# FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

"Serving Our Community"



2016 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."

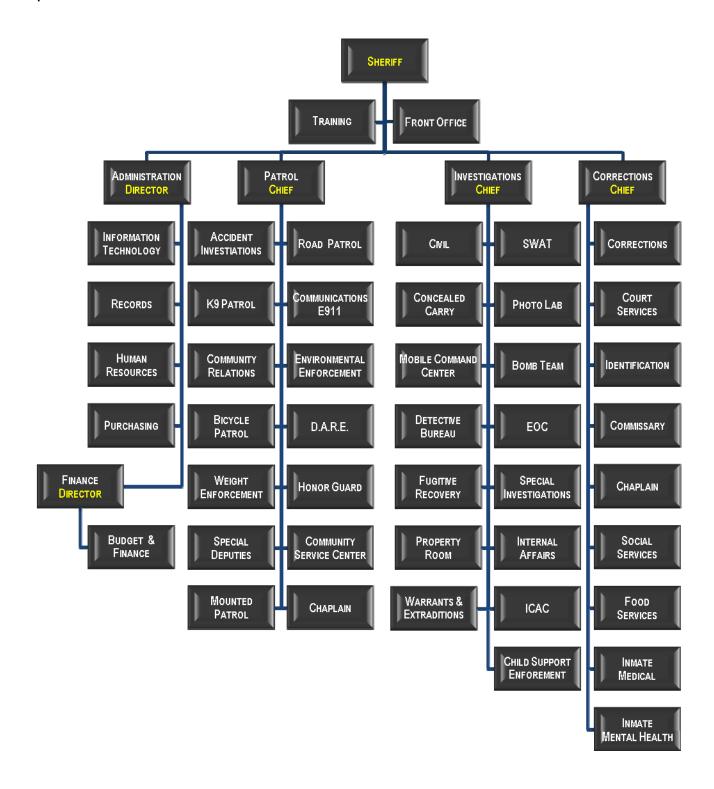
-Sheriff Zach Scott



#### FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## **Organizational Structure Chart**

Departmental / Administrative



## 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 exhusband, 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

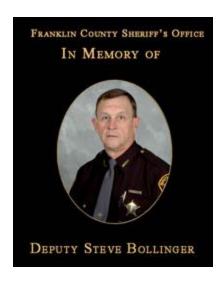




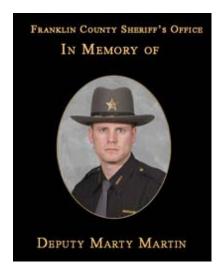
On Thursday, January 27, 1994, just two days prior to his 25<sup>th</sup> birthday, Deputy Ronald L. Coen was responding to assist as back up on a complaint. As he was traveling southbound on Stelzer Road, his cruiser hydroplaned on a flooded area created by recent rains. His vehicle slid off the roadway 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 called 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Dispatched Runs	55,966	56,041	-0.1%
Pick Up Runs	73,553	73,625	-0.1%
Domestic Runs	776	872	-11.0%
Domestic Assists	1,242	1,200	3.5%
Reports Taken	5,058	5,059	0.0%
F.I. Cards	170	255	-33.3%
Record Checks	22,630	25,086	-9.8%
House Checks	6,347	5,651	12.3%
Business Checks	36,213	34,914	3.7%
Citizen Assists	6,747	6,220	8.5%
Stolen Vehicles Recovered	293	246	19.1%
Vehicles Impounded	3,059	2,888	5.9%
Traffic Warnings	9,200	10,005	-8.0%
Non-Crash Citations	12,970	13,865	-6.5%
OMVI Arrests	492	565	-12.9%
Felony Arrests	666	502	32.7%
Misdemeanor Arrests	2,702	2,846	-5.1%
Warrant Arrest – Felony	645	542	19.0%
Warrant Arrest – Misdemeanor	1,557	1,482	5.1%
Prisoners Conveyed	2,737	2,843	-3.7%
Trustees Conveyed	494	388	27.3%
Twp. / Village Meetings	24	24	0.0%
Total Miles Driven	1,577,894	1,534,989	2.8%
Total Crashes Investigated	2,642	2,571	2.8%
Crash Citations	1,826	1,806	1.1%
Total On-Duty Hours	171,666.90	163,043.55	5.3%
Special Assignment Hours	11,708.25	8,538.85	37.1%
In-Service Training Hours	4,898.25	6,179.50	-20.7%
Overtime Worked	7,907.35	10,127.65	-21.9%
Comp Time (Earned)	5,458.28	6,430	-15.1%
Court Time (Earned)	1,466.60	2,055.00	-28.6%
Sick Time (Used)	5,433.00	4,035.25	34.6%
Approved Time Off (Pl, Cu, Va)	33,296.25	26,681.25	24.8%

### **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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Dispatched Runs	2,082	2,026	2.8%
Pick Up Runs	5,404	5,986	-9.7%
Total Miles Driven	168,089	151,328	11.1%
Canine Related Runs	1,120	1,507	-25.7%
Canine Demonstrations	30	39	-23.1%
Request for Canine Assistance	716	701	2.1%
Building Searches	35	88	-60.2%
Track Runs	45	59	-23.7%
Evidence Searches	35	14	150.0%
Field Searches	31	38	-18.4%
Search and Rescue	0	0	0%
Explosive Detection	197	87	126.4%
Narcotics Detection	441	644	-31.5%
Canine Related Arrests	9	13	-30.8%
Canine Assisted Arrests	99	155	-36.1%
Canine Use of Force	0	0	0%
Suspects Arrested	172	233	-26.2%
Canine Illness / Injury Hours	43	96	-55.2%
Total Hours Worked	11,451.30	11,428.05	0.2%
Overtime Worked	1,288	799.75	61.1%
In-Service Training	828	682	21.4%
Outside Agency Requests	716	544	31.6%





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## 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.

**2016 Personnel:** 63 **2015 Personnel:** 58

2016 Total Hours Donated: 11,897.46 2015 Total Hours Donated: 10,900.2

**Percent Change in Personnel:** 8.6% Percent Change in Hours Donated: 9.14%

#### 2016 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/Bagpipes

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	2016	2015	Change
	Totals	Totals	From 2015
Call Outs	10	12	-16.7%
Bodies Recovered	0	2	-100.0%
Vehicles Recovered	2	1	100.0%
Other Agencies Assisted	5	10	-50.0%
Unfounded Calls	0	5	-100.0%
Training Hours	1,936	1,730	11.9%
Evidence Recoveries	1	1	0.0%
Public Relations / Education Events	5	13	-61.5%

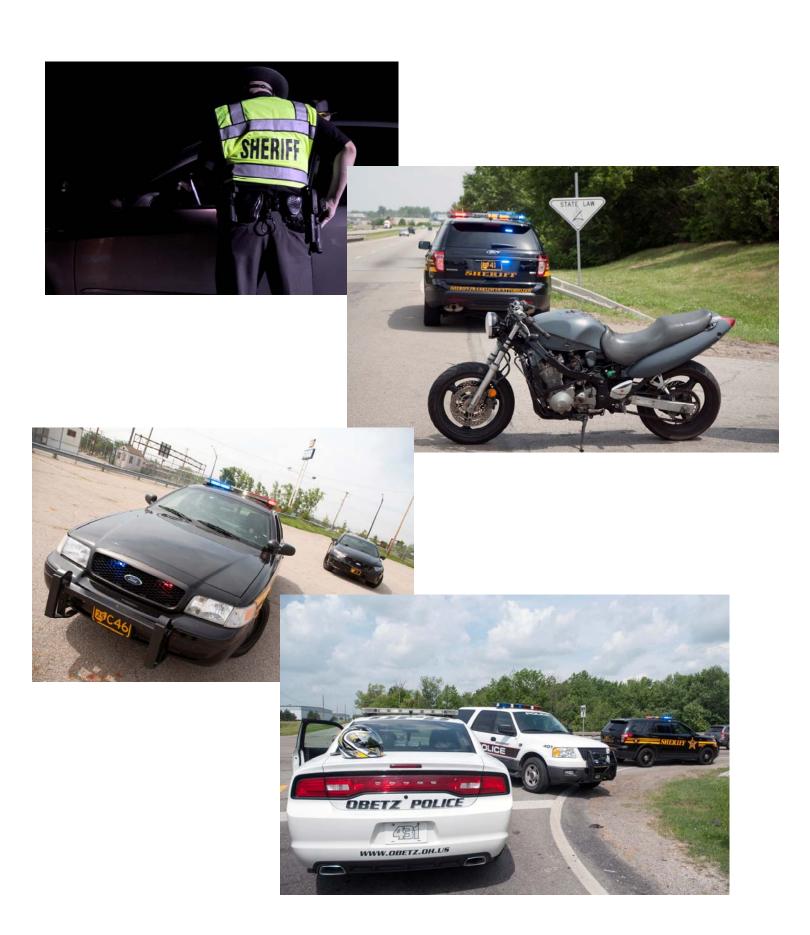


## Traffic Bureau

**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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Fatal Traffic Crashes Investigated	29	17	70.6%
Alcohol Involved	13	7	85.7%
Traffic Fatalities	35	18	94.4%
Drivers Killed	16	13	23.1%
Passengers Killed	6	3	100.0%
Pedestrians Killed	6	2	200.0%
Motorcycle Drivers Killed	6	1	500.0%
Bicyclists Killed	1	0	0%
Serious Injury Crashes Investigated	2	9	-77.8%
Hit Skips Investigated	110	127	-13.4%
Sheriff's Office Crashes			
Total Crashes	66	53	24.5%
Marked Vehicles	34	33	3.0%
Unmarked Vehicles	32	20	60.0%
Deputies Injured	10	9	11.1%
Deputies at Fault	27	19	42.1%
Cost of Repairs	\$108,001.36	\$162,267.77	-33.4%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles			
Complaints on Abandoned Vehicles	32	15	113.3%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles Impounded	0	0	0%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicles Titles Notarized	594	433	37.2%
Abandoned / Junk Vehicle Letters Sent	0	0	0%
Affidavit Sent of Search	2123	1,884	12.7%

Traffic Activity	2016	2015	Change from 2015
Crash Reports Taken	Totals 85	Totals 40	112.5%
Crash Citations Issued	7	25	-72.0%
Non-Crash Citations	651	599	8.7%
OMVI Arrests	6	3	100.0%
School Bus Complaints	15	9	66.7%
School Bus Violation Citations	0	0	0%
Parking / Traffic Warnings	463	544	-14.9%
Citizen Assists	23	31	-25.8%
Felony Cases			
Vehicular Homicide	2	1	100.0%
Felony DUI	8	4	100.0%
Felony Hit-Skips	1	2	-50.0%
Felony Fleeing	8	10	-20.0%
Other Felony Traffic	1	1	0.0%
<b>Sobriety Checkpoints</b>			
Checkpoints	16	16	0.0%
Vehicles in Zone	6,960	9062	-23.2%
Vehicles Checked	4,078	4,443	-8.2%
Vehicles Diverted	302	405	-25.4%
DUI Arrests	18	26	-30.8%
Traffic Citations	217	108	100.9%
No Operator's License Arrests	121	75	61.3%
Misdemeanor Arrests	31	58	-46.6%
Felony Arrests	7	3	133.3%
Administrative and General			
Misdemeanor Arrests	15	16	-6.3%
Felony Arrests	7	1	600.0%
Offense Reports Taken	16	9	77.8%
Crash Reports Taken in Office	59	53	11.3%
In-Service Training	380	416	-8.7%
Interviews Conducted	57	57	0.0%
Office Detail Hours	2,969	3,868	-23.2%
Crash Reports Checked	2,440	2,550	-4.3%
Sick Time	40	1.5	2566.7%
Overtime	914	861	6.2%
Miles Driven	100,024	78,528	27.4%



## 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.

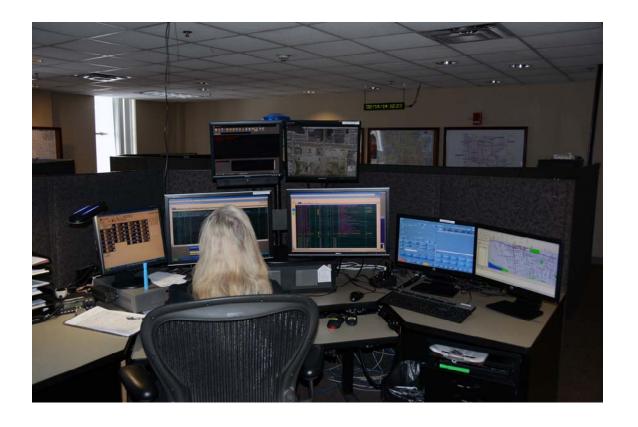
Activity	2016	2015	Change
Activity	Totals	Totals	from 2015
Overload Cites	399	384	3.9%
Other Truck Violations	79	34	132.4%
Overload Warnings	117	150	-22.0%
Other Truck Warnings	149	201	-25.9%
Weight Enforcement Eines Issued			
Weight Enforcement Fines Issued			
January	\$22,555	\$9,378	140.5%
February	\$19,404	\$17,606	10.2%
March	\$25,893	\$25,983	-0.3%
April	\$28,461	\$28,848	-1.3%
May	\$30,896	\$33,367	-7.4%
June	\$23,832	\$21,570	10.5%
July	\$29,362	\$31,396	-6.5%
August	\$35,115	\$31,948	9.9%
September	\$27,894	\$25,965	7.4%
October	\$28,864	\$16,296	77.1%
November	\$25,659	\$20,639	24.3%
December	\$16,875	\$27,803	-39.3%
Totals:	\$314,810	\$290,799	8.3%
Weight Enforcement Fines Collected			
January	\$10,400	\$7,183	44.8%
February	\$7,675	\$6,251	22.8%
March	\$12,831	\$12,009	6.8%
April	\$12,095	\$13,261	-8.8%
May	\$18,815	\$13,340	41.0%
June	\$11,557	\$15,045	-23.2%
July	\$11,875	\$14,163	-16.2%
August	\$18,591	\$15,234	22.0%
September	\$11,753	\$13,496	-12.9%
October	\$11,454	\$13,257	-13.6%
November	\$11,354	\$11,271	0.7%
December	\$11,784	\$14,925	-21.0%
Totals:	\$150,181	\$149,434	0.5%

## **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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Runs Dispatched	256,488	241,185	6.3%
911 Calls Received	130,459	111,087	17.4%
<b>Dispatched Runs</b>			
By Duty Shift			
1 <sup>st</sup> Shift (7:00am – 3:00pm)	85,626	83,969	2.0%
2 <sup>nd</sup> Shift (3:00pm-11:00pm)	118,349	111,123	6.5%
3 <sup>rd</sup> Shift (11:00pm – 7:00am)	52,516	46,293	13.4%
Zone 1			
Northwest Franklin County			
10	460	448	2.7%
11	92	124	-25.8%
12	325	311	4.5%
13	65	8	712.5%
Calls in Columbus	9	9	0.0%
Other Jurisdictions	981	1047	-6.3%
Zone 2			
Northeast Franklin County			
20	13,263	12,519	5.9%
21	480	556	-13.7%
22	21,357	21,787	-2.0%
23	2,153	2,186	-1.5%
Calls in Columbus	178	138	29.0%
Other Jurisdictions	4,895	4,569	7.1%

Zone 3 Southwest Franklin County	Dispatched Runs 2016	Dispatched Runs 2015	Change From 2015
30	2,221	2253	-1.4%
31	4,779	5007	-4.6%
32	14,371	14336	0.2%
33	11,783	10620	11.0%
Calls in Columbus	114	61	86.9%
Other Jurisdictions	6,184	4839	27.8%
Zone 4			
<b>Southeast Franklin County</b>			
40	11,506	11926	-3.5%
41	1,711	2529	-32.3%
42	17,975	18461	-2.6%
43	65	52	25.0%
Calls in Columbus	302	309	-2.3%
Other Jurisdictions	6,460	6010	7.5%



## **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 Operation Street Smart Schools.

Activity	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Operation Street Smart Schools	1941	1,009	92.3%
Seatbelt Safety Presentations	0	0	0%
Seatbelt Safety Graduates	0	0	0%
Operation Street Smart / P.E.P. Presentations	1941	176	1002.8%
Miscellaneous Meetings	190	75	153.3%
Evening/Weekend Programs	142	117	21.3%
Departmental Displays	130	28	364.2%
Special Request Programs	193	17	1035.2%
Miscellaneous Drug Programs	11	15	-26.6%





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## **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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Reports Received	10664	10,882	-2.0%
Detective Bureau Investigations	10664	10,882	-2.0%
Cleared by Arrest	2448	2,520	-2.9%
Cleared Closed	4948	4,899	1.0%
Cleared Unfounded	93	132	-29.5%
Major Crime Totals Homicides Sexual Offenses Robberies Assaults Burglaries/B&E Thefts	3 162 122 1000 607 2139	4 134 120 1031 522 2,240	-25.0% 20.9% 1.7% -3.0% 16.3% -4.5%
Arrests			
Detective Bureau	2310	2,328	-0.8%
Juvenile Bureau	138	192	-28.1%
Total	2448	2,520	-2.9%

### **SORN**

#### (Sex Offender Registration Notification)

Activity	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Annual Verification	1087	922	17.9%
Six Month Verification	1216	780	55.9%
Quarterly Verification	2245	1936	16.0%
On-Site Door Verification Attempts	2043	2632	-22.4%
On-Site Door Verification Completed	577	788	-26.8%
Warrants Filed	154	117	31.6%

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



## **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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Civil Subpoenas	268	331	-19.0%
Criminal Subpoenas	61,148	64,531	-5.2%
Domestic Subpoenas	0	148	-100.0%
Juvenile Subpoenas	14,193	13,041	8.8%
Grand Jury Subpoenas	0	58	-100.0%
Probate Subpoenas	0	18	-100.0%
Civil Execution Desk			
Habere Facias	519	612	-15.2%
Writ of Execution	271	292	-7.2%
Order of Possession	2	40	-95.0%
Alias	0	0	0%
Stalking Orders	1,887	2,341	-19.4%
Final Stalking Orders	297	288	3.1%
Civil Protection Orders	3,352	3,271	2.5%
Final Civil Protection Orders	477	654	-27.1%
Juvenile Protection Orders	213	324	-34.3%
Final Juvenile Protection Orders	33	65	-49.2%
Real Estate Division			
Order of Sales	3,497	4,232	-17.4%
Properties Sold	2,068	2,338	-11.5%
No Bid / No Sale	601	1,220	-50.7%
Properties Withdrawn	1209	1,421	-14.9%
Total Amount of Sales	\$167,581,556	\$191,136,832	-12.3%
Sheriff's Fees To General Fund	\$1,053,157.01	\$1,098,045.45	-4.1%
Domestic/Juvenile Desk			
Domestic Papers	0	354	-100.0%
Juvenile Papers	3,504	2,602	34.7%
Total	3,504	2,956	18.5%
Foreign Desk	·	,	
Outside of Ohio	629	595	5.7%
Ohio-Outside of Franklin County	7485	6,406	16.8%
Total	8114	7,001	15.9%
Foreign Protection Orders	415	367	13.1%

## 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	2016 Totals
Warrants Worked	1,523
Probates Orders Worked	683
Probate hearings Attended	222
In State Extraditions executed	302
Out of State Extraditions executed	114
Extradition Hearings Attended	149
Total Arrests	499



### **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 Emergence 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	2016 Totals
Warrants Worked	848
Probates Worked	323
Search Warrants conducted	68
Arrests	189



### 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Digital Images Handled	548,284	464,567	18.0%
Concealed Carry Applications	10575	8,092	30.7%
Money Received For Services	\$818,309.00	\$637,118.00	28.4%
Web Checks	12,195	13,478	-9.5%

### 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Total Reports	511	443	15.3%
Use of Force Reviews	416	339	22.7%
Use of Firearms	2	0	0%
Justified Reports	405	333	21.6%
Sustained Investigations	13	15	-13.3%
Unfounded Investigations	5	6	-16.7%
Withdrawn Complaints	0	0	0%
Investigations closed as Other	2	2	0.0%
Reports filed for information	74	75	-1.3%
Employees that resigned	2	4	-50.0%

<sup>\*</sup> 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Gun	338	289	17.0%
Other	19566	21,685	-9.8%
Items	19904	21,974	-9.4%
Releases			
Gun	105	93	12.9%
Other	380	512	-25.8%
Items	485	605	-19.8%
Lab Runs			
Sent	1157	1280	-9.6%
Returned	1101	1181	-6.8%
Items	2258	2461	-8.2%
Notices Sent	287	371	-22.6%

## Special Investigations Unit

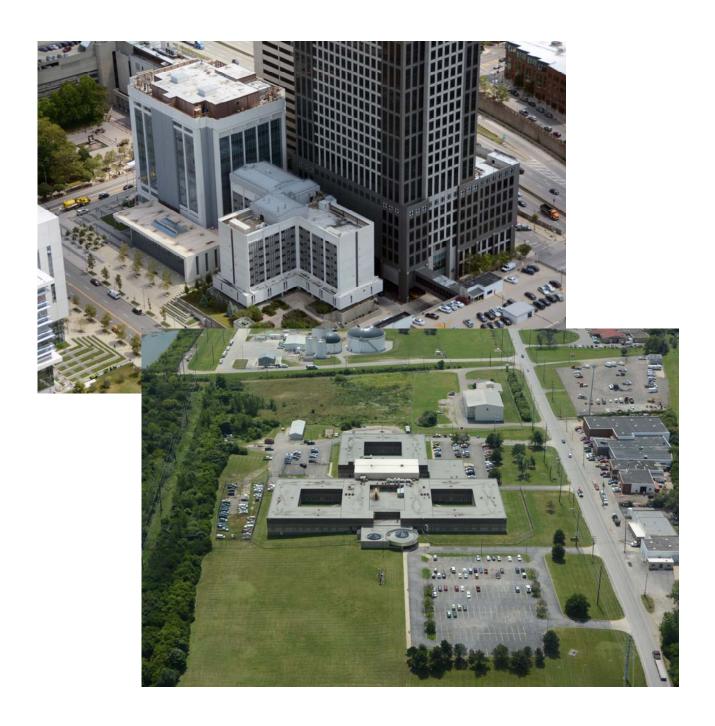
The Franklin County Sheriff's Special Investigations Unit is responsible for the covert investigation of narcotics, vice offenses and the collection, analysis, and dissemination of criminal intelligence information. They are also used in any investigation that requires the use of an undercover officer. 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Narcotics	276	199	38.7%
Gambling	0	0	0%
Prostitution	5	22	-77.3%
Other Arrests	120	69	73.9%
Dogfighting	0	0	0%
ICAC	60	44	36.4%
Total Arrests	461	334	38.0%
Search Warrants Executed			
Narcotics	232	89	160.7%
Gambling	0	0	0%
Prostitution	0	0	0%
Other	0	0	0%
Dogfighting	0	0	0%
ICAC	105	96	9.4%
Falsification	0	0	0%
Total Search Warrants	337	186	81.2%
Complaints Received			
Narcotics	662	340	94.7%
Gambling	0	0	0%
Prostitution	0	5	-100.0%
Liquor	0	0	0%
Other	0	3	-100.0%
ICAC	69	45	53.3%
Dog/Cockfighting	0	2	-100.0%
Total	731	395	85.1%
Purchased/Seized Narcotics			
Total Street Value	\$19,118,101.50	\$21,136,706.75	-9.6%



## **Corrections Division**

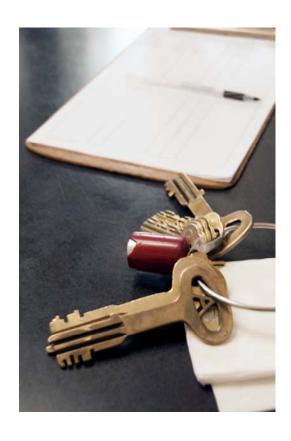
The Franklin County Sheriff's Office operates two correctional facilities, which combined, have a daily population average over eighteen hundred fifty (1850) inmates. Deputies and civilians assigned to these facilities are responsible for the security, safety, feeding, medical treatment and the social 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
January	578	510	13.3%
February	589	509	15.7%
March	553	521	6.1%
April	585	520	12.5%
May	578	517	11.8%
June	590	528	11.7%
July	508	541	-6.1%
August	501	565	-11.3%
September	496	558	-11.1%
October	496	567	-12.5%
November	498	566	-12.0%
December	465	542	-14.2%



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## 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
January	1186	1312	-9.6%
February	1202	1315	-8.6%
March	1277	1320	-3.3%
April	1297	1327	-2.3%
May	1307	1365	-4.2%
June	1362	1357	0.4%
July	1425	1403	1.6%
August	1463	1381	5.9%
September	1492	1362	9.5%
October	1492	1266	17.9%
November	1487	1230	20.9%
December	1329	1203	10.5%



### 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	2016	2015	Change from
	Totals	Totals	2015
Criminal Common Pleas Court Cases Assigned	46,723	43,731	6.8%
New Slates	107	111	-3.6%

### 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.

	2016	2015	Change from
Activity	<b>Totals</b>	<b>Totals</b>	2015
Totals for the Year	32266	42376	-23.9%

### **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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
Number Of Inmate Physician Visits	12586	3472	262.5%
Number Of Inmate Seen By Mental Health			
Liaison	15075	14641	3.0%
Number Of Dental Exams	1856	1437	29.2%

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.

### 2016 Program Budget Overview

Administrative Support Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,941,518	\$1,941,518
Fringe Benefits	\$816,627	\$821,463
Materials & Services	\$189.628	\$189,628
Capital Outlays Total	\$0	\$0
Total Expenses	\$2,947,773	\$2,952,609

Training Academy Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,356,321	\$1,356,321
Fringe Benefits	\$534,021	\$536,517
Materials & Services	\$534,439	\$534,439
Capital Outlays Total	\$0	\$0
Total Expenses	\$2,424,781	\$2,427,277

Civil Enforcement Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,865,185	\$1,804,237
Fringe Benefits	\$810,735	\$792,792
Materials & Services	\$55,425	\$27,731
Capital Outlay Total	\$122,000	\$0
Total Expenses	\$2,853,344	\$2,624,759

<b>Investigation Program</b>	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$9,575,641	\$9,248,908
Fringe Benefits	\$3,780,443	\$3,669,581
Materials & Services	\$1,857,654	\$1,830,295
Capital Outlay Total	\$651,441	\$38,000
Grants Total	\$0	\$0
Contingency Total	\$150,000	\$546,931
Total Expenses	\$16,015,179	\$15,333,715

Support/Records Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,688,617	\$1,629,297
Fringe Benefits	\$957,000	\$927,220
Materials & Services	\$472,417	\$471,572
Capital Outlays Total	\$20,000	\$20,000
Total Expenses	\$3,138,034	\$3,048,089

Custody/Jail Operations Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$32,076,336	\$30,144,443
Fringe Benefits	\$14,104,157	\$13,251,616
Materials & Services	\$5,131,874	\$5,123,172
Capital Outlay Services	\$3,481,010	\$169,010
Interfund Total		
Total Expenses		

Call for Service Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$1,778,250	\$1,778,250
Fringe Benefits	\$946,834	\$952,606
Materials & Services	\$414,829	\$414,829
Capital Outlays Total	\$386,678	\$0
Total Expenses	\$3,526,561	\$3,145,685

Patrol Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$13,807,186	\$13,763,186
Fringe Benefits	\$5,299,180	\$5,315,181
Materials & Services	\$979,269	\$850,118
Capital Outlays Total	\$935,671	\$0
Total Expenses	\$21,021,306	\$19,928,485

Jail Medical Program	2016 Original Budget	2016 Final Budget
Personal Services	\$937,076	\$937,076
Fringe Benefits	\$482,839	\$485,959
Materials & Services	\$7,560,770	\$7,560,770
Capital Outlay Total	\$8,688	\$8,688
Total Expenses	\$8,989,373	\$8,992,493

Information Technology Program	2016 Original	<b>2016 Final</b>
	Budget	Budget
Personal Services	\$725,041	\$643,161
Fringe Benefits	\$281,384	\$243,006
Materials & Services	\$815,461	\$949,638
Capital Outlay Total	\$5,515,327	\$19,475
Total Expenses	\$7,337,213	\$1,855,280

## **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 predisciplinary 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	2016 Totals	2015 Totals	Change from 2015
New Hires	137	138	-0.7%
Resignations	70	52	34.6%
Laid Off	0	0	0%
Retirements	5	8	-37.5%
Disability Retirements	4	0	0%
Involuntary Disability Removal	0	0	0%
Removals	11	19	-42.1%
Deaths	3	1	200.0%
Promotions, Demotions, Changes	159	138	15.2%

# 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	1510
Simulator Training	0
In-Service Training	818
Suicide Prevention	538
Open Shoot	404

