperation of citizens concerned about community crime and drug problems. They present various programs to the public such as Crime Watch, Personal Safety, and the D.A.R.E programs.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
D.A.R.E. Classroom Presentations	1,009	1,112	-9.3%
D.A.R.E. Graduates	8,216	1,632	403.4%
D.A.R.E. Graduation Ceremonies	2	555	-99.6%
Seatbelt Safety Presentations	0	0	0%
Seatbelt Safety Graduates	0	0	0%
Operation Street Smart / P.E.P. Presentations	176	71	147.9%
Miscellaneous Meetings	75	110	-31.8%
Evening/Weekend Programs	117	101	15.8%
Departmental Displays	28	32	-12.5%
Special Request Programs	17	58	-70.7%
Miscellaneous Drug Programs	15	44	-65.9%





Investigations Division

The purpose of the Investigations Division is to provide investigation services, civil enforcement, and support services to citizens, courts, as well as local, national and global law enforcement agencies so they can effectively live and work in a safe environment.



Detective Bureau

The Franklin County Sheriff's Detective Bureau is responsible for the investigation of criminal activity throughout Franklin County. This is accomplished by investigators interviewing victims, and witnesses, interrogating suspects, collecting and analyzing physical evidence and reviewing previous crime reports. The investigators document their efforts in a case file, which is presented to the Prosecutor's Office for the prosecution of the defendant.

Investigations	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Reports Received	10,882	11,375	-4.3%
Detective Bureau Investigations	10,882	11,375	-4.3%
Cleared by Arrest	2,520	2,686	-6.2%
Cleared Closed	4,899	4,376	12.0%
Cleared Unfounded	132	141	-6.4%
Major Crime Totals			
Homicides	4	6	-33.3%
Sexual Offenses	134	120	11.7%
Robberies	120	141	-14.9%
Assaults	1031	1,351	-23.7%
Burglaries	522	584	-10.6%
Thefts	2,240	2,464	-9.1%
Arrests			
Detective Bureau	2,328	2,509	-7.2%
Juvenile Bureau	192	176	9.1%
Total	2,520	2,686	-6.2%

SORN

(Sex Offender Registration Notification)

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Annual Verification	922	1020	-9.6%
Six Month Verification	780	508	53.5%
Quarterly Verification	1936	1797	7.7%
Work/School only	206	99	108.1%
New Tier Juvenile	13	21	-38.1%
New Tier I	55	81	-32.1%
New Tier II	87	119	-26.9%
New Tier III	39	131	-70.2%
On-Site Door Verification Attempts	2632	3133	-16.0%
On-Site Door Verification Completed	788	1301	-39.4%
Warrants Filed	117	225	-48.0%

The Tier classification system requirements are as follows:

- **Tier 1** - Sex offenders must register with the County Sheriff at least once annually for a period of 15 years. In addition, must register any change of residential address, place of employment, or enrollment in a school or institution of higher education.
- **Tier 2** - Sex offenders must register with the County Sheriff every 180 days for a period of 25 years. In addition, must register any change of residential address, place of employment, or enrollment in a school or institution of higher education.
- **Tier 3** - Sex offenders must register with the County Sheriff every 90 days for life. In addition, must register any change of residential address, place of employment, or enrollment in a school or institution of higher education.

Note: Tier III sex offenders are also subject to community notification, which means upon a change of residential address, the County Sheriff will provide notice to a neighborhood within 1,250 feet of the sex offenders residential address. The County Sheriff will also provide notice to schools, registered day-care providers, and law enforcement agencies within the 1,250 foot radius.

Tier sex offender classifications are determined based upon criminal conviction of offenses and criteria outlined in the table below.

Ohio offenses under Adam Walsh Act Tiers

Tier I

1. Importuning 2907.07
2. Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor 2907.04 (B)(2), unless consensual, case then not registration offense
3. Voyeurism 2907.08 (C) and (D) against a minor
4. Sexual Imposition 2907.06
5. Gross Sexual Imposition 2907.05 (A)(1)-(3) (5)
6. Illegal Use of a Minor in Nudity-oriented Material or Performance 2907.323 (A)(3) (AWA non-Ohio)
7. Voyeurism 2907.08 (A)(B) & (E) (Ohio, non-AWA)

8. Child Enticement 2905.05 (sexual motivation) (Ohio, non-AWA)

Tier II

1. Compelling Prostitution 2907.21
2. Pandering Obscenity Involving a Minor 2907.321
3. Pandering Sexually Oriented Material Involving a Minor 2907.322
4. Illegal Use of a Minor in Nudity-oriented Material or Performance 2907.323 (A)(1) & (2)
5. Child Endangering 2919.22 (B)(5)
6. Kidnapping with Sexual Motivation 2905.01 (A)(1)(3)(5)
7. Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor 2907.04 (B)(1)(3)(4)
8. Any Sexual Offense that occurs after the offender has been classified as a Tier I sex offender

Tier III

1. Rape 2907.02
2. Sexual Battery 2907.03
3. Aggravated Murder with Sexual Motivation 2903.01
4. Murder with Sexual Motivation 2903.02
5. Unlawful Death or Termination of Pregnancy As A Result of Committing or Attempting to Commit a Felony with Sexual Motivation 2903.04
6. Kidnapping of Minor to Engage in Sexual Activity 2905.01(A)(4)
7. Kidnapping of Minor, Not By Parent 2905.01(B)
8. Gross Sexual Imposition 2907.05 (A)(4) (Under 13)*
9. Felonious Assault with Sexual Motivation 2903.11**
10. Any Sexual Offense that occurs after the offender has been classified as a Tier II sex offender

* Federal offense is victim under 16

** comparable to Attempted Sexual Abuse 18 USCS 2242



Bomb Squad

The Franklin County Sheriff's Bomb Squad is responsible for rendering safe any suspected or improvised explosive device, disposing of unstable explosives, and giving technical advice, when requested. They also provide bomb sweeps and security for visiting dignitaries. The Bomb Squad is one of 17 accredited bomb squads in the State of Ohio. Many other agencies depend on our deputies' expertise to handle extremely hazardous situations.

Incident/ Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Hoax (incident)	2	5	-60.0%
Recovery (incident)	30	37	-18.9%
Suspicious package/unattended (incident)	3	7	-57.1%
Threat (incident)	4	5	-20.0%
Disposal/ destruct (activity)	13	8	62.5%
Operational Standby/Special Events (activity)	8	9	-11.1%



Civil Division

The Franklin County Sheriff's Civil Division is responsible for the serving of legal documents received from the court. These documents include subpoenas, writs, executions, protection orders and evictions from both Franklin County and foreign jurisdictions. The Civil Division is also responsible for the Sheriff's sale of real estate and the collection of fees from various legal processes.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Civil Subpoenas	331	341	-2.9%
Criminal Subpoenas	64,531	68,715	-6.1%
Domestic Subpoenas	148	196	-24.5%
Juvenile Subpoenas	13,041	15,623	-16.5%
Grand Jury Subpoenas	58	433	-86.6%
Probate Subpoenas	18	19	-5.3%
Civil Execution Desk			
Habere Facias	612	775	-21.0%
Writ of Execution	292	324	-9.9%
Order of Attachment	0	0	0%
Aid-In Execution	0	0	0%
Order of Possession	40	103	-61.2%
Alias	0	0	0%
Stalking Orders	2,341	2,004	16.8%
Final Stalking Orders	288	267	7.9%
Real Estate Division			
Order of Sales	4,232	5,189	-18.4%
Properties Sold	2,338	2,991	-21.8%
No Bid / No Sale	1,220	893	36.6%
Properties Withdrawn	1,421	2,001	-29.0%
Total Amount of Sales	\$191,136,832.28	\$245,835,308.18	-22.3%
Sheriff's Fees To General Fund	\$1,098,045.45	\$1,517,761.99	-27.7%
Domestic/Juvenile Desk			
Domestic Papers	354	346	2.3%
Juvenile Papers	2,602	2,556	1.8%
Total	2,956	2,902	1.9%
Foreign Desk			
Outside of Ohio	595	676	-12.0%
Ohio-Outside of Franklin County	6,406	6,757	-5.2%
Total	7,001	7,433	-5.8%
Foreign Protection Orders	367	364	0.8%

Fugitive Squad

The Franklin County Sheriff's Fugitive Squad is responsible for attempting the execution of outstanding warrants, capias, bench warrants, and municipal court warrants, thus arresting wanted felons throughout Franklin County. The deputies assigned to the Fugitive Squad are also charged with the task of receiving, effecting and activating Probate warrants. The deputies are called upon to testify in the Common Pleas Court to serve Fugitive from Justice and Governors warrants. The deputies also have the responsibility of traveling to other counties and states to insure the safe and timely return of prisoners from other jurisdictions back to Franklin County, Ohio.

Warrants	2015 Totals
Warrants Worked	1,981
Probates Orders Worked	361
Probate hearings Attended	163
In state Extraditions executed	295
Out of State Extraditions executed	153
Extradition Hearings Attended	98
Total Arrests	824



SWAT

The Franklin County Sheriff's SWAT Unit operates under the authority of Sheriff Zach Scott, and is under the direction of the Chief Deputy of the Investigations Division. Sheriff Scott has made this unit available to all jurisdictions within Franklin County and the State of Ohio under Homeland Security, in times of need. The SWAT unit is comprised of twenty-one Deputy Sheriffs broken down as follows: the SWAT Commander, 2 Team Leaders, 18 Operators, and a 3 member medical team consisting of 2 paramedics and a doctor. Four Sheriff's Emergency Response Team members are also attached to the team and are responsible for driving and maintaining vehicles.

The SWAT Unit averages over one hundred call outs per year. The situations giving rise to these call outs have included: Hostage rescue, Barricaded individuals with deadly weapons, Drug raids, High Risk Arrest Warrants, Warrant sweeps, and protection of dignitaries.

The SWAT Unit conducts twenty hours of in-service training each month preparing unit members to operate as a team in various scenarios that they have encountered or potentially may encounter. These training days are also used to maintain their mandated high skill level in their use of specialized weapons and equipment.

Activity	2015 Totals
Drug Search Warrants	73
Barricades	6
Surveillance	8

Wanted Fugitives

Warrants Worked- 1,119
Arrests made- 251

Monday Most Wanted-52
Monday Most Wanted arrested- 46

Probates

Probates Worked- 448
Probates in custody- 266



Photo Lab

The Franklin County Sheriff's Photo Lab processes, develops and prints all film, and digital images generated by the Franklin County Sheriff's Office including crime scene photographs, evidence photographs, accident photographs and special events. The Photo Lab processes, develops and prints film, and digital images for the Ohio State University, Grove City, Dublin, Gahanna and Worthington Police Departments, United States Marshal's Service, and the F.B.I.. Upon request from any department or agency, the Photo Lab will provide technical assistance. The Photo Lab is responsible for accepting and processing applications for the Concealed Carry Permits.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Digital Images Handled	464,567	598,924	-22.4%
Concealed Carry Applications	8,092	6,672	21.3%
Money Received For Services	\$637,118.00	\$522,896.00	21.8%
Web Checks	13,478	10,381	29.8%

Internal Affairs Bureau

The Franklin County Sheriff's Internal Affairs Bureau is responsible for the investigation of alleged misconduct by members of the Franklin County Sheriff's Office. These complaints include those made by the public and those made by other members of the Sheriff's Office. Internal Affairs also conducts investigations into any use of deadly force by deputies.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Total Reports	443	427	3.7%
Use of Force Reviews	339	325	4.3%
Use of Firearms	0	4	-100.0%
Justified Reports	333	315	5.7%
Sustained Investigations	15	25	-40.0%
Unfounded Investigations	6	4	50.0%
Withdrawn Complaints	0	0	0%
Investigations closed as Other	2	3	-33.3%
Reports filed for information	75	68	10.3%
Employees that resigned	4	4	0.0%

* Some investigations involve more than one person being investigated; therefore, numbers for investigations and discipline administered will not necessarily coincide.

Property Room

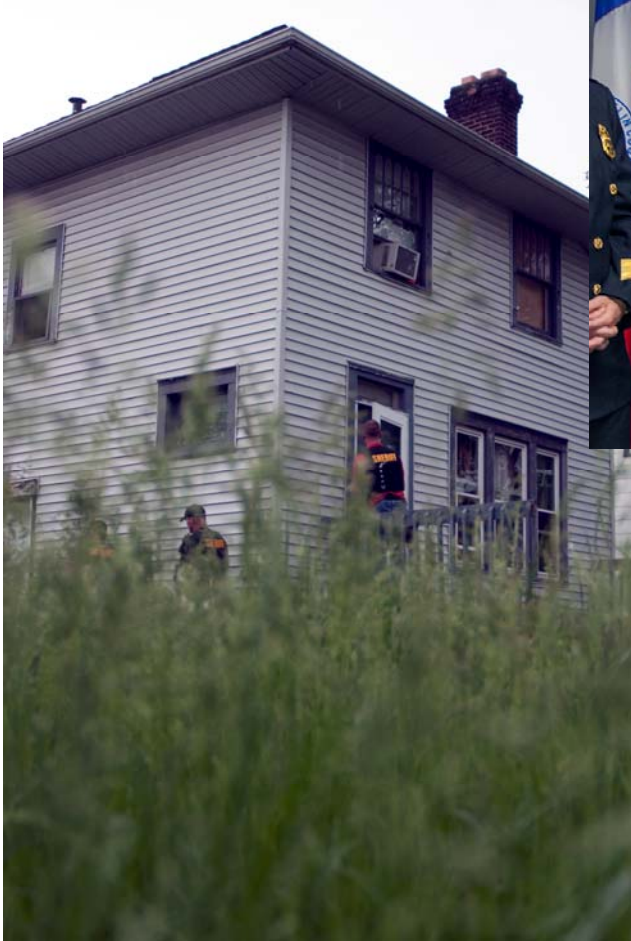
The Franklin County Sheriff's Property Room is responsible for the documentation, storage, chain of evidence, disposal and release of all property impounded by deputies.

Impounds	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Gun	289	305	-5.2%
Other	21,685	25,754	-15.8%
Items	21,974	26,059	-15.7%
Releases			
Gun	93	132	-29.5%
Other	512	512	0.0%
Items	605	744	-18.7%
Lab Runs			
Sent	1280	1,278	0.2%
Returned	1181	1,367	-13.6%
Items	2461	2,645	-7.0%
Notices Sent	371	262	41.6%

Special Investigations Unit

The Franklin County Sheriff's Special Investigations Unit is responsible for the covert investigation of narcotics, vice offenses and the collection, analysis, and dissemination of criminal intelligence information. They are also used in any investigation that requires the use of an undercover officer. The expertise of those assigned within the unit when dealing with certain crimes has also placed the S.I.U. at a demand. S.I.U. investigators are used to supply local and federal task forces with manpower.

Arrests	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Narcotics	199	169	17.8%
Gambling	0	0	0
Prostitution	22	48	-54.2%
Other Arrests	69	51	35.3%
Dogfighting	0	0	0
ICAC	44	75	-41.3%
Total Arrests	334	343	-2.6%
Search Warrants Executed			
Narcotics	89	60	48.3%
Gambling	0	0	0
Prostitution	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Dogfighting	0	0	0
ICAC	96	112	-14.3%
Falsification	0	0	0
Total Search Warrants	186	172	8.1%
Complaints Received			
Narcotics	340	435	-21.8%
Gambling	0	0	0
Prostitution	5	31	-83.9%
Liquor	0	0	0
Other	3	8	-62.5%
ICAC	45	59	-23.7%
Dog/Cockfighting	2	3	-33.3%
Total	395	536	-26.3%
Purchased/Seized Narcotics			
Total Street Value	\$21,136,706.75	\$7,186,240.06	194.1%
Value of Recovered			
Stolen Property	\$146,137.75	\$952,999.31	-84.7%



Corrections Division

The Franklin County Sheriff's Office operates two correctional facilities, which combined, have a daily population average over eighteen hundred fifty (1850) inmates. Deputies and civilians assigned to these facilities are responsible for the security, safety, feeding, medical treatment and the social service needs of the inmates.



Correction Center I (Maximum Security)

Franklin County Corrections Center I, located at 370 South Front Street, is a six hundred forty-three (643) bed maximum security facility. Approximately ninety (90%) of this facilities population is felons.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
January	510	567	-10.1%
February	509	539	-5.6%
March	521	526	-1.0%
April	520	543	-4.2%
May	517	503	2.8%
June	528	459	15.0%
July	541	510	6.1%
August	565	508	11.2%
September	558	522	6.9%
October	567	526	7.8%
November	566	517	9.5%
December	542	505	7.3%



Correction Center II (Minimum Security)

Franklin County Correction Center II, located at 2460 Jackson Pike, is a one thousand six hundred eighty-eight (1,688) bed minimum/maximum security facility. Approximately 60% of this population is felons.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
January	1312	1260	4.1%
February	1315	1348	-2.4%
March	1320	1344	-1.8%
April	1327	1321	0.5%
May	1365	1458	-6.4%
June	1357	1544	-12.1%
July	1403	1420	-1.2%
August	1381	1429	-3.4%
September	1362	1435	-5.1%
October	1266	1385	-8.6%
November	1230	1347	-8.7%
December	1203	1321	-8.9%



Court Services

Court Services has deputies assigned to Common Pleas and Municipal Court. It is their responsibility to bring prisoners from the jail into the courtroom for jury trial, pleas, bond hearings, extradition hearings, psychiatric hearings, and revocation hearings. Court Service deputies maintain security in the courtroom and are responsible for the paperwork generated by the legal proceedings on the prisoners. One deputy is assigned to Municipal Court as a liaison officer and represents the Sheriff's Office on all cases.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
Criminal Common Pleas Court Cases Assigned	43731	45307	-3.5%
New Slates	111	128	-13.3%

Identification Bureau

The **Identification Bureau** has offices in both Franklin County Corrections Center I and Franklin County Corrections Center II. Personnel assigned to this bureau are responsible for interviewing arrestees for personal history, photographing, fingerprinting, classifying fingerprint cards, searching fingerprint cards, and filing fingerprint cards. In addition, I.D. personnel are responsible for the sealing of records.

Activity	2015	2014	Change from 2014
Old I.D. Records Processed	29641	22618	31.1%
New I.D. Records Processed	12517	11415	9.7%
Total Prisoners Processed	42158	34033	23.9%
Juveniles	218	210	3.8%
Totals for the Year	42376	34243	23.8%

Medical Services

Medical Services were previously performed by private contract. In June, 2004, the LPN and RN staff was re-established and are now employees of this office. The staff serves the medical needs of inmates within the corrections division.

Activity	2015	2014	Change from 2014
Number Of Inmate Physician Visits	3472	3467	0.1%
Number Of Inmate Seen By Mental Health Liaison	14641	11036	32.7%
Number Of Dental Exams	1437	1580	-9.1%

Finance

The Franklin County Sheriff's Finance Department oversees all financial and purchasing matters of the Sheriff's Office. It directs the annual performance-based program budgets for the office, which includes monitoring expenditures and performance measures, producing financial reports and projections, conducting financial analysis, and implementing fiscal control policies and procedures.

2015 Program Budget Overview

Administrative Support Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,920,246	\$1,637,132
Fringe Benefits	\$791,877	\$659,303
Materials & Services	\$245,829	\$189,620
Capital Outlays Total	\$20,100	\$0
Total Expenses	\$2,978,052	\$2,486,055

Training Academy Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,335,240	\$1,335,240
Fringe Benefits	\$524,902	\$522,022
Materials & Services	\$668,859	\$649,309
Capital Outlays Total	\$20,100	\$20,100
Total Expenses	\$2,549,101	\$2,526,671

Finance

Civil Enforcement Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,797,865	\$1,797,865
Fringe Benefits	\$782,330	\$777,650
Materials & Services	\$28,264	\$28,264
Capital Outlay Total	\$27,000	\$27,000
Total Expenses	\$2,635,459	\$2,630,779

Investigation Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$9,196,394	\$8,825,388
Fringe Benefits	\$3,592,321	\$3,544,897
Materials & Services	\$1,065,328	\$1,062,184
Capital Outlay Total	\$250,500	\$160,500
Grants Total	\$50,000	\$50,000
Contingency Total	\$150,000	\$150,000
Total Expenses	\$14,304,543	\$13,792,969

Support/Records Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,658,229	\$1,542,009
Fringe Benefits	\$922,828	\$846,160
Materials & Services	\$396,199	\$389,074
Capital Outlays Total	\$0	\$0
Total Expenses	\$2,977,256	\$2,777,243

Finance

Custody/Jail Operations Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$33,560,623	\$29,447,121
Fringe Benefits	\$14,335,997	\$12,404,226
Materials & Services	\$4,985,906	\$4,839,906
Capital Outlay Services	\$285,766	\$370,270
Interfund Total	\$0	\$0
Total Expenses	\$53,168,292	\$47,061,523

Call for Service Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,696,429	\$1,696,429
Fringe Benefits	\$872,454	\$865,794
Materials & Services	\$417,861	\$408,761
Total Expenses	\$2,986,744	\$2,970,984

Patrol Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$13,311,629	\$12,884,043
Fringe Benefits	\$5,301,665	\$5,057,810
Materials & Services	\$1,208,559	\$1,059,379
Capital	\$775,922	\$606,500
Interfund	\$0	\$0
Contingency	\$20,597,775	\$19,607,732

Finance

Jail Medical Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$850,541	\$850,541
Fringe Benefits	\$437,052	\$433,632
Materials & Services	\$7,557,370	\$7,557,370
Capital Outlay Total	\$11,149	\$11,149
Total Expenses	\$8,856,112	\$8,852,692

Information Technology Program	2015 Original Budget	2015 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$582,697	\$582,697
Fringe Benefits	\$226,793	\$225,173
Materials & Services	\$1,097,938	\$986,689
Capital Outlay Total	\$38,000	\$120,272
Total Expenses	\$1,945,428	\$1,914,831

Human Resources

Purpose: The purpose of the Human Resources Office is to provide human resources services to the Sheriff in order to enhance overall operations of the Office through effective hiring/placement practices, sound labor agreement processes, and efficient payroll and personnel management services.

Services: Besides recruiting, testing and hiring qualified applicants, Human Resources staff process employee transfers and performance evaluations, define and document job descriptions, conduct pre-disciplinary hearings and grievance hearings, schedule fitness for duty exams, coordinate the grievance and arbitration process, negotiate labor contracts, determine FMLA qualification, monitor qualification for and use of leave, process payroll, maintain personnel/medical/leave files, compile and update management reports, and develop policies and procedures.

Activity	2015 Totals	2014 Totals	Change from 2014
New Hires	138	283	-51.2%
Resignations	52	36	44.4%
Laid Off	0	1	-100.0%
Retirements	8	15	-46.7%
Disability Retirements	0	5	-100.0%
Involuntary Disability Removal	0	0	0%
Removals	19	16	18.8%
Deaths	1	0	0%
Promotions, Demotions, Changes	138	126	9.5%

Information Technology

The Franklin County Sheriff's **Information Technology Bureau** is responsible for maintaining the IBM AS/400 computer and its peripherals utilized by the correction facilities. Personnel are also responsible for the over 400 desktop computers and 60 printers used by the various bureaus in the Sheriff's Office. Information Technology personnel train and advise office personnel in the operation of their computers and sometimes perform minor repairs on the devices. The Information Technology Bureau design and maintain various databases used by several bureaus and unit within the Sheriff's Office. Personnel also design and produce various forms and documents by means of computer desktop publishing equipment.

Currently, the Sheriff's IT staff consists of 2 Data Security Specialists who are responsible for everyday desktop support, PC installations, and other help desk related issues. There is also 1 Systems Analyst who is responsible for designing, planning, and implementing new systems, as well as troubleshooting more difficult computer issues that arise, and is responsible for the Sheriff's CAD/RMS system implementation. In addition, there is 1 Programmer Analyst who is responsible for maintaining and developing custom databases and applications for the Sheriff's Office. Finally, there is an IT Director responsible for overseeing the entire IT Bureau. The staff members are on call 24 hours/day, 7 days/week, on a rotating basis.

The IT Bureau is currently involved with many large projects. These projects will all increase the efficiency of the Sheriff's Office and will reduce paper trails. These large projects include:

- Franklin County Justice Portal – this system will allow for electronic records to be efficiently saved and then easily accessed for statistical reporting, including incident reports, accident reports, and others.
- Field Based Reporting – this will allow for reports to be taken and then transmitted electronically from the field reducing the inefficient paper trails that are used today.
- National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS) Repository – this is a project that will make the Sheriff's Office the central repository for NIBRS data from all agencies within Franklin County.

Training

The **Training Academy** is responsible for the formal and in-service training of Deputies. On occasion, outside law enforcement agencies send their personnel to the academy for certain courses. The staff consists of one Major, one Lieutenant, one Sergeant, five Deputies and two Administrative Assistants. Deputy instructors are certified through the State of Ohio Peace Officers Training Council. Several deputies from the Franklin County Sheriff's Office are experts in certain law enforcement specialties, such as narcotics enforcement, explosives, firearms, dog fighting and the use of canines. They are used by the Ohio Peace Officer's Training Academy to instruct police officers from all over the State of Ohio. There are also fifty-two (52) deputies of various ranks who are certified instructors. They are assigned to the various bureaus of the office and are used, as needed, by the academy. The Sheriff's Training Academy is split into two separate bureaus, criminal and corrections. The Criminal Training Unit operates at the new training facility on Young Road in Grove City. This facility houses the Sheriff's new firing range where all firearms training as well as all tactical training is conducted for the Criminal Bureau. Additionally, various other law enforcement agencies utilize this facility for training.

Formal/In-Service Training Courses	Officers Attending
Firearms Training and Qualification	1629
Simulator Training	54
In-Service Training	1057
Suicide Prevention	397
Open Shoot	396

