



ANNUAL REPORT 2018

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MESSAGE FROM THE SHERIFF

As Sheriff of Union County, it is my pleasure to present the 2018 Annual Report. This position has been serving Union County since 1820 and I am honored to be serving as your 39th Sheriff.

This report highlights the statistical data for each division of the Sheriff's Office. As with the past several years our stats have continued to climb, mostly in part due to the population growth of Union County. Geographically, in Central Ohio our county offers a great place to live, work and raise a family.



Our employees consistently strive to provide the best protection for the Citizens of Union County. We make every effort to provide the best customer service possible to our Citizens and those traveling through our county with our focus on the Agency's Mission and Vision.

***Never forgotten, in our memory:** We honor and pray for the families of Sheriff F.S. Hager, Sheriff Harry L. Wolfe and Sergeant Roger L. Beekman, they paid the ultimate sacrifice protecting the Citizens of Union County. May they rest in peace!!*

A few highlights:

In 2018, we hired six (6) new employees to the Patrol Division, we replaced two (2) positions, as well as hired three (3) new positions; one (1) new position opened from 2017 and two (2) new positions for 2018. Welcome to our 2018 new hires, by date of hire; James Mitchell, Kristin Cowell, Frank Califano, Aaron Golden, Benjamin Smith and Dimitri Tuzin.

The Union County Sheriff's Office continues to build relationships with North Union School District and Fairbanks School District through our Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE)/School Resource Officer (SRO) program. We continue to grow this program providing resources to our youth which they can carry through adulthood. Deputy Dyer and Deputy Wilson have become a tremendous asset to these schools and we are grateful for their hard work and dedication to our youth!

I hope you find this annual report beneficial and a thank you to our citizen's for supporting the Union County Sheriff's Office each year!

Respectfully,

Malcum J. "Jamie" Patton
Sheriff – Union County, Ohio



UCSO COMMAND STAFF



Sheriff Malcum J. "Jamie" Patton



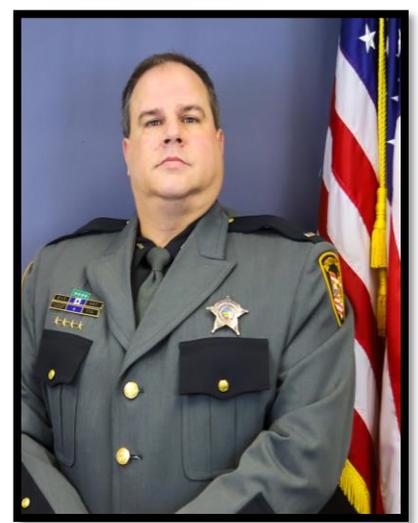
Chief Deputy Tom Morgan



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Lieutenant Mike Justice**



**Investigations Commander
Lieutenant Jeff Stiers**



**Support Services Commander
Lieutenant Matt Warden**



**Court Services Commander
Director Betsy Spain**



**Communications Commander
Director Anne Barr**



**Administration Commander
Director Barb Sattler**



**Sheriff Executive Assistant
Human Resources Manager
Alicia Bosch**



UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

MISSION * VISION * CORE VALUES

Agency Mission

To maintain the quality of life we enjoy and to ensure our county is a safe place to live, work and visit. Recognizing our responsibility to maintain order, while affording dignity and respect to everyone, our objective is to improve the quality of life through a community partnership which promotes safe and secure neighborhoods.

Agency Vision

Our promise is to diligently uphold the laws that protect both life and property of the Citizens of Union County without bias or prejudice. We pledge to conduct ourselves both professionally and personally in ways which clearly show that honesty and integrity are our code of honor.

Agency Core Values

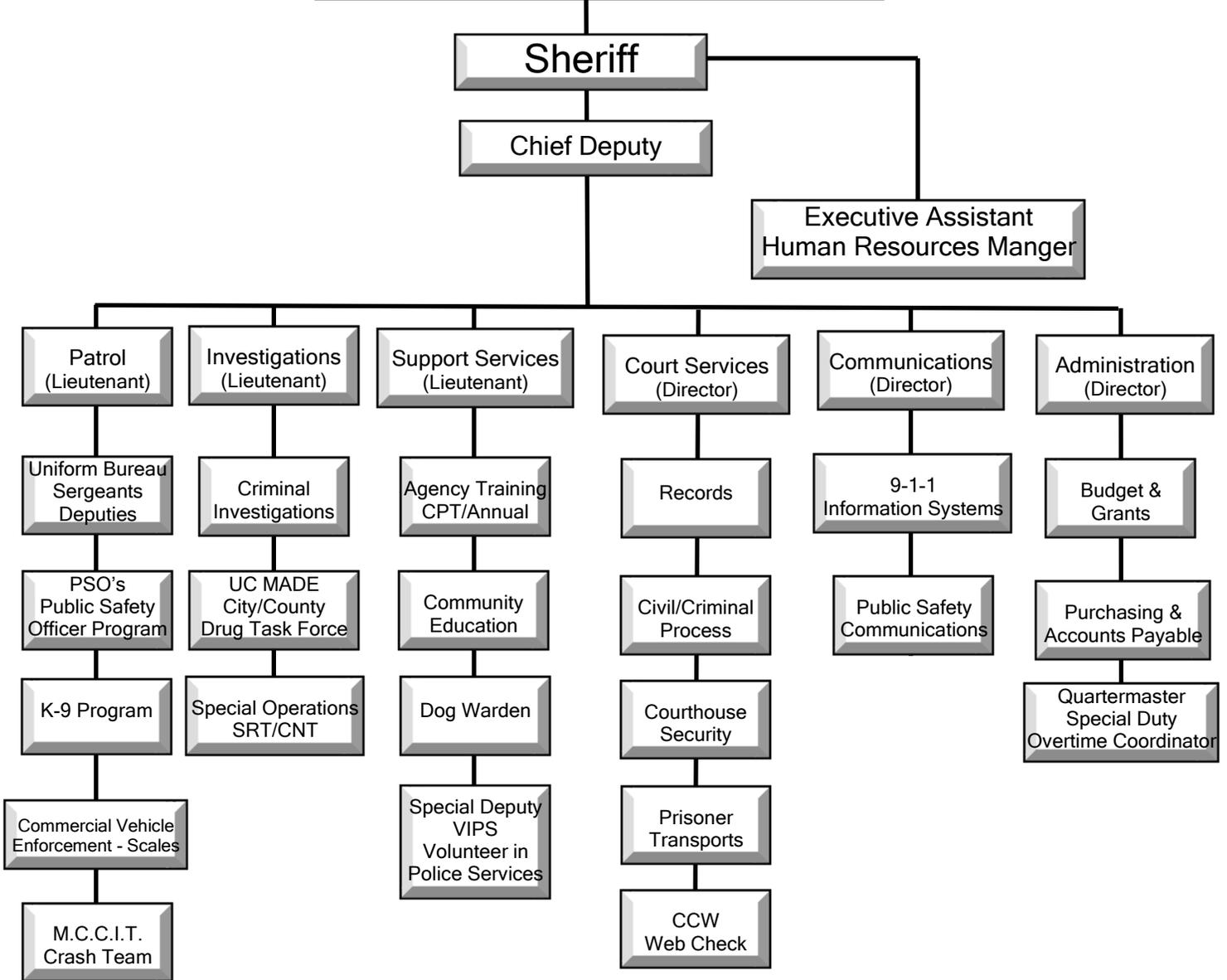
The employees of the Union County Sheriff's Office will strive to provide the best customer service possible to those we serve throughout the County. Our service will serve as examples of all that is good and professional in American Law Enforcement.



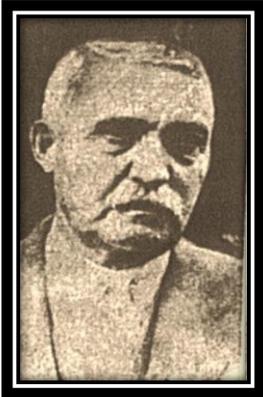
ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



CITIZENS OF UNION COUNTY



IN MEMORY ★ OUR FALLEN



SHERIFF F.S. HAGER

On September 23, 1927, Sheriff Forest S. Hager had been at his farm in Washington Township and later traveled to Richwood in his Ford Sedan to serve several papers. On his return from Richwood, Sheriff Hager was struck by an eastbound passenger train at the Erie Railroad at Beaver's Crossing. Sheriff Hager was preceded in death by his wife Claudia Stamates. At the time of the accident he was survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frank Harger, Marysville and Mrs. James Hanby, Richwood and a son H.B. Hager of West Mansfield.



SHERIFF HARRY L. WOLFE

Sheriff Harry L. Wolfe responded to a burglar alarm at a home on Robinson Road that sounded at the Union County Sheriff's Office on January 21, 1982. Sheriff Wolfe radioed the Union County Sheriff's Office an officer-in-trouble alert. Another Union County Deputy, responding to the scene, found on his arrival, the Sheriff lying beside the right front wheel of his cruiser. Sheriff Wolfe, age 59, had been elected for a second term of office in January 1982. He was retired from the Ohio State Highway Patrol and was active in many community organizations. Sheriff Wolfe was survived by his wife Paula, and sons Lee and Steve, along with daughters, Kim and Karen.



SERGEANT ROGER L. BEEKMAN

Sergeant Roger L. Beekman was responding to a burglar alarm with lights and siren on September 19, 1979. Sergeant Beekman was westbound on Industrial Parkway at the time of the crash when he apparently entered the intersection of Industrial Parkway and US 42 and was struck by a northbound semi. Sergeant Beekman, age 29 years, had joined the Union County Sheriff's Office as an auxiliary deputy in August 1977. He was hired to full-time status in April 1978 and served as a plain clothes detective for nearly five months. He had requested road deputy duties, because he said that was where his heart was. Sergeant Beekman was survived by his wife, Karen and two daughters, Amy and Angela.

PAST SHERIFFS OF UNION COUNTY 1820 TO PRESENT

James Ewing	1820 - 1823
Amons A. Williams	1823 - 1828
David Witter	1828 - 1832
Calvin Winget	1832 - 1836
Ransom Clark	1836 - 1840
William W. Steele	1840 - 1844
William M. Robinson	1844 - 1846
Philip Snider	1846 - 1850
William C. Malin	1850 - 1854
William H. Robb	1854 - 1858
Abraham Wiley	1858 - 1860
Philip Snider	1860 - 1862
Chas M. Robinson	1862 - 1864
Jas B. Whelpley	1864 - 1868
Robert Sharp	1868 - 1872
John C. Price	1872 - 1876
Justus J. Miller	1876 - 1880
John Hobensock	1880 - 1884
Marion Hopkins	1884 - 1888
Thomas Martin	1888 - 1892
William Snodgrass	1892 - 1896
J. Ed Robinson	1896 - 1900
S. F. Burnham	1900 - 1904
D. C. Bolenbaugh	1904 - 1908
Cad Price	1908 - 1912
John N. Laird	1912 - 1916
Chas A. Liggett	1916 - 1920
Frank Collier	1920 - 1924
★ F. S. Hager	1924 - 1928
J. B. Lingrel	1928 - 1930
William Rausch	1930 - 1936
Homer Roosa	1936 - 1948
Walter T. Galloway	1948 - 1956
Ed Amrine	1956 - 1972
Theo Byus	1972 - 1973
★ Harry L. Wolfe	1973 - 1982
John G. Overly	1982 - 2003
Rocky W. Nelson	2003 - 2011
Malcum J. "Jamie" Patton	2011 - Present

History of the Sheriff

The Office of Sheriff is one of antiquity. It is the oldest law enforcement office known within the common-law system and it has always been accorded great dignity and high trust. For the most part, the Office of Sheriff evolved of necessity. Were it not for laws which require enforcing, there would have been no necessity for the Sheriff. There would have been no need for the development of police administration, criminology, criminalists, etc. This is not the case, however. Man learned quite early that all is not orderly in the universe. All times and all places have generated those who covet the property of their neighbors and who are willing to expropriate this property by any means. As such, man's quest for equity and order gave birth to the Office of Sheriff, the history of which begins in the Old Testament and continues through the annals of Judeo-Christian tradition. Indeed, there is no honorable law enforcement authority in Anglo-American law as ancient as that of the County Sheriff. And today, as in the past, the County Sheriff is a peace officer entrusted with the maintenance of law and order and the preservation of domestic tranquility.

Sheriffs have served and protected the English-speaking peoples for a thousand years. The Office of Sheriff and the law enforcement, judicial, and correctional functions he performs are more than 1000 years old. The Office of Sheriff dates back at least to the reign of Alfred the Great of England, and some scholars even argue that the Office of Sheriff was first created during the Roman occupation of England.

Around 500 AD, Germanic tribes from Europe (called the Anglo-Saxons) began an invasion of Celtic England which eventually led over the centuries to the consolidation of Anglo-Saxon England as a unified kingdom under Alfred the Great, late in the 9th Century. Alfred divided England into geographic units called "shires", or counties.

In 1066, William the Conqueror defeated the Anglo-Saxons and instituted his own Norman government in England. Both under the Anglo-Saxons and under the Normans, the King of England appointed a representative called a "reeve" to act on behalf of the king in each shire or county. The "shire reeve" or King's representative in each county became the "Sheriff" as the English language changed over the years. The shire reeve, or Sheriff, was the chief law enforcement officer of each county in the year 1000 AD. He still has the same function in Ohio in the year 2000 AD.

The concepts of "county" and "Sheriff" were essentially the same as they had been during the previous 900 years of English legal history. Because of the English heritage of the American colonies, the new United States adopted the English law and legal institutions as its own.

*Clearly, the Sheriff is the only viable officer remaining of the ancient offices and his contemporary responsibility as conservator of the peace has been influenced greatly by modern society. As the crossbow gave way to the primitive flintlock, the Sheriff is not unaccustomed to change. But now, perhaps more than ever before in history, law enforcement is faced with complex, moving, rapid changes in methodology, technology, and social attitudes. As Thomas Jefferson wrote in his *THE VALUE OF CONSTITUTIONS*, "the Office of Sheriff is the most important of all the executive offices of the county."*

The office of Sheriff is certainly significant and was in fact the first county office established in the United States. Some very outstanding Americans have held the office of County Sheriff from the earliest days down to our present era. George Washington's father was an early Sheriff in Colonial Virginia. The history of the position and functions of a Sheriff, prior to establishment of the position in America, can reportedly be traced to provisions of the Magna Carta in England, in the year 1215.



PATROL DIVISION

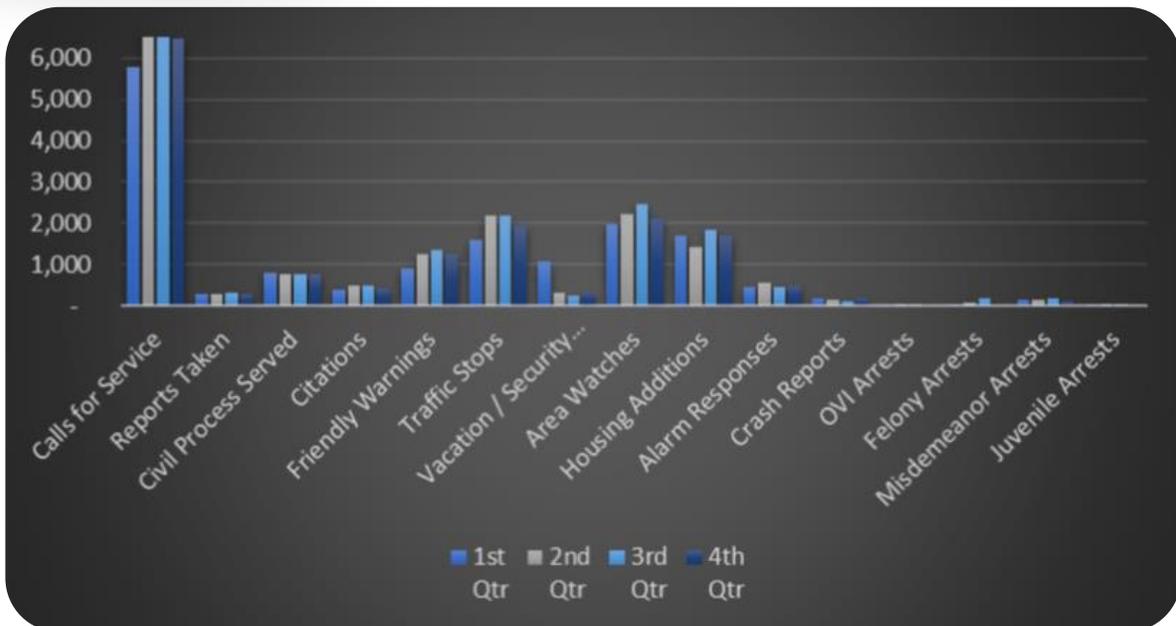
Lieutenant Michael Justice
Patrol Commander

The Patrol Division's primary function is law enforcement operations and is composed of uniformed Deputies, Public Safety Officers (PSO) and Reserve Deputies. They respond to calls for service, emergencies and crimes anywhere in the county, around the clock, 365 days a year.

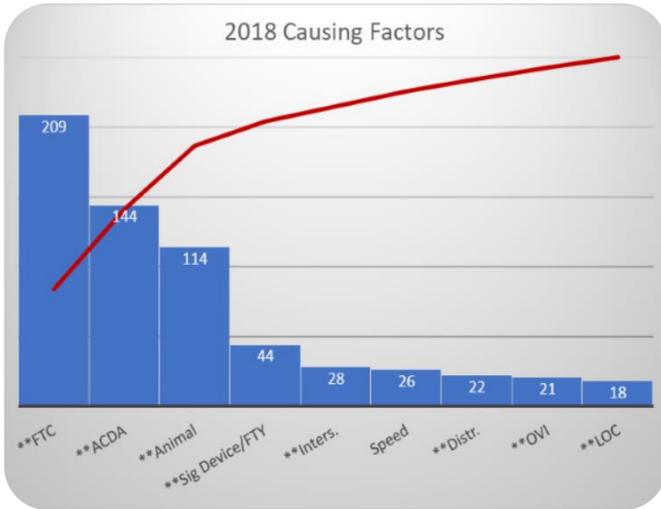
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	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Calls for Service	5,776	7,098	7,327	6,492
Reports Taken	279	281	301	271
Civil Process Served	782	758	772	753
Citations	390	469	476	421
Friendly Warnings	902	1,238	1,357	1,243
Traffic Stops	1,605	2,168	2,199	1,938
Vacation / Security Watches	1,084	309	237	317
Area Watches	1,972	2,226	2,464	2,128
Housing Additions	1,683	1,416	1,845	1,688
Alarm Responses	463	562	467	500
Crash Reports	161	135	118	159
OVI Arrests	10	21	27	12
Felony Arrests	48	57	170	32
Misdemeanor Arrests	143	156	164	99
Juvenile Arrests	9	15	9	7



CRASHES



****CAUSING FACTORS KEY**

- OVI**
Operating a Vehicle While Impaired
- LOC**
Left of Center
- FTC**
Failure to Control
- ACDA**
Assured Clear Distance Ahead
- Sig. Device/FTY**
Failure to Yield
- Animal**
Vehicle Strikes an Animal
(deer, dog, etc.)
- Inters.**
Intersection
- Distr.**
Distraction

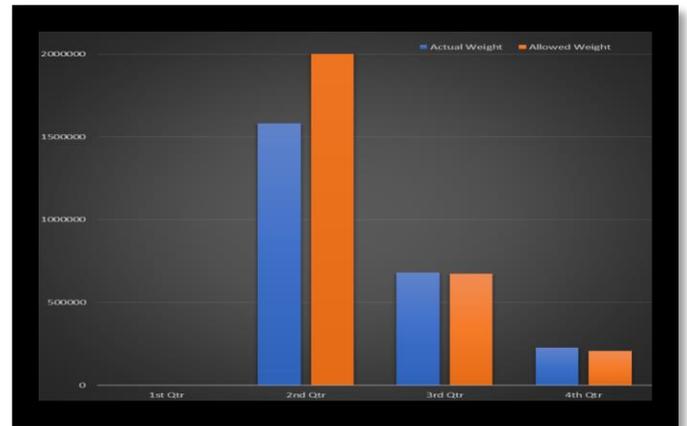
	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Days of the Week				
Sunday	15	10	6	19
Monday	26	16	18	21
Tuesday	18	24	26	28
Wednesday	46	24	14	17
Thursday	27	24	20	23
Friday	20	17	21	34
Saturday	40	20	13	16
Road Contour				
Straight	128	110	94	134
Curve	33	25	23	24
Road Condition				
Dry	68	105	96	111
Wet	37	27	22	39
Snow/Ice	55	1	0	7
Weather				
Clear	68	87	82	93
Cloudy	30	30	20	27
Sunny	0	0	0	0
Rain	17	14	13	24
Snow	37	2	0	10
Fog	6	0	0	1
Vehicle Type				
Commercial	17	8	17	22
Passenger	121	95	78	118
Motorcycle	0	5	1	1
Bicycle	0	0	0	0
Gender of Driver				
Male	95	87	78	94
Female	51	42	31	54
Age of Driver				
<18	6	9	7	12
18-25	45	31	26	31
24-40	40	46	27	44
>40	54	43	49	59
Alcohol or Drug Related				
<18	1	0	0	0
18-21	1	0	0	0
>18	6	7	4	5
Causing Factor				
Speed	11	1	5	9
**OVI	7	7	3	4
**LOC	6	3	4	5
**FTC	79	46	37	47
**ACDA	28	46	36	34
**Sig Device/FTY	1	20	23	0
**Animal	25	15	20	54
**Intersection	8	10	8	2
**Distracted	3	7	7	5



SCALES



	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Actual Weight	0	1,581,500	679,850	226,510
Allowed Weight	0	6,804,280	672,600	207,600
Over Weight	0	186,900	28,230	18,910
Fine Amount	0	\$8,517.00	\$1,496.00	\$872.00
Sheriff's Office - Time	0	1.5	0	0
Engineer's Time	0	82	36	8



PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS (PSO)

Total EMS Calls Responded To	435
Total Fire Calls Responded To	102
EMS Reports Taken	54
Total Public Safety Officers (PSO's)	7



INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION

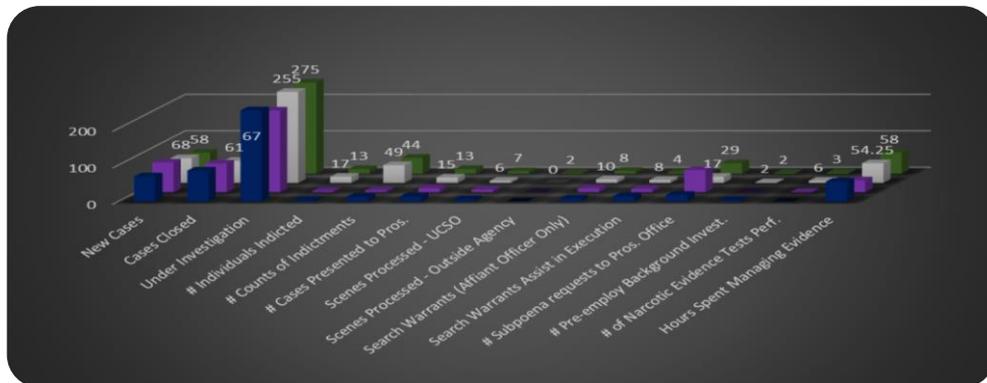
Lieutenant Jeff Stiers
Investigations Commander

The Union County Sheriff's Office Investigations Division is comprised of several areas of criminal investigation. In general, the division is assigned to investigate felony-level crime which means any crime of a more serious nature. Within this wide spectrum, detectives are trained to investigate specific types of crime relating to narcotics, computers, burglary, murder, death scenes, sexual assault, white collar theft, fraud, arson and many other areas of criminal activity.

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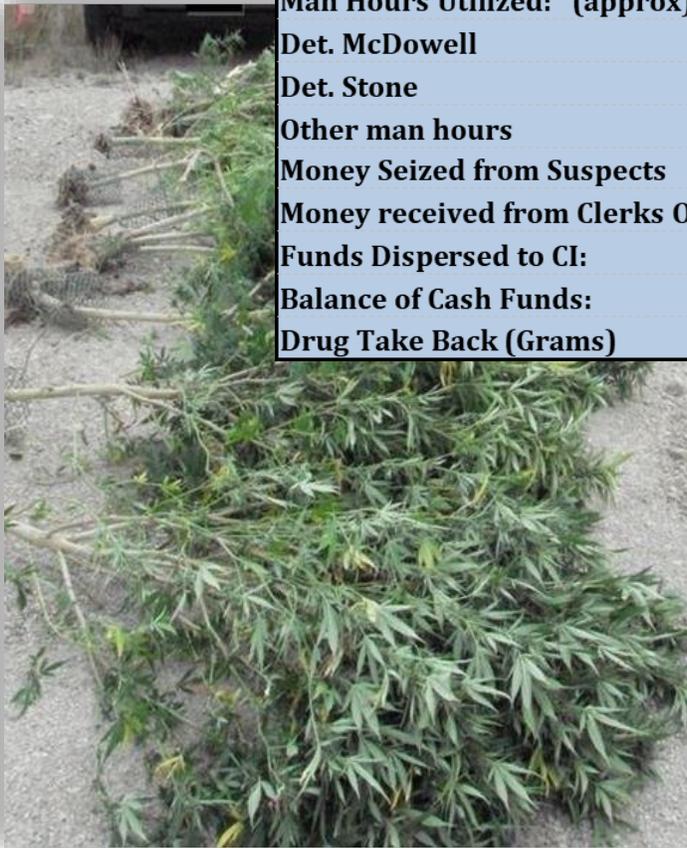
	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
New Cases	69	82	68	58
Cases Closed	85	79	61	67
Under Investigation	304	224	255	275
# Individuals Indicted	4	3	17	13
# Counts of Indictments	13	5	49	44
# Cases Presented to Pros.	14	11	15	13
Scenes Processed - UCSO	6	7	6	7
Scenes Processed - Outside Agency	0	0	0	2
Search Warrants (Affiant Officer Only)	8	11	10	8
Search Warrants Assist in Execution	14	9	8	4
# Subpoena requests to Pros. Office	18	61	17	29
# Pre-employ Background Invest.	4	0	2	2
# of Narcotic Evidence Tests Perf.	0	1	6	3
Hours Spent Managing Evidence	54.5	33	54.25	58





MADE TASK FORCE

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Drug Tips	34	96	81	38
Drug Tips Followed up on	7	20	77	13
Cases Initiated:	8	6	12	8
Cases Indicted:	6	3	4	3
Search Warrants Executed:	10	7	4	7
Drugs Seized:				
Cocaine: (grams)	4g	0.96g		
Fentanyl (grams)				
Heroin: (unit dosages)	.18g			
Marijuana: (grams)	464g	408.06g		2102.83g
Pills: (unit dosages)	125		464	
Hashish: (grams)			111.65g	219.79g
Mushrooms: (grams)				7.5g
Methamphetamines: (grams)	4.25g	5.68g		
Marijuana Plants from Grow	42			
Man Hours Utilized: (approx)			26	
Det. McDowell	519	379	501.75	517
Det. Stone	348	248	200	37.5
Other man hours	200		48.5	
Money Seized from Suspects	\$11,613	\$534	\$4,204	
Money received from Clerks Off.	\$4,852			
Funds Dispersed to CI:				
Balance of Cash Funds:	\$2,763.13	\$2563.13	\$2,463.13	\$2,463.13
Drug Take Back (Grams)	42,754.19g	81,646g	36,210.27g	26,0301g





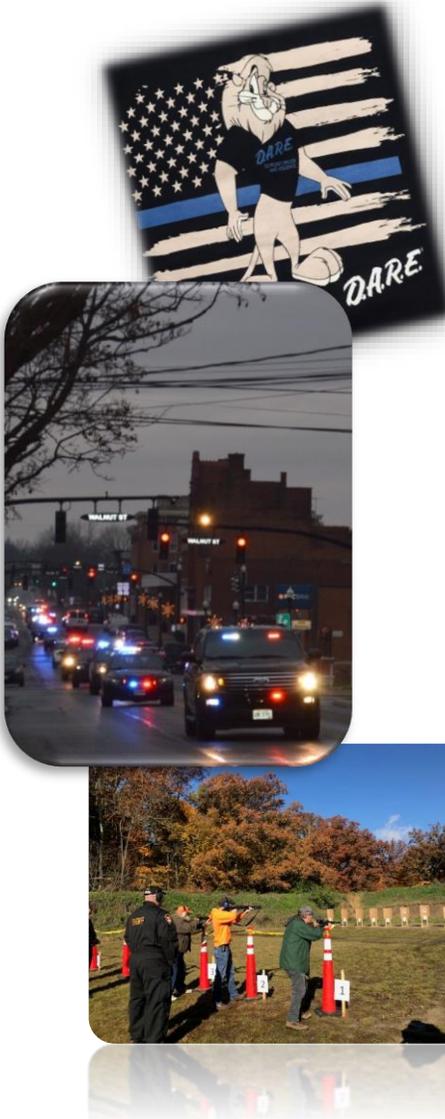
SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION

Lieutenant Matt Warden
Support Services Commander

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The Union County Sheriff's Office Support Services Division is responsible for community education and all of its activities, including but not limited to, school resource officers (SRO/Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE), crime prevention programs, project lifesaver, drug take back, community events and festivals, and UCISO fundraisers; for the special deputy bureau, including the Volunteers in Police Services (VIPS); the dog warden position and for all agency training to include Continued Professional Training (CPT), annual qualifications, and re-certification for all division and bureaus at the Union County Sheriff's Office.

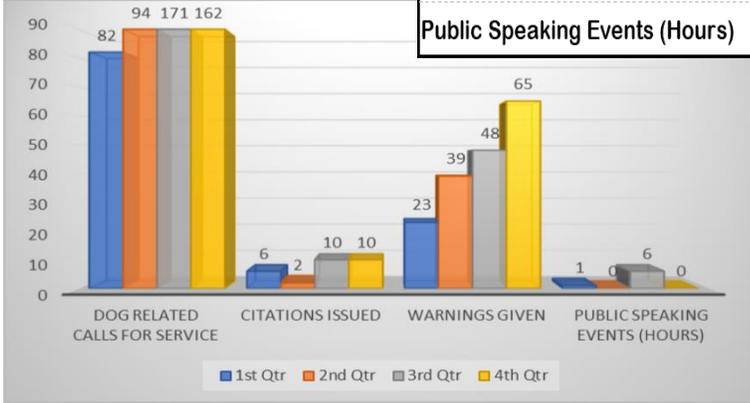
COMMUNITY EDUCATION/ CRIME PREVENTION



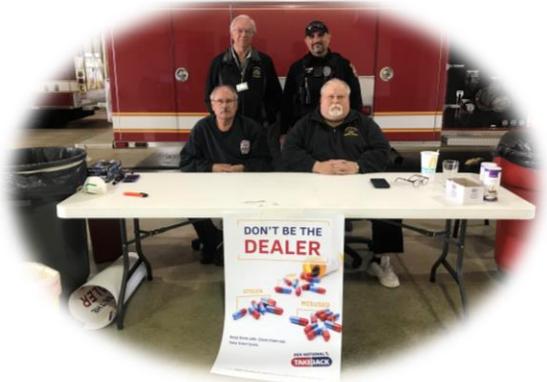
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DARE Classes Taught				
North Union	58	6	24	59
Fairbanks	110		28	52
Parochial	16	7		
Other Hours				
Presentation/Meeting Hours	75	60	28	54
Driving Simulator	7	26		
Shop with a Cop		6		48
Neighborhood Watch	12	12		14
Project Livesaver	19	24	16	34
Senior Watch Program	20	16	18	18
Security Assessments	10			32
Citizen Academy				
ALICE Training	7	10	50	32
Safety Town	2	58		
Turkey Shoot				40
Special Event Hours				
Golf Outing	10	58	95	4
Union County Fair			124	
All Ohio Balloon Festival			16	
Miami Valley Steam Show			24	
Covered Bridge Festival				

UNION COUNTY DOG WARDEN

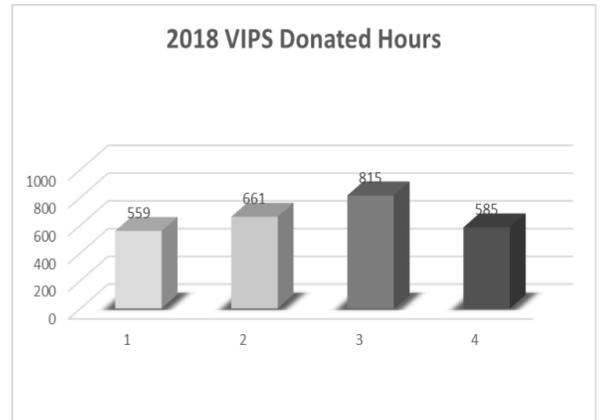
	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Dog Related Calls for Service	82	94	171	162
Citations Issued	6	2	10	10
Warnings Given	23	39	48	65
Public Speaking Events (Hours)	1	0	6	0



VOLUNTEERS IN POLICE SERVICES



2018 VIPS Donated Hours	
1st Qtr	559
2nd Qtr	661
3rd Qtr	815
4th Qtr	585





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COURT SERVICES DIVISION

Director Betsy Spain
Court Services Commander

The Union County Sheriff's Office Court Services Division is responsible for maintaining security at the Justice Center, Common Pleas Court and the Juvenile/Probate Court. In addition, they are responsible for transporting prisoners and juvenile detainees to and from the appropriate detention facilities as well as court hearings. The Civil Process Clerk processes all court paperwork including civil papers and warrants for service by the Patrol Division; with assistance from Court Service Deputies; handles all aspects of Sheriff Sales and property executions; coordinates transports with Court Service Deputies; enters and maintains files for citations and friendly warnings. The Records Clerk is responsible for all background checks including Web Check requests for the public and insurance companies for copies of accident and incident reports; handles all requests for statistics for officers, outside agencies and the general public. The Court Services Division is also responsible for registering Sex Offenders within the county, civilian fingerprinting and handling Conceal Carry registrations.

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Transports	270	281	276	264
Municipal Court Transport	42	41	46	38
Juvenile/Probate Transport	312	50	31	41
Common Pleas Court Transport	45	53	46	62
Adult Parole Transports	8	23	16	25
Municipal Court Detail	0	0	0	0
Probate/Juvenile Court Detail	69	76	49	56
Common Pleas Court Detail	119	122	126	202
Sex Offender Registrations	36	33	32	38
Sex Offender Address Checks/Attempts	124	87	82	68
Web Checks	426	516	447	412
CCW Applications Received	244	329	223	222
CCW Licenses Issued	82	103	66	87
Renewal Licenses Issued	127	239	157	121
Civilian Fingerprints	9	9	13	9
Civil Process Received	990	886	939	923
Warrants Received	322	357	365	387
Sheriff Sales Received	22	20	10	15
Sheriff Sales Sold	8	14	9	4
Sheriff Sales Returned (unsold)	7	4	2	4
Cases Processed	279	281	302	275
Citations	390	469	476	422
Friendly Warnings	901	1237	1357	1220
Public Records Request	197	195	223	229
Background Checks	114	107	65	61





Tri-County Regional Jail

Champaign, Madison, & Union Counties



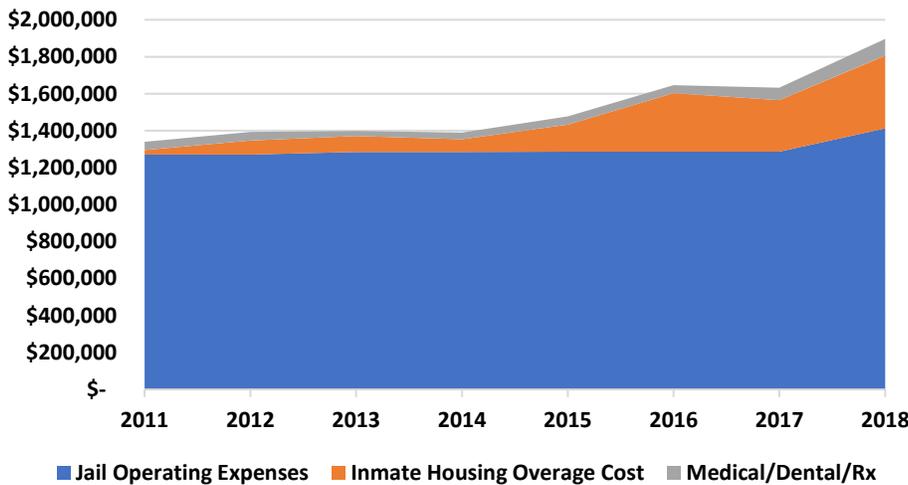
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Local Sheriff Information
 Sheriff Matthew R. Melvin
 Champaign County

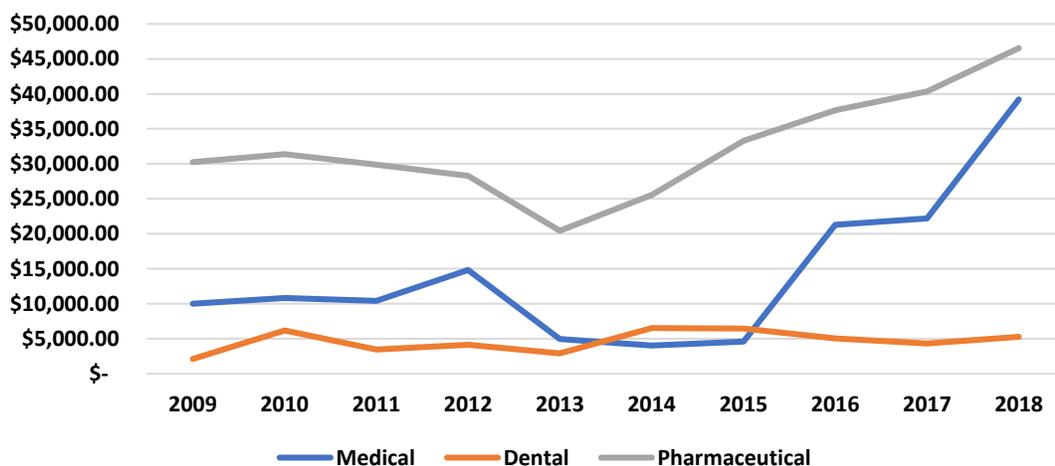
Sheriff John R. Swaney
 Madison County

Sheriff Malcum J. "Jamie" Patton
 Union County

The Tri-County Regional Jail serves and protects the citizens of Champaign, Madison and Union Counties. The cost of housing and caring for inmates has steadily increased since 2011 while Jail operating costs have remained relatively stable. In 2018, an increase in operating expenses was necessary to carry out the essential functions of supervising and caring for inmates.

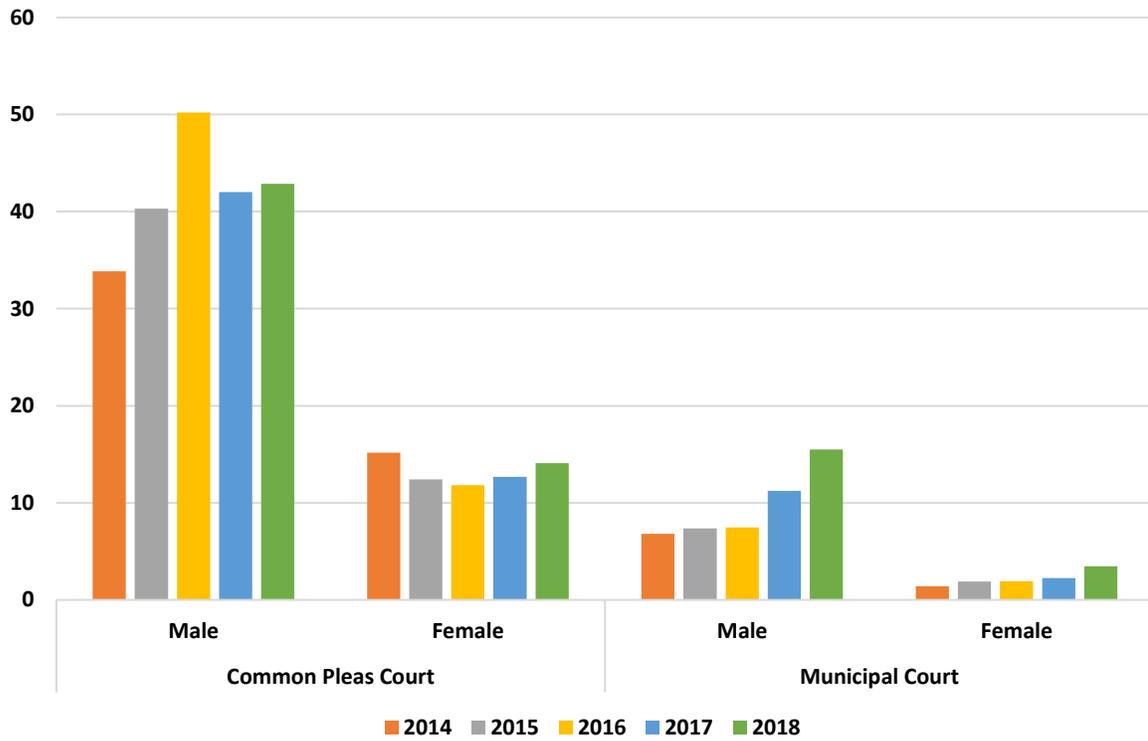


In general, inmate healthcare costs continue to rise with prescription medication making up the greatest part of this expense.

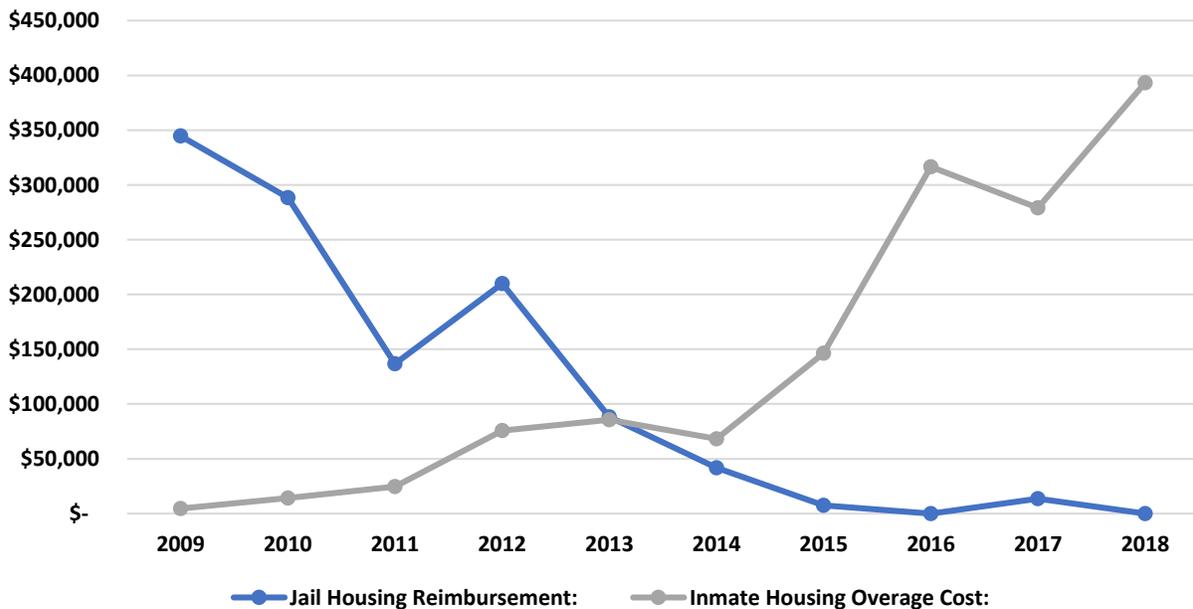


Union County has an allowance of 52 inmate beds at the jail. In general, there has been an increase in inmate population - both male and female - over the last five years.

Average Daily Inmate Population



As the inmate population grows, so does the cost of care and housing. After a slight decrease in housing average cost in 2017, the upward trend continued in 2018.



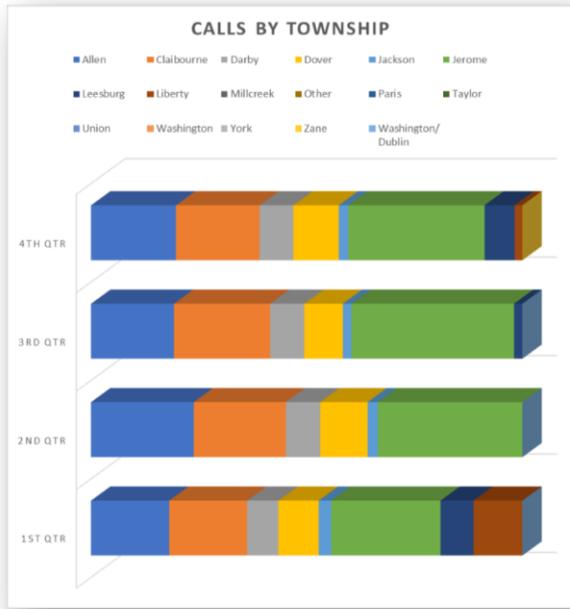


COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION

Director Anne Barr
Communications Commander/9-1-1 Coordinator

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The Union County Sheriff's Office Communications Division is responsible for receiving and dispatching calls for service (including 9-1-1 calls), as well as dispatching for nine (9) Fire and EMS Departments and two (2) law enforcement agencies in addition to the Sheriff's Office. The dispatchers on duty must monitor ten (10) phone lines (which include 7, 9-1-1 lines), four (4) radio frequencies, TDD, two (2) alarm central station receivers, LEADS computer, airport monitor, weather and tornado sirens, warrant computers and greet the public.



	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
Allen Twp	299	393	317	325
Claibourne Twp	298	352	368	320
Darby Twp	120	132	131	129
Dover Twp	154	181	147	174
Jackson Twp	48	39	33	36
Jerome Twp	418	572	622	521
Leesburg Twp	126	162	146	115
Liberty Twp	188	207	123	144
Millcreek Twp	115	129	139	131
Other	364	413	405	398
Paris Twp	1525	1625	1681	1555
Taylor Twp	115	115	87	108
Union Twp	116	144	122	127
Washington Twp	45	43	58	79
York Twp	56	71	66	87
Zane Twp	89	92	67	41
Washington Twp/ Dublin	25	31	35	36

	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.
911 Misroute	6	1	6	2
Information	22	13	13	33
Follow-up	231	316	344	257
Cell 9-1-1				
=>Police	1757	2151	2036	1744
=>Fire	88	170	113	159
=>EMS	562	582	640	548
=>Accidents	481	448	408	523
=>Unknown	12	11	5	10
=>Error/Info	339	469	491	453



ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

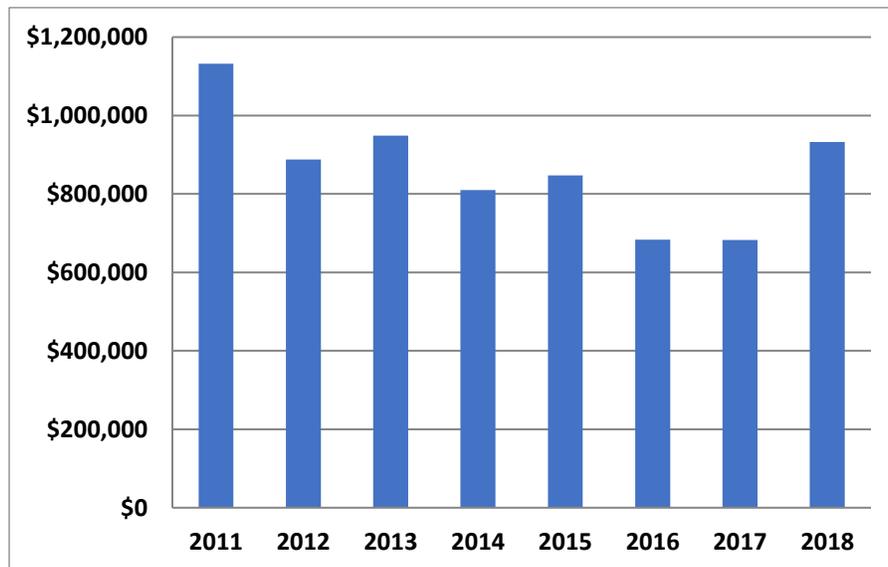
Director Barb Sattler
Administration Commander

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The Administrative Division is responsible for providing administrative support on a daily basis with numerous tasks, including but not limited to, human resource functions such as file maintenance, personnel administration, employee benefits and background investigations; financial functions such as accurate reporting, budgeting, inventory, grant research and funding; accounts payable functions, such as purchasing and processing purchase orders, payroll and the quartermaster system; accounts receivable functions, such as invoicing, receipt recording and processing pay-ins; research and development; legal matters; policy and procedures; contract negotiations and labor management.

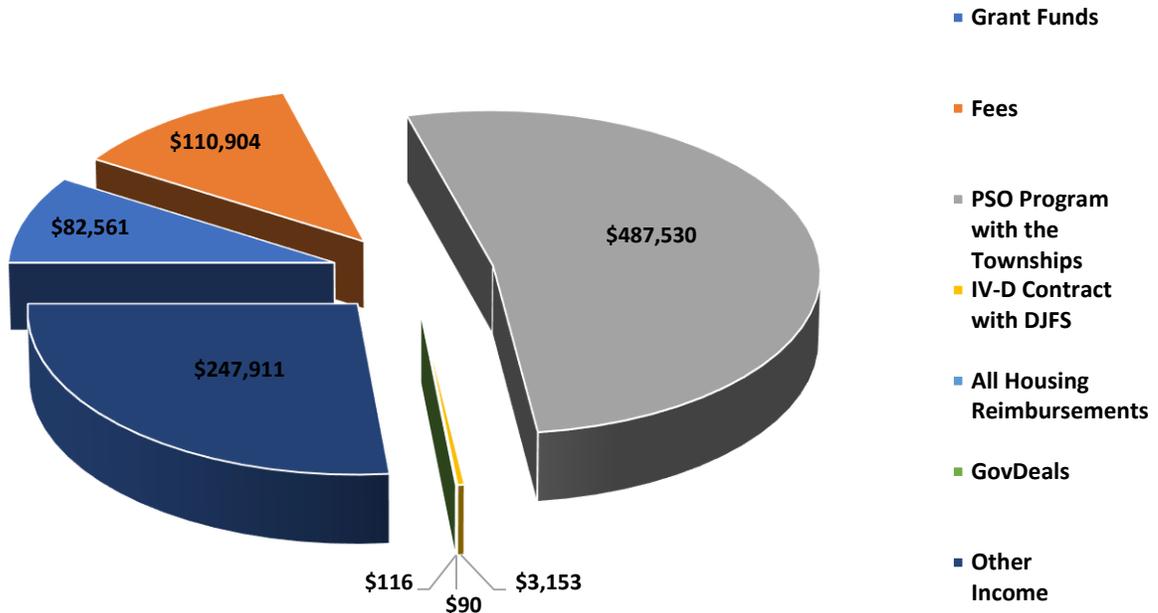
GENERAL FUND REVENUE

The graph below shows revenue into the General Fund by the Sheriff's Office over an eight-year period.



2011-2018 Total Revenue = \$6,924,822

This chart illustrates the sources of general fund revenue in fiscal year 2018.

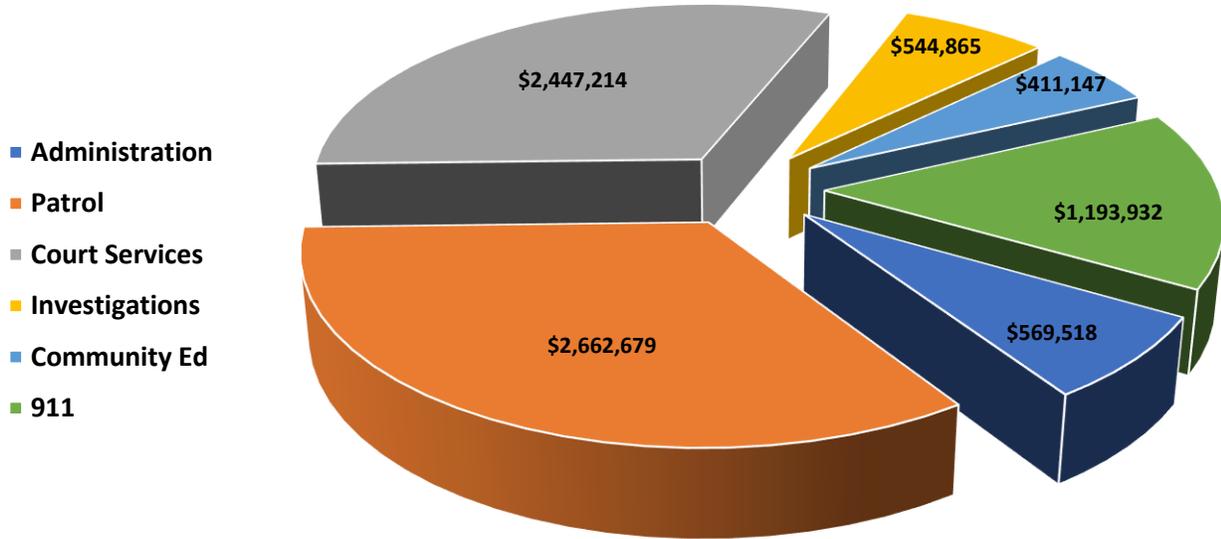


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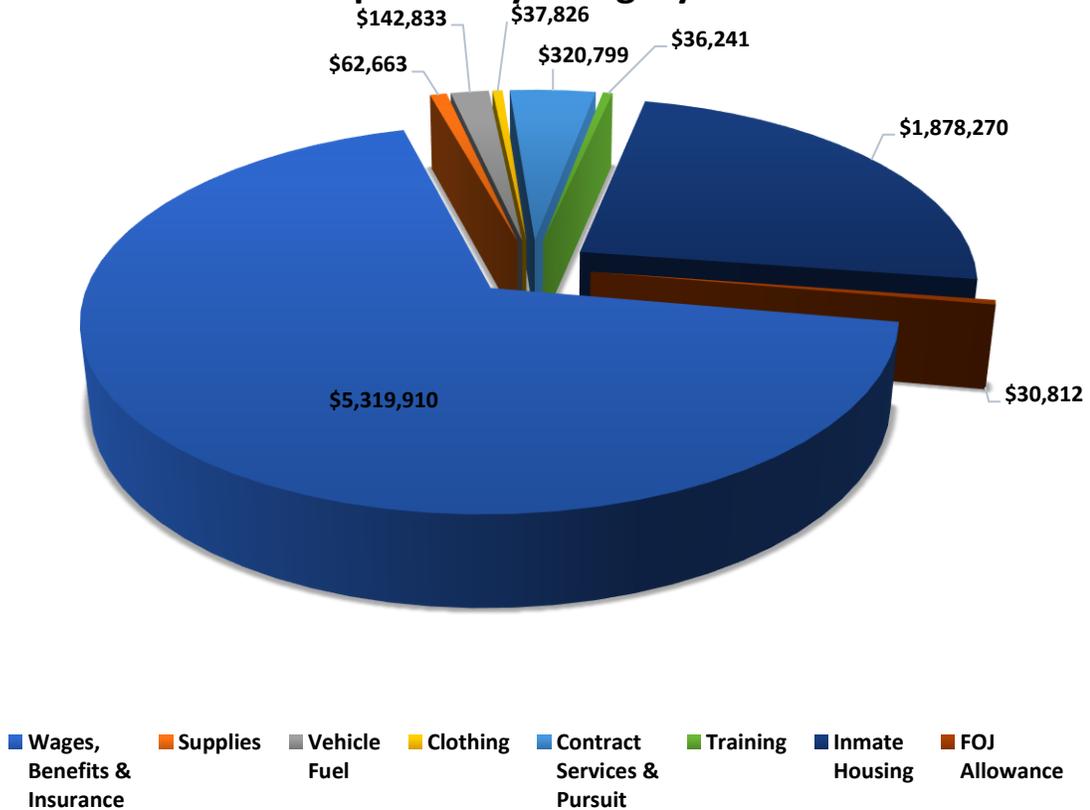
- Grant funding, in general, is becoming more difficult to obtain. The amount listed here was used to subsidize the wages of two School Resource Officers who instructed students in the Fairbanks and North Union School Districts in the DARE program.
- The fees category includes receipts from Sheriff's Sales, cruiser fees from special duties, fees from paper service and fees from copies of reports.
- Townships participating in the PSO program are: Allen, Darby, Jerome, Liberty, Millcreek, Paris and Taylor.
- Service of process trips made by Sheriff's Office deputies under the IV-D contract with DJFS for child support delinquency totaled 58.
- Housing reimbursements include payments for DUI Housing from Marysville Municipal Court as well as inmate housing overage reimbursements and inmate Pay for Stay at Tri County Regional Jail.
- The Other Income section includes restitution, unexpended FOJ funds, the Sheriff's salary reimbursement from the State of Ohio and salary reimbursements for the positions of Dog Warden, School Resource Officer and DJFS Detective.
- Managed the Sheriff's Office budget of \$9,525,762 million which includes expenses from Tri-County Regional Jail and the 9-1-1 Center
- Received \$487,530 from Public Safety Officer and \$101,329 from School Resource Officer contractual relationships with participating townships, villages and the school districts of Fairbanks and North Union.
- Collected \$98,477 in fees for all Sheriff's Office services

- Received \$18,233 in donations for the Sheriff's Office Community Education programs by hosting events like the Safe Heroes Golf Outing and the Turkey Shoot
- Received \$83,875 in funding from the Ohio Attorney General's Office in support of DARE programs in the Fairbanks and North Union School Districts.
- Collected \$4,450 from other law enforcement agencies for use of our training facility
- Received grant funding for the purchase and installation of two in-car video camera systems as well as a portable radio, battery and charger
- Coordinated the purchase of eight new vehicles in the fleet rotation which included five sport utility vehicles for the Patrol division, one unmarked sport utility vehicle for the Administrative division, one unmarked sport utility vehicle for the Investigative division and a prisoner transport van
- Shared in funding with the Commissioner's Office to replace ballistic vests for three deputies and with purchasing six vests for newly hired deputies
- Assisted with the purchase of seventeen body cameras for the Patrol division. These devices are fully compatible with the in-car video camera systems already in use in all Patrol vehicles
- Replaced fourteen PC's and five laptop computers
- Coordinated the purchase of a new server and desktop computer for processing, editing and storing video from body worn cameras, in-car video camera systems and drone video
- Purchased six portable radios, three mobile radios, five TASERS, five AED's and three in-car video camera systems to replace older models that have reached the end of their serviceable life
- Replaced fourteen rifles for use in the Patrol division cruisers
- Replaced all recording and audio-visual equipment in the interview rooms at South Main Street and the Justice Center

2018 Total Expenses by Division

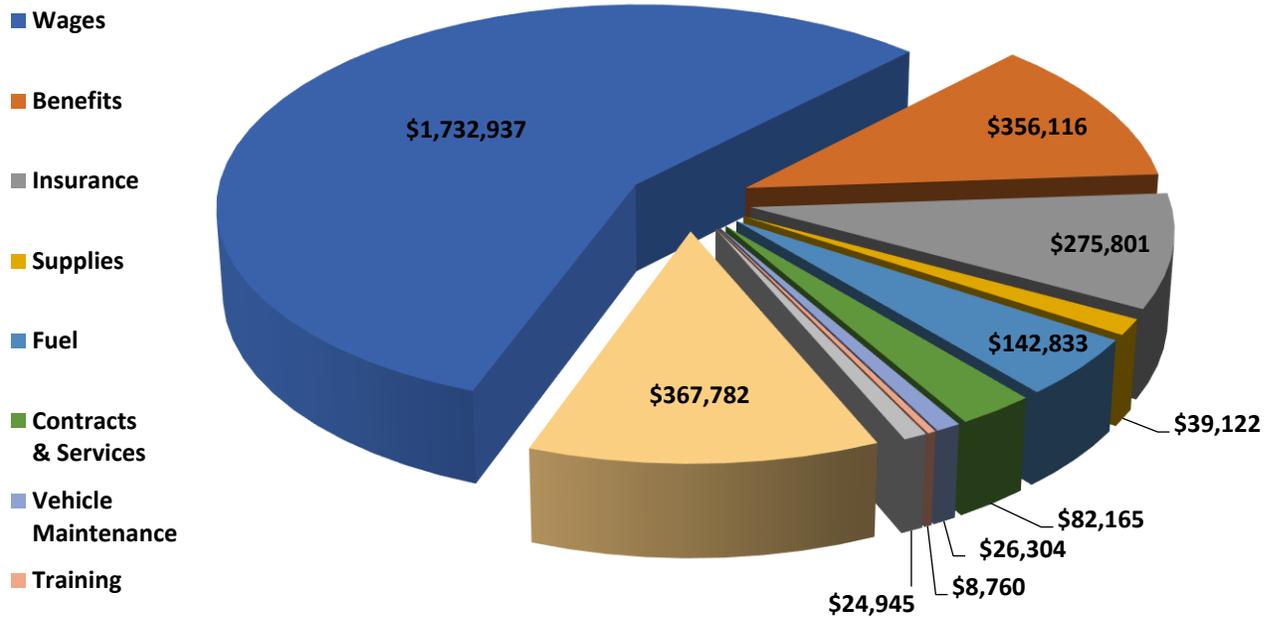


2018 Total Expenses by Category - All Divisions

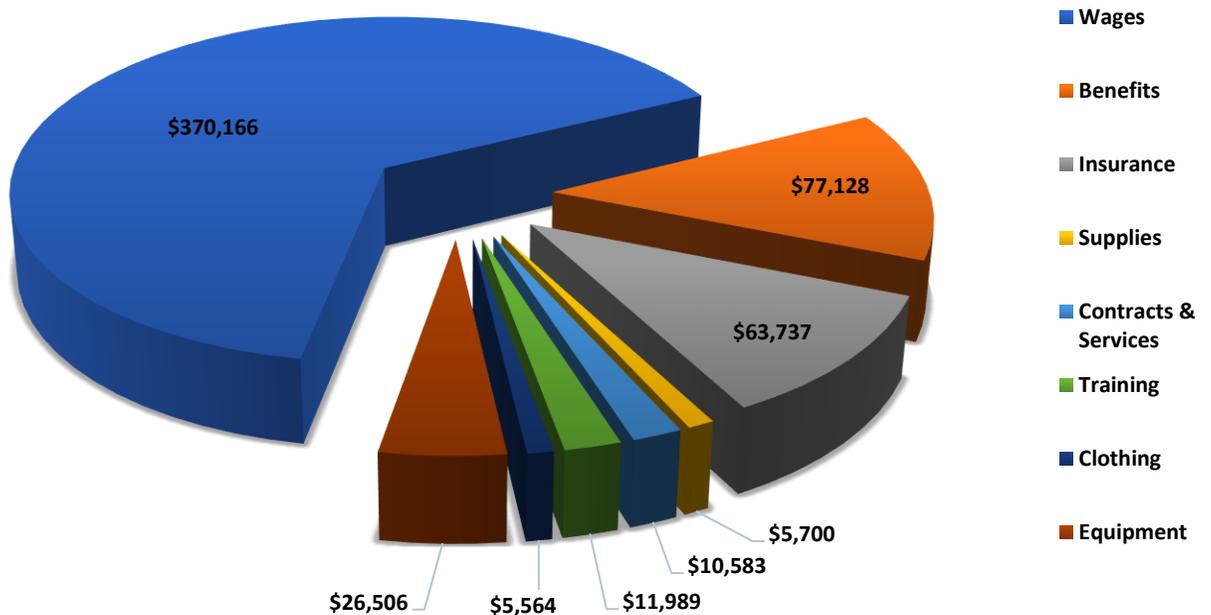


2018 Expenditures by Division and Category

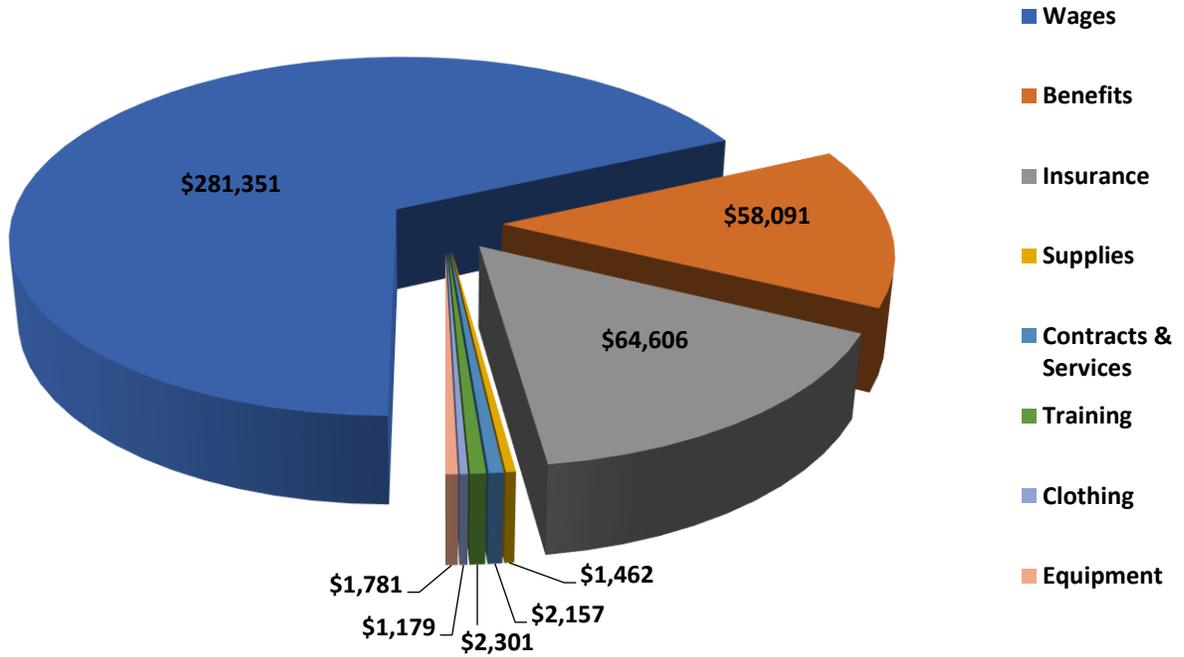
Patrol Division



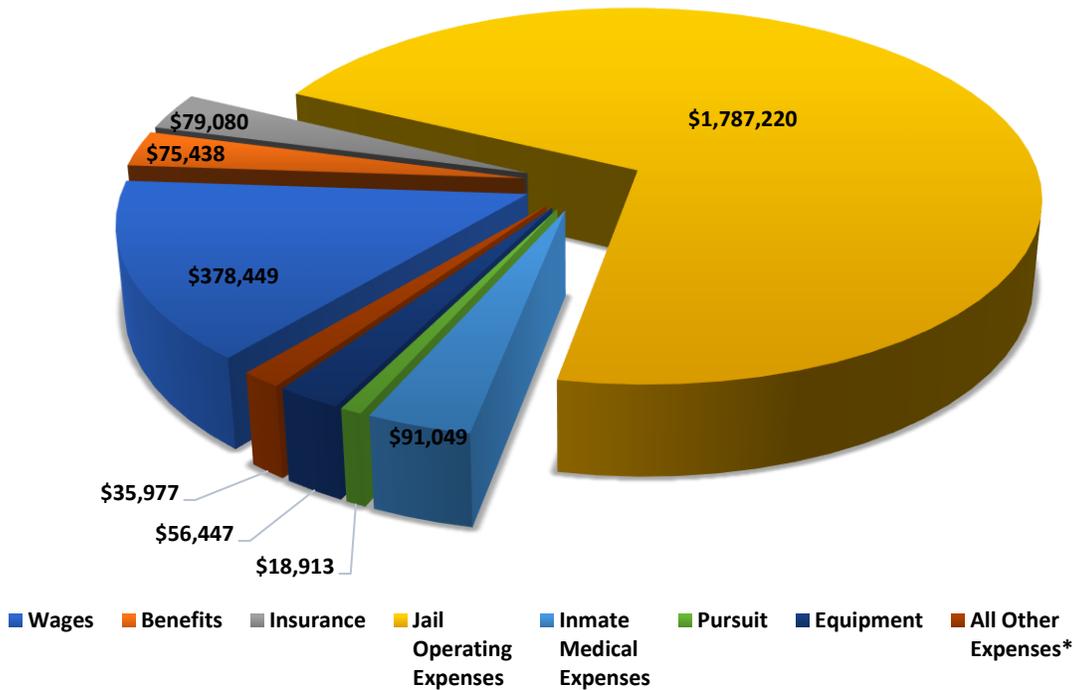
Investigations Division



Support Services Division

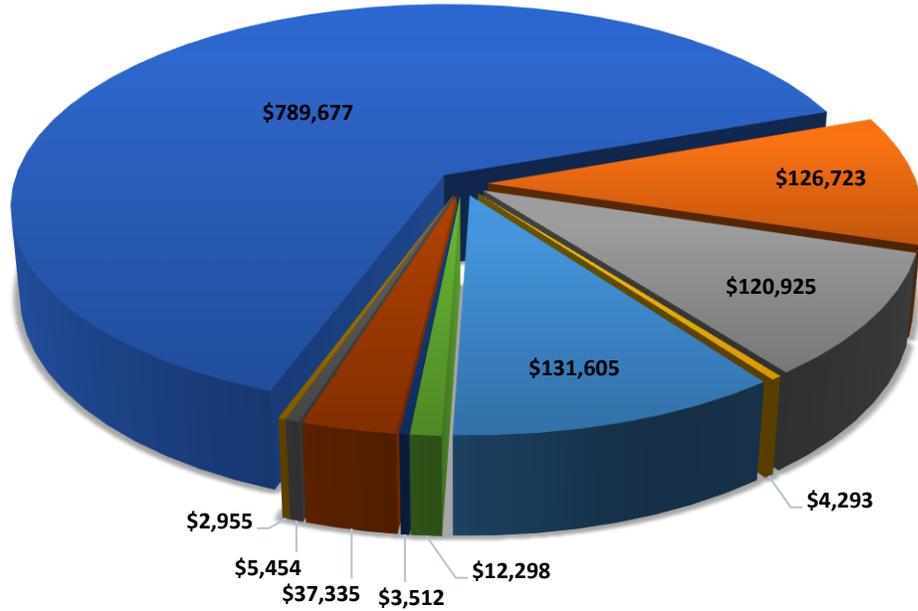


Court Services Division



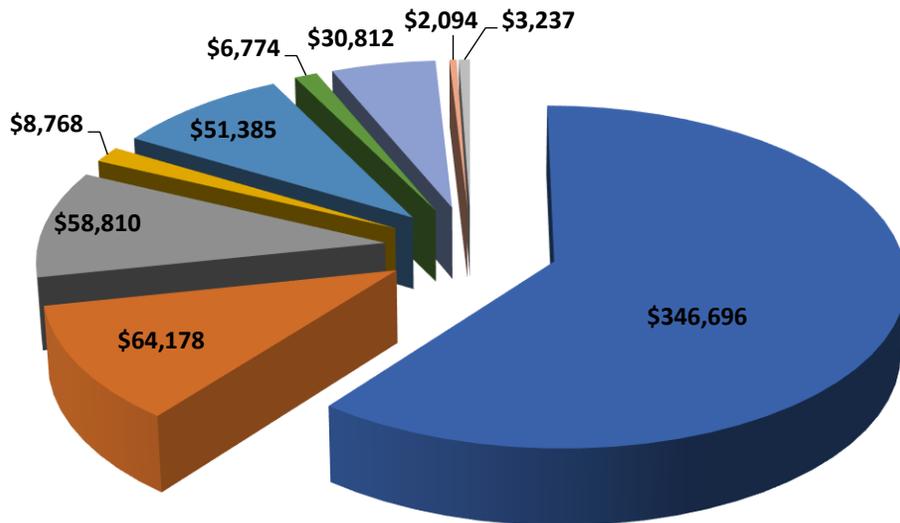
Communications Division

- Wages
- Benefits
- Insurance
- Supplies
- Contract Services
- Wireless Cont Srvc
- Equipment
- Wireless Equipment
- Training & Travel
- Clothing



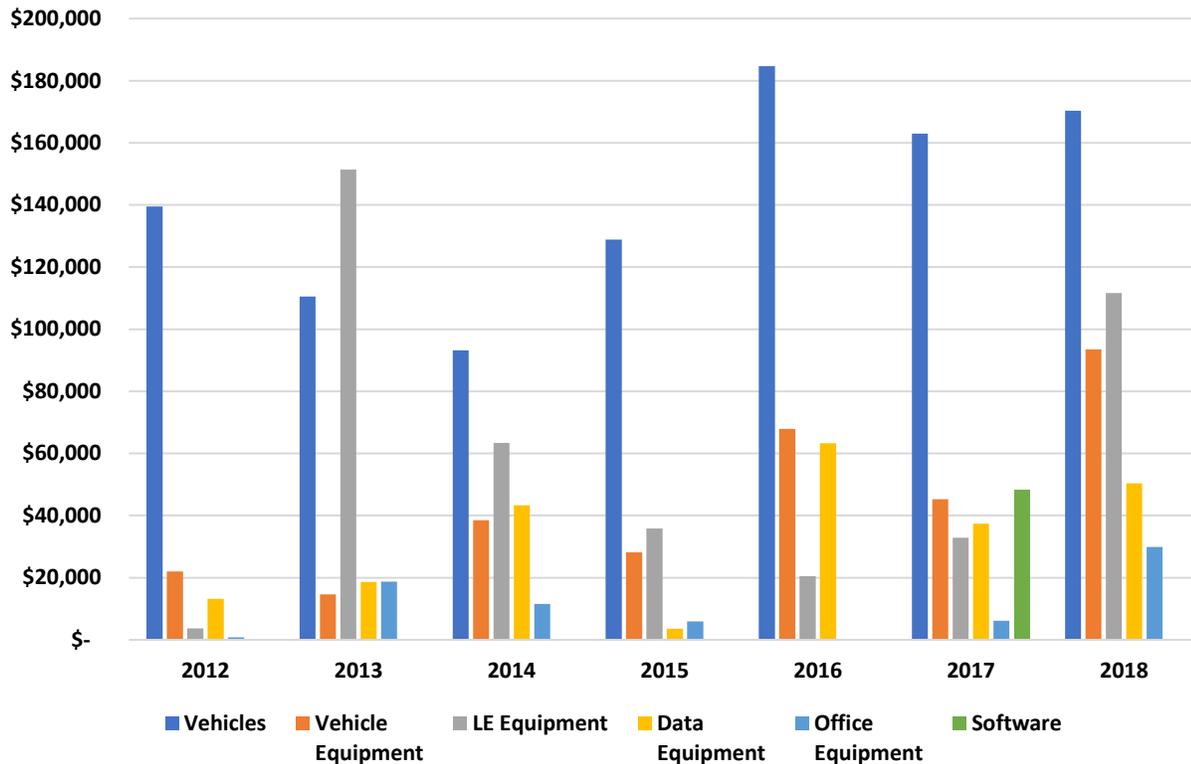
Administration Division

- Wages
- Benefits
- Insurance
- Supplies
- Contracts & Services
- Training
- FOJ Allowance
- Clothing
- Equipment



GENERAL FUND EQUIPMENT

The graph below shows General Fund equipment purchases made by the Sheriff's Office over a seven-year period.



- Every year vehicles are replaced as part of our planned rotation. In 2018, seven Ford sport utility police interceptor vehicles were purchased as well as a Ford Transit van to replace the current prisoner transport van
- Equipment for new Patrol cruisers continues to remain high due to the inability to reuse equipment from retired vehicles in the new models
- Body worn cameras compatible with the in-car camera systems in use in all Patrol vehicles were purchased and put into service
- The audio and visual recording equipment in the interview rooms at South Main Street and the Justice Center was replaced
- Fourteen desktop computers with Windows 7 which will be at end of support in January 2020 were replaced
- A server and desktop computer were purchased to process, edit and store video from body worn and in-car camera systems
- Rifles, radios, in-car camera systems, TASERS and AED's were purchased to replace equipment that is at the end of serviceable life



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HUMAN RESOURCES

Alicia Bosch
Executive Assistant/Human Resources Manager

The Union County Sheriff's Office had three (3) resignations and two (2) retirements in 2018.

In 2018, we hired six (6) deputies, promoted one (1) to Lieutenant and one (1) to Sergeant.

Moving into 2019, we continue to search for replacements for four(4) replacement Deputies; three (3) Deputy Sheriff positions, one (1) Public Safety Officer position, one (1) Communication Officer and one (1) Communications Commander.

Personnel Stats	2018	Personnel Action	2018
Total Employees	62	New Hires	5
Males	45	Resignations	3
Females	17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Public Safety Officer • 1 Deputy Sheriff • 1 Communications Officer 	
Sworn	44	Laid Off	0
Non-sworn	18	Retirements	2
Sworn Males	41	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Command Staff • 1 Patrol Deputy (Sgt) 	
Sworn Females	3	Promotions	2
Special Deputies	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Lieutenant • 1 Sergeant 	
Volunteers In Police Services	5		



HIRING PROCESS

The hiring process for the Union County Sheriff's Office is a very extensive procedure to ensure we may find the right candidate for our positions. Our mission is to consistently strive to maintain and promote a safe environment for our community, by providing quality services and leadership, and by demonstrating a proactive approach to public safety.

Deputy Sheriff	2018	Public Safety Officer	2018
Total Applications Sent	53	Total Applications Sent	23
Applications Returned	20	Applications Returned	6
Applications Not Returned	33	Applications Not Returned	17
Withdrew from Hiring Process	2	Withdrew from Hiring Process	1
Physical Fitness - No Show	2	Physical Fitness - No Show	0
Physical Fitness - Disqualification	1	Physical Fitness - Disqualification	0
Disqualified Applicants	8	Disqualified Applicants	4
No Show to Interview	1	No Show to Interview	0
Not Recommended after Interview	4	Not Recommended after Interview	0
Offered Position - Declined	2	Offered Position - Declined	0
Hired 2018 Applicant	0	Hired 2018 Applicant	1

Communications Officer	2018	Communications Commander	2018
Total Applications Sent	16	Total Applications Sent	14
Applications Returned	6	Applications Returned	9
Applications Not Returned	10	Applications Not Returned	5
Disqualified Applicants	5	Not Recommended after Interview	6
Withdrew from Process	1	Withdrew from Process	1
Hired 2018 Applicant	0	Eligibility List	1
		Hired 2018 Applicant	1



ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

The Union County Sheriff's Office (UCSO) held their Annual Awards Banquet in recognition of our employees for their service to the County and our residents.

An array of awards, from years of service to employees of the year were given to staff members.

In 2018, we had employees earn twenty (20), thirty (30) and thirty-five (35) year service awards. Thank you to these employees for their continued dedication to the UCSO and this community!

Congratulations to our 2018 Award winners!



Deputy Jaymie Williams
Deputy of the Year



Exec. Assist./HR Mgr. Alicia Bosch
Civillian of the Year



Dispatcher Andrea Schalip
Dispatcher of the Year



YEARS OF SERVICE

TWO YEARS (ONE GOLD BAR)

Morgan Brown
Aaron Golden
Josh Kent
Kristin Cowell
Kaylen Seabrook
James Mitchell

FIVE YEARS (ONE GOLD STAR)

Kevin Rigano
Ben Smith

TEN YEARS (TWO GOLD STAR)

Barb Sattler
Zach Schnarre

TWENTY YEARS (FOUR GOLD STARS)

Brad Phipps

THIRTY YEARS (SIX GOLD STARS)

Matt Warden

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS (SEVEN GOLD STARS)

Randy Barker



YEARS OF SERVICE CRYSTALS AWARD

TWENTY YEARS
Service with the UCSO

Aaron McKinnon



THIRTY YEARS
Service with the UCSO

Mike Burton



Lyle Herman





YEARS OF SERVICE CRYSTALS AWARD

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS
Service with the UCSO

Randy Barker





SAFE DRIVING AWARDS

Ten Years

Joel Thorpe
Rod Wilson

Fifteen Years

Richard Crabtree
Adam Haycox

Twenty Years

Shawn Golden

Thirty Years

Mike Burton

EDUCATION AWARDS

James Mitchell

Associate Columbus State Community College

Benjamin Smith, Jr.

Associate James A. Rhodes State College



NRA SHOOT AWARDS

Joel Thorpe - Expert
Bob Roberts - Expert
Mike Casey - Expert
Lyle Herman - Expert
Seth McDowell - Expert
Kevin Rigano - Sharpshooter
William Stuff - Sharpshooter

CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM CERTIFICATION

Matthew Bebout
Mike Casey
Josh Kent
Ricky Garrison
Seth McDowell
Stephanie Wilhelm
Kaylen Seabrook
Andrea Schalip
Tiffany Cook
Sean Phelan

K-9 CERTIFICATION

Jacob Matejko



AGENCY AWARDS

SHERIFF'S OFFICE LETTER OF COMMENDATIONS

Scott Robinson
Joel Thorpe
Jaymie Williams
Chad Lee
Rob Louden
Curtis Myers
Mike Casey
Rose Robinson
Andrea Schalip
Tiffany Cook
Kaylen Seabrook
Aaron McKinnon

SHERIFF'S OFFICE INDIVIDUAL COMMENDATION

Betsy Spain



SHERIFF'S OFFICE GROUP COMMENDATION

Matt Henry
Chad Lee
Josh Campbell
Rob Louden
Brad Phipps
Kelly Nawman
Lyle Herman
Jaymie Williams
Kevin Rigano
Bob Roberts
Rebecca Heath
Kaylen Seabrook

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

Kaylen Seabrook
Rob Louden

CITATION AWARD

Chad Lee
Scott Skeldon



2018 UCSO Overview



5th grade students at Fairbanks Elementary School successfully completed the D.A.R.E. program, taught by Deputy Rod Wilson. Graduation was held on February 23, 2018.



PROMOTION LIEUTENANT OF SUPPORT SERVICES

On February 16, 2018, Deputy Matt Warden was pinned by his wife, Polly, as he was promoted to Lieutenant of the Support Services Division at the Union County Sheriff's office. Lt. Warden recently celebrated his 27th year with our agency.

In his new role, Lt. Warden will oversee the operations of Community Education, which includes but is not limited to, School Resource Officers (SRO)/Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE), Crime Prevention programs, Project Lifesaver, Drug Take Back, community events, festivals and the UCSO fundraisers. Lt. Warden also oversees the Special Deputy Bureau, including the Volunteers in Police Services (VIPS), Dog Warden and all agency training to include Continued Professional Training (CPT), annual qualifications, and re-certifications for all divisions and bureaus at the Union County Sheriff's Office.



Congratulations Lt. Matt Warden!



NAVIN Elementary



As part of their annual Read-A-Thon, Navin Elementary invited Sheriff Patton to Read Across Navin on March 2, 2018.

2018 VOLUNTEER & POLICING AWARD



The Union County Sheriff's Office congratulates Deb Segner on receiving the 2018 Volunteer & Policing Award for Outstanding Service in the Community. This award was presented by the Ohio Crime Prevention Association (OCPA) at the annual Awards Luncheon held on April 16, 2018.

Deb Segner along with her husband Steve, are two of our Volunteers In Police Services (V.I.P.S.). Deb was nominated for this award for her outstanding work and going above and beyond

her duties as a volunteer with the Union County Sheriff's Office. Deb has taken on many roles with our agency including acting as the Administrative Assistant for the Investigations Division; she has taken on the scheduling for all of the V.I.P.S.; tracking hours worked by Special Deputies and the Dog Warden. Deb helps coordinate events such as the Drug Take Back, Citizens Academy and Shop with a Cop.



Within the last three years, Deb has volunteered more than 4,500 hours at the Union County Sheriff's Office.

Congratulations Deb!
Thank you for your countless hours
and all you do for us!

POLICE WEEK 2018



In celebration of National Police week, Woody and the Wake Up Call, the morning show on Columbus' Country Radio Station 92.3 WCOL, invited Sheriff Jamie Patton to join their morning broadcast on May 15, 2018. Pictured with Sheriff Patton are Kayla Hanley and Woody Johnson, Radio Personalities on Woody and the Wake Up Call.

Sheriff Jamie Patton and Lieutenant Jeff Stiers participated in the motorcade for the Annual Ohio Peace Officers' Memorial held in London, Ohio. Officer David J. Fahey, Jr., Cleveland Division of Police (EOW 1/24/17); Chief Steven "Eric" DiSario, Kirkersville Police Department (EOW 5/12/17); Patrolman Marvin "Scott" Moyer, Lancaster Police Department (EOW 5/26/2017); Officer Justin A. Leo, Girard Police Department (EOW 10/21/17); and K-9 Officer, Dino of the Green Township Police Department (EOW 9/25/17) were honored at this year's ceremony, for giving the ultimate sacrifice in 2017.

Historical inductions honored were Constable Franklin Stone, Oberlin Police Department (EOW 6/5/1881); Deputy Samuel J Mautz, Franklin County Sheriff's Office (EOW 7/11/1921); Deputy Marshal Donald O. McLaughlin, Beverly Police Department (EOW 8/16/1970); Patrolman Bradley T. Scott, Elyria Police Department (EOW 8/27/2004); Sergeant Martin A Stanton, Cleveland Division of Police (EOW 9/27/2010); and K-9 Officer, Uganda of the Perkins Township Police Department (EOW 12/4/2016).



On May 10, 2018, the Union County Law Enforcement Memorial was held. Members of local law enforcement agencies, fire departments and members of the community gathered to honor the fallen. The Ceremony was led

by Chief Monte Asher, Richwood Police Department. Following Taps, played by Lieutenant Rudy Zupanc, Ohio State Highway Patrol, family members released balloons in honor of Union County Sheriff Forest Hager (EOW 9/23/1927); Sergeant Roger Beekman, Union County Sheriff's Office (EOW 9/19/1979); Union County Sheriff Harry Wolfe (EOW 1/21/1982).

The Union County Sheriff's Office would like to thank the following individuals for the roles they played in this year's ceremony: Chief Monte Asher, Richwood Police Department; Pastor Joseph Rhea, First United Methodist Church of Richwood; Bagpiper Jack Guyton, Concord Township Fire Department; members of the Ohio State Highway Patrol Color Guard; Chaplain Martin Guereña, Plain City Police Department; Lieutenant Rudy Zupanc, Ohio State Highway Patrol; Chaplain Clancy Cruise, Marysville Division of Police; Chaplain Jack Heino, Union County Sheriff's Office; and all of the Law Enforcement Officers and First Responders, especially Deputy Shawn Golden, Union County Sheriff's Office; Officer Nathan Stone, Marysville Police Department; Deputy Jim Mitchell, Union County Sheriff's Office; Officer Joe North, Plain City Police Department; Sergeant Tharon Prather, Plain City Police Department; and Officer Eric Nicholson, Richwood Police Department. A special thank you to the North Union High School Choir, New Age, for their beautiful rendition of the "National Anthem" and "America the Beautiful."



May we never forget the brave law enforcement officers who gave their lives in service, so that we may live in peace.



Twenty-five Years of Dedication to DARE

On June 24, 2018, the Union County Sheriff's Office received a Certificate of Recognition for 25 plus years of dedication to the DARE Program. Pictured below accepting the certificate are Deputy Rod Wilson, UCSO DARE Officer; Deputy Shawn Dyer, UCSO DARE Officer; Deputy Rich Crabtree, UCSO Crime Prevention Officer and Sheriff Jamie Patton.

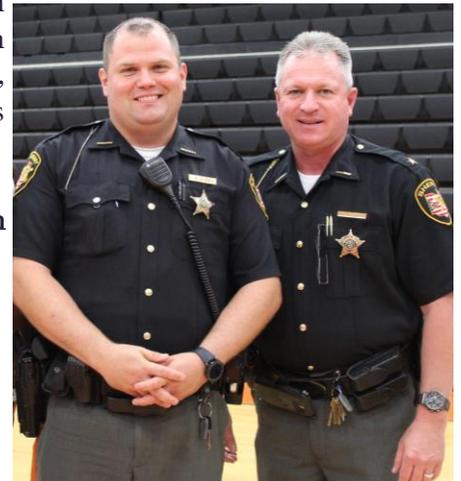
The Union County Sheriff's Office began providing the DARE program to our local schools in 1990.



North Union Schools Thank Deputy Dyer

As the 2017-18 school year came to a close, it marked the first full school year for Deputy Shawn Dyer serving as the North Union School District School Resource and DARE Officer. On May 29, 2018, North Union held a surprise school assembly for Deputy Dyer as a thank you for the impact he made on their school. Over 2,000 North Union Elementary, Middle and High School Students, North Union School officials and Union Sheriff's Office staff as well as Deputy Dyer's family members attended the surprise assembly.

"Thank you, Shawn, for developing the relationships needed for our youth and building the School Resource Officer program", Sheriff Patton.



The 2018 Safe Heroes Golf Classic Champions

(Pictured Right with Sheriff Patton
and Deputy Rich Crabtree)

**Brad Amrine, Kevin Levings
John Smith and Duane Jolliff**





SHERIFF RELEASES NEW FREE MOBILE APP

Union County, Ohio – The Union County Sheriff’s Office has a new iPhone and Android mobile app which will provide the public direct

alerts of police activity, road closures, motor vehicle accidents and more. The app was released, January 7, 2019 and is now available to download for FREE. Sheriff Jamie Patton is pleased to announce his office is the first Ohio Sheriff’s Office to have this app. “The FREE app releases important and critical information in a timely manner and allows the community to stay connected with the Sheriff’s Office”, said Sheriff Patton.

With the touch of a screen, users can view breaking news, crime reports and press releases from the Sheriff’s Office. Components in the app include a list of the Union County’s Most Wanted Fugitives along with their names, photos and offense(s). The app also links the user to only Union County Inmates at the Tri-County Jail and Union County registered sex offenders.

App users can send the Sheriff’s Office anonymous tips by using the “Submit a Tip” tab. Tips can be sent by calling or emailing; the exact location can be sent if the location settings are turned on by the users. Users can send pictures with their tip, no worries this information is confidential unless the user wishes to provide their contact information. “Any actual emergency should still be reported via 911”, said Sheriff Patton.

Where Am I? allows users to share their location with others, if they are lost! Other important features include Join Our Team, Sheriff Sales and Conceal Carry information.

“We have created this new mobile app as a service to our county”, said Sheriff Patton.

So, please encourage every resident and business owner to download the app today. Our goal is to stay connected and engaged by making Union County a safe and enjoyable place to live, work and visit. Please take a moment to share the app with your family, friends and co-workers.

2018 Benefit Shoot



CONGRATULATIONS to the winner of our 2018 Gun Raffle, Tom Heath!

Savage A17 XP *with*

Brush 1105-10x06 scope.

Hard chromes bolt cut & covered bolt handle.

10-Round rotary magazine.

Users-adjustable Anon Trigger



Thank you to Lowes, Home Depot and Meijer for their prize donations.



ANNUAL SHOP WITH A COP

The annual Shop with a Cop event was held on Saturday, December 15, 2018. With donations from Meijer and Wal-Mart, 75 local children were able to participate in this year's event. Volunteers from every Union County Law Enforcement Agency and Fire Department participated as well. Upon their arrival, the children were paired with a local hero and then had breakfast provided by White Castle before partaking in a lights and siren parade through uptown Marysville. The parade ended at Wal-Mart and Meijer, where the children were greeted by excited store personnel, Elves, Mrs. Claus and Santa! This event is a favorite by many of the volunteers that participate. We would like THANK Meijer and Wal-Mart for their generous donation to this event; Thank you to White Castle for the delicious breakfast ; and a SPECIAL THANK YOU to all of the local First Responder Heroes for volunteering. Without you this would not be possible. You have created lasting memories for all of these children.



Happy Retirement!

**Director
Anne Barr**
32
Years of Service



Thank you for your many years of dedicated service to the Sheriff's Office and the citizens of Union County. We wish you both the very best in this new chapter.

Enjoy your Retirement!



**Sergeant
Michael Burton**
32
Years of Service