

Office of The Sheriff Marinette County Wisconsin

**Jerome T. Sauve
Sheriff**



2014 Annual Report

“Keeping the peace since 1879”

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SHERIFFS OF MARINETTE COUNTY

1879-1880 J.J. Sherman
1880-1882 Jeremiah O’Leary
1882-1885 J.J. Mc Gillis
1885-1887 James L. Murphy
1887-1889 Patrick Clifford
1889-1891 James L. Murphy
1891-1893 Robert Hitchon
1893-1895 James L. Murphy
1895-1897 Robert Hitchon
1897-1899 Thomas W. Brown
1899-1901 B.C. Nelson
1901-1903 James L. Murphy
1903-1905 J.K. Setright
1905-1907 Thomas W. Brown
1907-1909 Joseph Seibel
1909-1911 Charles F. Smith
1911-1913 A.E. Schwittay
1913-1915 C.A. Budlong
1915-1917 Albert H. Holquist
1917-1919 Michael Hallen
1919-1921 Albert H. Holquist
1922-1923 John H. Doberstein



1925-1927 Albert H. Holquist
1928-1929 Oscar Dahl
1929-1933 Lester B. Lindsay
1933-1937 Otto C. Topel
1937-1941 Arthur Woulf
1941-1945 Marriner Kohlman
1945-1947 Edward O’Hearon
1947-1951 Donald W. John
1951-1955 James A. Spangler
1955-1959 Marriner Kohlman
1959-1961 James A. Spangler
1961-1963 Marriner Kohlman
1963-1964 Raymond E. Mattison
1965-1971 Donald A. Witt
1971-1979 Earl L. Wagner
1979-1988 Joseph M. Larson
1989-1992 Robert M. Harbick
1993-2000 James J. Kanikula
2001-2006 Michael Kessler
2007-2010 James J. Kanikula
2011- Jerome T. Sauve

**CODE OF ETHICS OF
THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF**

As a constitutionally elected Sheriff, I recognize and accept that I am given a special trust and confidence by the citizens and employees whom I have been elected to serve, represent and manage. This trust and confidence is my bond to ensure that I shall behave and act according to the highest personal and professional standards. In furtherance of this pledge, I will abide by the following Code of Ethics.

I SHALL ENSURE that I and my employees, in the performance of our duties, will enforce and administer the law according to the standards of the U.S. Constitution and applicable State Constitutions and statutes so that equal protection of the law is guaranteed to everyone. To that end I shall not permit personal opinions, party affiliations, or consideration of the status of others to alter or lessen this standard of treatment of others.

I SHALL ESTABLISH, PROMULGATE AND ENFORCE a set of standards of behavior of my employees which will govern the overall management and operation of the law enforcement functions, court related activities, and corrections operations of my agency.

I SHALL NOT TOLERATE NOR CONDONE brutal or inhumane treatment of others by my employees nor shall I permit or condone inhumane or brutal treatment of inmates in my care and custody.

I STRICTLY ADHERE to standards of fairness and integrity in the conduct of campaigns for election and I shall conform to all applicable statutory standards of election financing and reporting so that the Office of the Sheriff is not harmed by the actions of myself or others.

I SHALL ROUTINELY CONDUCT or have conducted an internal and external audit of the public funds entrusted to my care and publish this information so that citizens can be informed about my stewardship of these funds.

I SHALL FOLLOW the accepted principles of efficient and effective administration and management as the principle criteria for my judgments and decisions in the allocation of resources and services in law enforcement, court related and corrections functions of my Office.

I SHALL HIRE AND PROMOTE only those employees or others who are the very best candidates for a position according to accepted standards of objectivity and merit. I shall not permit other factors to influence hiring or promotion practices.

I SHALL ENSURE that all employees are granted and receive relevant training supervision in the performance of their duties so that competent and excellent service is provided by the Office of the Sheriff.

I SHALL ENSURE that during my tenure as Sheriff, I shall not use the Office of Sheriff for private gain.

I ACCEPT AND WILL ADHERE TO THIS CODE OF ETHICS. In so doing, I also accept responsibility for encouraging others in my profession to abide by this Code.

**MARINETTE COUNTY, WISCONSIN
OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF
JEROME T. SAUVE, SHERIFF**

PRIDE HONOR INTEGRITY COURAGE KNOWLEDGE

MISSION STATEMENT

**Protect and Serve all the Citizens and Visitors of Marinette County.
Preserve the Peace, Prevent Crime and Disorder.
This must be done with Honor, Integrity, and the Highest Ethical Standards
to Maintain Public Confidence.**

LAW ENFORCEMENT & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**The committee meets 2nd Monday of the Month at 1:15 p.m.
Law Enforcement Center, 2161 University Drive, Marinette, WI**

KEN KELLER - CHAIR

KEN MATTISON – VICE CHAIR

MICHAEL BEHNKE

PAUL GUSTAFSON

CHERYL WRUK

**Traffic Safety Commission: meets 2nd Wednesday in February, May, August
& November at 10:00 a.m., 2161 University Drive, Marinette, WI 54143.
County Board Member: Larry Nichols**

**911 User Committee: meets 2nd Thursday in February, May, August &
November at 3:30 p.m., 2161 University Drive, Marinette, WI 54143.
County Board Member: Ken Keller**

**Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee: meets 2nd Friday of the Month at
8:00 a.m., 1926 Hall Avenue, Marinette, WI 54143.
County Board Member: Cheryl Wruk**

SHERIFF OFFICE PERSONNEL

SHERIFF

Jerome T. Sauve

CHIEF DEPUTY

James Hansen

LIEUTENANTS PATROL DIVISION

Jim Albright – Day Shift

Jason Ducane – Night Shift

LIEUTENANT INVESTIGATIONS

Barry Degnitz

DETECTIVES

Todd Baldwin

Chris Lesperance

Dan Miller

DRUG OFFICER

Bill Swanson

SERGEANTS – PATROL

Day (D) Shift 5a.m.-5p.m.

Night (N) Shift 5p.m.-5a.m.

Robert Amundson – N

Matt Evancheck – D

Randy Miller – D

Mike Sievert – N

DEPUTIES

Day (D) Shift 5a.m.-5p.m.

Night (N) Shift 5p.m.-5a.m.

4 Days On/4 Days Off

Zachary Albrecht-N

Dan Beauchamp-D

Jamie Curran-D

Kurt Kostuch-D

Lance Lincoln-N

Ben Hicks-N

Jesse Parker-D

Fred Popp-D

Steve Schmidt-N

Brett West-N

Brad Wyss-N

Mike Nickels-N

Gary Temple (Court Officer)

Chris Tonn-D

Sean VanErmen-D

Craig Kasten-N

Dave Oginski-N

CIVILIAN JAIL ADMINISTRATOR

Bob Majewski

JAIL CORPORALS

Amber Lynwood

Stacy Matz

Brian Wruk

Doug Grun

Natalie Behrendt

ADMINISTRATIVE CCO

Tom Bourque

CORRECTIONS OFFICERS

Casey Behnke

Don Behrendt

Dominic Cardella

Dave Gregersen

Kat Grun

Mike Haupt

Brent Hill

Chad Huston

Grant Kuehnl (Inmate Education)

Cathy Malke

Joe Moser

Nicholas Nielson

Keith Roubal

Danielle Spranger

Mic Steiner

Diane Stryzewski

Stephanie Timblin

Randy VanVooren

OFFICE PERSONNEL

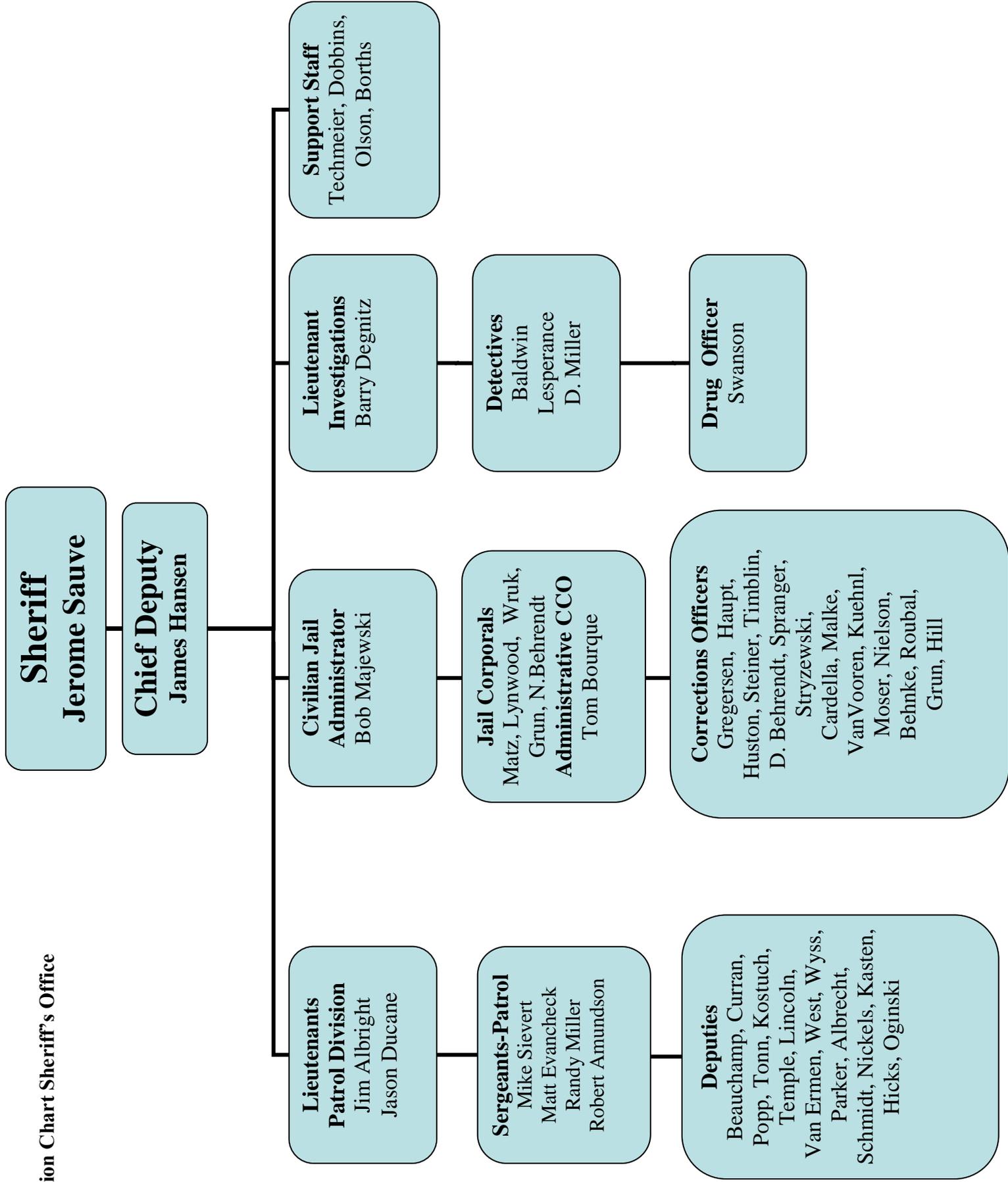
Fae Olson – Sheriff Secretary

Jerilyn Borths – Jail Receptionist

Kim Dobbins – Financial Clerk

Ellen Techmeier – Financial Clerk

Organization Chart Sheriff's Office



MARINETTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

DETECTIVE'S REPORT 2014

The Marinette County Sheriff's Office has a Detective Lieutenant and three full time Detectives and one Drug Investigator, who handle any and all crimes occurring in Marinette County. The Detective Division also assists other law enforcement agencies requesting interviews of victims or suspects who may be presently in our jurisdiction.

The Detectives process crime scenes, conduct extensive investigations, and conduct numerous interviews regarding each case. Criminal cases are time consuming and require lengthy reports which are prepared for possible charges by the District Attorney.

The Detectives work closely with numerous other law enforcement agencies in Wisconsin and other states. The Detectives also work closely with Marinette County Human Services and other Human Services Departments.

In 2014, the Division investigated approximately 61 deaths (increase of 4), 25 sexual assaults (increase of 3), 119 burglaries (decrease of 47), and conducted approximately 86 drug investigations (increase of 6). Many of these cases were cleared by arrest.

Major cases that were worked on by the Division included the crime spree of the Whitmores during December, the child pornography and sexual assault case involving Henry Hartshorn, and the 6 heroin and other drug overdose deaths. These cases took numerous hours to investigate.

Northeast Tri-County Drug Enforcement Group & Menominee County Drug Enforcement Group

The North East Tri-County Drug Enforcement Group (NETCDEG) is made up of investigators from Marinette County Sheriff's Office, Marinette Police Department and Peshtigo Police Department.

Narcotic Investigations in the Counties of Marinette and Menominee are a collaborative effort of The North East Tri-County Drug Enforcement Group and Menominee County/City Drug Enforcement Team. The local agencies are utilized for assistance at times also.

As a result of the 2014 drug investigations a total of 68 individuals were arrested for offenses that involved the illegal use and distribution of illegal drugs. Currently there are an additional 47 individuals who will be charged for the same type of offenses. Of the 114 individuals investigated 31 were investigated for heroin offenses which include delivery of heroin, possession with intent to deliver heroin, and possession of heroin; 39 individuals were investigated for violations of prescription pills laws which include prescription fraud, delivery of scheduled narcotics, and possession of prescription pills; 37 individuals were investigated for marijuana offenses including possession with intent to deliver marijuana, manufacture marijuana, and possession of marijuana; 4 individuals were investigated for synthetic cannabinoid offenses including possession of synthetic cannabinoids and possession with intent to deliver synthetic cannabinoids; 4 individuals investigated for delivery of cocaine; 3 individuals investigated for possession or delivery of crack cocaine; and 2 individuals investigated for possession or delivery of methamphetamine. Two of individuals arrested were felons and had possession of sawed off shotguns and were charged accordingly. North East Tri-County Drug Enforcement Group also investigated several cases of illegal drugs being brought into the Marinette County Jail.

In 2014 the North East Tri-County Drug Enforcement Group arrested two individuals who provided heroin to two separate individuals who overdosed and died from using the heroin. NETCDEG was assisted on these cases by WI Department of Justice, Brown County Drug Task Force, Lake Winnebago Area Drug Unit, Appleton Police Department, and Menasha Police Department.

The agencies involved in the 2014 investigative efforts were Marinette Police Department, Marinette County Sheriff's Office, Menominee County Sheriff's Office, Wisconsin Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), Peshtigo Police Department, Oconto City Police Department, Oconto Falls Police Department, Oconto County Sheriff's Department, Menominee City Police Department, Coleman Police Department, Crivitz Police Department, Niagara Police Department, KIND (Kingsford Public Safety, Iron Mountain Police Department, Norway Police Department, and Dickinson County Sheriff) Drug Unit, Shawano County Drug Task Force, Brown County Drug Task Force, Lake Winnebago Area Drug Unit, Appleton Police Department, Menasha Police Department, Sheboygan Police Department, Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department, Wisconsin State Patrol, Milwaukee HIDTA Group,

Marinette County Special Response Team, City of Marinette Tactical Warrant Entry Team, and K-9 units from Marinette County, Menominee County, Crivitz Police Department, Oconto County, and Wisconsin State Patrol.



Governor Scott Walker visited Marinette County on April 7th to sign into law four heroin bills sponsored by Rep. John Nygren and Senator Sheila Harsdorf in an effort to combat heroin abuse in Wisconsin. The signing took place at the Marinette County Courthouse. The Criminal Justice Coordinating Committee was instrumental in establishing the new Drug Court and Treatment and Alternatives Diversion (TAD) programs.



In October 2014 K.S. Large Bore Pistons, LLC of Marinette presented a \$1,500.00 donation to our K-9 Program, as well as Menominee Sheriff's K-9 Program and Marinette Police for their drug enforcement efforts.

CRIME STOPPERS

The use of information, whether from concerned citizens or paid informant, has played a vital role in the success of police work since the earliest times. Marinette County Crime Stoppers officially started July 25, 1991 and is a county wide program that includes the Marinette County Sheriff's Office, as well as the Marinette, Peshtigo, Niagara, Coleman and Crivitz Police Departments. Menominee County, which involves Menominee County Sheriff's Office and Menominee Police Department, joined at the end of 2013 as members of Crime Stoppers. Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit 501(c)(3). Since our inception, we've made a huge impact in solving many crimes throughout our county.

Behind the scenes of Crime Stoppers is a dedicated Board of Directors consisting of citizens from Marinette and Menominee Counties: 4 Officers (Pres, VP, Sec, Treas) plus 13 directors and 7 uniformed officer advisors.

Due to Wisconsin Supreme Court rulings, Crime Stoppers no longer receives monies from the court system. Because of this, we are in need of donations to assist in helping pay informants for tips that lead to arrests in Marinette & Menominee counties, and to keep our technology current with software that streamlines our program with other programs throughout the United States.

With a generous donation from Stephenson National Bank & Trust, Marinette, Crime Stoppers was able to purchase web based software called TipSoft to allow citizens to call, text or go online to give information. The information remains anonymous and Coordinators are able to have a two-way dialogue with the tipster to obtain clearer and more accurate information. Cost of TipSoft a year: \$1,032.00. Crime Stoppers also switched to CSI (Crime Scene Information) answering service to have the phone answered 24/7. CSI is an answering service that answers Crime Stoppers phones nationally and caller's data is immediately input into the new TipSoft. The call goes to Texas, then to Canada, and then to an officer. All processed information will go through message encryption that will keep the tipster completely **ANONYMOUS**. Cost of CSI a year: \$1,906.00.

All schools in Marinette and Menominee Counties now have a Quick 50 Program. Officers went to every school and presented Crime Stopper information and distributed business cards explaining how students can receive a \$50 reward for information about drugs/alcohol/weapons on school grounds. After the presentations many tips have been received resulting in fines/arrests and safer schools. Over 2000 students have been presented with this program. And as you can imagine, texting has taken off like wildfire.

Citizens can receive rewards up to \$1,000.00 and remain anonymous in the process by calling 1-800-427-5857 or 715-735-5111 OR go to www.tipsubmit.com OR Text "Marinette" plus your message to 274637 (Crimes).

Since inception in July 1991, Crime Stoppers has received 1690 tipster calls with 280 arrests. Stolen property recovered \$93,417.00; narcotics \$312,769.00; rewards paid out \$16,395.00.

MARINETTE COUNTY SHERIFF AUXILIARY

The Marinette County Sheriff Auxiliary is now celebrating 28 years of service to Marinette County.

In April of 2014, the Marinette County Sheriff Auxiliary launched its first web page. This web page will allow the gathering of information about whom and what they are as an organization throughout the web. The web page will also allow auxiliary members and Sheriff Management to gain access to information of up-coming events, announcements, meeting agendas and special requests from the Sheriff's Office - all via a secure password. Also, an application can be downloaded to those that would like to join this fine organization. The auxiliary has received several requests for applications and have had good reviews as to the design of the web page. Our web page is www.msoauxiliary.com.

Some of the support that was given in 2014:

1. Providing traffic control at the scene of accidents.
2. Secured crime scenes.
3. Riding along with Sheriff and other law enforcement agencies.
4. Security for the Marinette County Fair, Peshtigo Historical Days, and the many celebrations throughout the county.
5. Security for Marinette High School football games.
6. Security for Marinette Marine's boat launch.
7. Assisting with traffic and crowd control at many parades throughout the county.
8. Providing traffic control for the Menominee River Century Bike Tour.
9. A sponsor and participant in the Shop with a Cop program.
10. Transporting new squad cars to be outfitted with equipment.
11. Sorting and reloading ammunition for the Sheriff's office.
12. Sponsoring a booth at the county fair to promote the Auxiliary and Crime Stoppers.
13. In house training that includes a CPR refresher course.
14. City of Niagara Centennial Celebration.
15. The Discovery Channel "Diggers" celebration in Peshtigo.

Two Auxiliary officers finished their administrated law enforcement degrees; one was hired with the Florence Sheriff Department and the other with the Lena Police Department. At the present time the auxiliary has 22 dedicated officers with several applications that are being reviewed. Of the 22 officers we have 16 men and 6 women.

The Auxiliary officers are very active, accumulating well over several thousand hours in support of the various law enforcement agencies and community functions throughout Marinette County. Most recently the Auxiliary received a letter from Chief Kent Kline of the City of Peshtigo, Department of Police referencing the September Historical parade. In part, "Once again our parade was a success thanks to the members of your organization. These past two years I have been shorthanded for this new parade route and couldn't have done it without your help and volunteers".

This hard-working, professional volunteer organization continues to be a valuable asset to our community and also to all of our law enforcement officers. They are to be commended for their service.

PATROL TRAINING

Training is an integral part of the Marinette County Sheriff's Office. During the calendar year of 2014, the Patrol Division participated in Mandatory In-Service and Specialized Training.

Arson Investigation
CPR & Defib Operation
Court Security
Field Training
Death Investigation
Dive/Evidence Recovery
Drug Investigation
Patrol Drug Enforcement
Traffic Incident Management
Meth Awareness
Active Shooter
FBI Hostage Negotiator
Dark Side of Cell Phones
Operation Pipeline
Taser Downloads
Marijuana Eradication

Intoximeter Operation
EVOC
Evidence Technician
Firearm, Defense, & Arrest
Interview & Interrogation
Snowmobile Training
Spike/Tire Training
Advanced Collision Recon
SWAT Commander
Data Forensics
Seated Standardized Field Sobriety
DCI Drug Investigation
Investigative Photography
Humane Officer
Drug Recognition Expert

In 2015 the Marinette County Sheriff's Office will continue to provide quality training for its officers. This instruction will enhance the skills, knowledge, and abilities of the officers who serve our community.



At the Law Enforcement Committee meeting held Monday, February 10th, Sheriff Jerry Sauve presented Deputy Robert Amundson with a Certificate of Commendation for his commitment and outstanding work while on duty January 12, 2014 resulting in the life-saving rescue of an individual.

Special Response Team (SRT)

2014 Operations

The Marinette County Sheriff's Office Special Response Team has evolved out of necessity from the original Warrant Service Entry Team that was created in 2005. Our original duties were to execute high risk search and/or arrest warrants within the borders of Marinette County. Events such as the 2008 Niagara "train bridge" shootings, 2010/2011/2012 cartel large scale marijuana grows and the 2010 Marinette High School Hostage incident has forced our team to resolve a variety of higher risk incidents that rise to a level of expertise well beyond general patrol duties. The SRT Unit also works jointly with the Marinette Police Department's Tactical Response Team when additional personnel are needed to respond to large scale operations.

In 2014 our SRT Unit consisted of 9 members which include:

Team Commander – Lt. Jason Ducane

Team Leader – Deputy Lance Lincoln

Asst. Team Leader – Deputy Sean Vanermen Operator in Charge – Sgt. Robert Amundson

Tactical Operators – Deputy Jesse Parker, Sgt. Randy Miller, Deputy Mike Nickels

Armed Observers – Deputy Brett West, Deputy Steven Schmidt

All members of the SRT Unit are trained minimally to the level of "Basic Swat" operator, and most members are also certified as "Advanced Swat" operators. Team members attend a variety of specialized training annually in order to maintain certifications in various specialties, or to obtain additional advanced training certifications, which members then bring back and teach to fellow team members. SRT Unit members complete 80 hours of training each year as a team which includes intense training in firearms, defense and arrest tactics, active shooter response, hostage negotiation, barricaded subject containment, woodland search techniques, building clearing, and high risk vehicle contacts. In 2014 these training sessions included joint training with the Marinette Police Department, and "Bearcat" (armored personnel carrier) operators from the Brown County Sheriff's Office SWAT team.

During 2014, the SRT Unit was activated for multiple "high risk" incidents including two separate incidents which resulted in dangerous individuals shooting firearms at Deputies. The SRT Unit was also activated for a mutual aid response to Florence County where an armed individual was taken into custody by the SRT Unit without incident.

JAIL OPERATIONS

The mission of the Marinette County Jail is to provide a safe, secure, and humane environment for those individuals committed to our custody by treating those individuals firmly but with respect and dignity.

To: Sheriff Sauve
Fr: Jail Administrator Robert Majewski
Re: 2014 Jail Operation Annual Report

In 2014 the Marinette County Jail continued to experience very high population with a yearly average daily population of 128.29. This is down 5.5 inmates from 2013 but still an alarming 61.6% increase from 2004 when we moved into this new facility. In 2014 we totaled 1,687 people booked into jail: 1,272 males and 415 females.

Our jail facility is now showing the wear and tear of its 24/7/365 use over the past decade. The necessary maintenance issues that need attention have been duly noted in the annual inspection reports from Regional Detention Specialist Nancy Thelen of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections. With the assistance of County Administration and County Maintenance Department we were able to complete the necessary painting and repairs in one housing unit and on the public side of the visitation area. We are planning on how we will continue with this necessary effort with the rest of the jail facility.

Changes in Policy and Procedures and training will be coming for jail staff as the Department of Corrections code that governs county jails has been revised through state government. This is a time consuming task updating policies and procedures to the new code and then training staff on those revised policies.

In closing I must once again praise our entire jail staff for their hard work that is, at times, difficult to maintain a secure, sanitary, and safe facility.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert Majewski, Jail Administrator



Inmate Education Program Notes

Grant Kuehnl is the new Inmate Education and Programs Officer for the Marinette County Jail as of November 2014 taking over for Ellen Hanneman. 2014 was another successful year for programs in the jail. Officer Kuehnl plans to continue the positive upward trend by adding new programs and reestablishing old programs.

A new program in the jail is the "Marinette Jail Project." This program is funded through Bay Area Workforce Development of the Marinette Job Center and case management services. The program will provide pre and post release services to selected minimum risk inmates at the Marinette County Jail. The services include employment search, occupational skill training, transportation assistance, housing assistance and educational assistance.

To qualify for the "Marinette Jail Project" an inmate must complete and/or participate in one or more jail programs. Officer Kuehnl selects qualified inmates to be screened by a designated Job Center case manager. The case manager will determine the inmates' eligibility and needs.

Currently there are over 20 different programs offered to inmates incarcerated at the Marinette County Jail. Throughout the course of the year 181 inmates completed programs while incarcerated. Inmates earned a total of 82 days credit (off their sentence) for completing programs and 28 days credit for GED completions; totaling 110 jail bed days saved.

Three inmates obtained their GED while in jail. In addition, 40 individual GED tests were taken in the jail; however 16 of the tests were failed. Nationally the GED success rate is down due to changes in the testing by Pearson Vue. Nevertheless, inmates left 2014 on a great note passing the last six GED tests administered.

Inmates also earned time off their sentence by participating in community service at Badger Park in the City of Peshtigo. Community service inmates earned 85 days credit for their work at Badger Park, saving as many jail bed days. In addition, inmate workers in the jail kitchen, laundry and library also earn time off their sentence. In total, inmate workers saved 396 jail bed days in 2014.

As successful as programs were in 2014, Officer Kuehnl looks to fill big shoes in 2015. Potential new programs include victim impact speakers, family reunification upon release and self-esteem building. Reestablishing past programs such as AODA and Work Certified is on the foreseeable agenda as well.

We would like to again thank Ellen for all the hard work, dedication and service she put into the programs at the Marinette County Jail. Also, thank you to the jail staff for managing the flow of inmates to and from programs. The staff does an excellent job assuring inmates get to programs on time, as well as separating codefendants and inmates with keep-a-ways, while maintaining the security of the jail.

Marinette County Avg. Monthly Jail Populations

	2014 Daily Head Count	2013 Daily Head Count	2012 Daily Head Count	2011 Daily Head Count	2010 Daily Head Count	2009 Daily Head Count	2008 Daily Head Count	2007 Daily Head Count	2006 Daily Head Count	2005 Daily Head Count	2004 Daily Head Count
January	136.00	132.74	92.19	105.61	116.32	107.00	111.71	93.77	95.26	69.35	81.10
February	131.25	143.96	101.79	115.46	126.18	107.71	106.21	89.21	103.93	81.00	104.79
March	124.74	140.58	113.52	120.19	123.42	110.55	112.42	98.58	91.39	92.77	96.74
April	122.87	140.67	122.03	114.03	126.30	108.00	110.67	96.20	80.23	102.27	91.33
May	119.77	139.45	107.61	99.19	120.68	105.61	111.58	100.74	90.68	106.45	83.84
June	129.03	136.97	105.17	95.13	114.07	120.43	110.00	108.30	93.13	106.40	77.57
July	133.65	125.84	103.52	98.74	103.94	130.61	111.35	109.16	101.55	105.26	76.81
August	132.81	127.71	112.74	108.32	101.00	120.10	108.45	110.81	105.97	109.19	82.84
September	135.07	126.77	127.23	118.03	99.27	118.33	118.40	111.10	106.33	112.90	70.00
October	136.48	127.16	128.00	107.42	93.26	128.10	123.19	119.97	106.74	108.55	67.16
November	130.00	132.40	123.00	102.63	95.17	118.23	119.13	114.63	106.17	95.90	64.73
December	107.84	131.26	125.45	89.29	100.00	114.00	112.26	105.35	91.84	84.71	55.87
Yr Avs.	128.29	133.79	113.52	106.17	109.97	115.72	112.95	104.82	97.77	97.90	79.40
% Increase from 2004	61.6%	68.5%	43.0%	33.7%	38.5%	45.7%	42.3%	32.0%	23.1%	23.3%	0

High Month	October	February	October	March	April	July	October	October	October	September	February
Low Month	December	July	January	December	October	May	February	February	April	January	December

Scott Walker
Governor

Edward F. Wall
Secretary



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State of Wisconsin Department of Corrections

June 10, 2014

Sheriff Jerry Sauve
Marinette County Sheriff's Department
2161 University Drive
Marinette, WI 54143

RE: 2014 Marinette County Jail Annual Inspection

Dear Sheriff Sauve:

On May 13, 2014, the annual inspection of the Marinette County Jail was conducted pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 301.37(3). The inspection compared the facility and its operation to applicable state statutes and Department of Corrections Administrative Rule Chapter DOC 350. This report summarizes my findings, including the progress made following the 2013 inspection, any current initiatives and any statute or administrative code violations.

On the date of the inspection there were 107 inmates confined at the jail. Of that total there were 3 inmates being housed for Oconto County. There were 7 inmates assigned to the Electronic Monitoring Program.

Summary of Operational Changes, Progress and Current Initiatives

Changes and Progress:

- Upgrades were completed with video conferencing for the jail and courts.
- Video Court is being conducted with Menominee and Oconto Counties.
- Additional cameras were installed along with upgrade to monitors and the DVR's allowing 120 day capabilities.
- Contract was established with Brown County for the housing of Juvenile offenders.
- Security system was changed to SGT's and upgraded the system control

Initiatives:

- Addition of stair railings
- Continue collaboration with Emergency Management and Courthouse Personnel regarding development of courthouse emergency procedures
- Revision of Policy Manual to incorporate updates to Administrative Code Chapter DOC 350
- Phone service provider RFP
- Addition of Tasers for all Corrections Officers
- RFP for jail painting and repairs
- Placed into 5 year capital improvement upgrades for all old cameras and inclusion of housing unit cameras.

Staff Training

All Officers are currently certified with the State of Wisconsin. The required 24 hours of annual recertification training is currently conducted both in-house and through outside trainings offered at technical colleges. In-house training has either been completed or is scheduled in the areas of Identifying Deceptive Behavior, TIME System, Drugs for Corrections, POSC, Taser/RACC, Mental Health / Suicide Prevention, Blood borne Pathogens, Fire Safety and Intoximeter.

- Fire Training is conducted annually with the fire department benefiting both departments tremendously.
- There are staff who are trained instructors for POSC, OC Spray, Personal Communications and the RACC Belt. This allows for in-house training to occur and is a cost savings to the department's training budget.
- There is a Field Training Officer on every shift.
- There are 4 staff members trained in Interview and Interrogation/Deceptive Behavior who have been able to create court appropriate documentation for prosecution of crimes that occur within the jail.
- Corporals are able to attend annual supervisor training.

Programming

Marinette County continues to recognize that there is a benefit to providing programming in the jail facilities to inmates. Programming helps to prepare and educate the inmate in essential living and life skills that can enable them to potentially succeed and not re-offend.

The following programs are currently offered to the inmates:

- | | |
|--|---|
| ▪ AA / NA | ▪ Plato Learning Software |
| ▪ Narcotics Anonymous | ▪ Domestic Abuse Counseling |
| ▪ GED is provided through NWTC | ▪ There is computerized work search available. |
| ▪ Religious programming:
Bible Study
Pastoral Visits | ▪ Computers are available with Lois Law reference capabilities. |
| ▪ The multi purpose room is utilized to play basketball. | ▪ Community Service Van |
| ▪ Jail Counseling | ▪ Community Service Goodwill |
| ▪ High School Education | ▪ Anger Management 18 |

- Experience Works program for 55 and older
- Computer Skills
- Interview Skills
- Job Application Assistance
- GED Test Site
- Community Roadside Crew

The following classroom programs are also available:

- Errors in Thinking
- Job/Life Skills
- Parenting Skills
- Remedial Education Tutoring
- Independent Living
- Anger Management
- Parenting
- Errors in Thinking- How to be a successful criminal
- Having Purpose and Setting Goals

- Stellar program sign up allows inmates to sign up for programming through their canteen account.
- Inmates have been taken to job fairs.
- “Windows to Work” Program is coordinated with Bay Area Workforce Development.

Additional Programming Results:

- ✓ There were 150 individual GED tests taken, to include 34 completions: 9 with honors and 8 with high honors.
- ✓ There were 179 program completions and 11 more completed the 3 week work certified.
- ✓ Program sentence credit was 110 days for programs, 91 for GED completions for a total of 201 jail bed days saved.
- ✓ Community service credit was 317 jail bed days saved. Projects were habitat for humanity, Goodwill, Badger park.
- ✓ Inmate worker jail bed days saved was 520.
- ✓ AODA was expanded
- ✓ NA was added
- ✓ ATTIC has been contracted to provide parenting classes.

The efforts in this area are continually impressive. Jail Administration clearly support education for reintegration and that philosophy is shared by the Corrections Division as noted through their strong support in its development. Officer Ellen Hanneman and Administrative Officer Tom Bourque continue to play key roles in the development of the High School Education program and additional programming developments. Their efforts and ongoing commitment are to be commended.

Recommendations

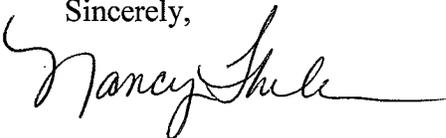
- ❖ Facility Maintenance- Although the facility is only nine years old it is important to remember that it is utilized on a continual 24/7 basis. That being said during the inspection process notice was taken with regard to ongoing wear and tear throughout. The age is beginning to show in areas that should be reviewed for upkeep. Painting, flooring, rusted vents and other areas were noted. It is recommended that a joint tour of management with maintenance be done to formally identify areas that should be focused on. Formal documentation should be done and plan for addressing should be completed. *Repeat from previous inspection*

- ❖ Quality Control Team- It is recommend for cross section of staff members to meet on a regular basis to review inmate files to ensure all areas are completed during the stay of inmates as well as cell check documentation. This team can meet as often as once per month or once every two months depending on scheduling. The team should be comprised of jail management, a corporal staff member, medical, mental health and line staff. This should help with issues relating to overall documentation issues with suicide watches, cell checks, initial medical screenings and overall completion of detention authority. *Repeat from previous inspection.*
- ❖ Continued efforts with regard to maintaining the current level of programming is highly supported by this office. *Repeat from previous inspection.*
- ❖ Review of security practices within the food service and other areas of the facility that are supervised by volunteers or non-security staff should be completed to ensure overall safety and security of the facility.

Please extend my sincere gratitude to Administrator Majewski and the remainder of the staff for their professionalism and for accommodating my inspection. Jail Administrator Majewski has developed significant proficiencies within the operation. His oversight and correctional philosophies have been instrumental in the ongoing successful efforts of the facility. Correctional officers continue to take notable pride in the facility and the job they are performing as demonstrated by the facility climate on the date of the inspection. If I can assist you in any manner please feel free to contact me.

The Marinette County Jail is approved by the Department of Corrections for the detention of adult offenders with a maximum capacity of 165. This approval is contingent on the correction of any violations detailed above and continuing compliance with all applicable Wisconsin State Statutes and administrative codes.

Sincerely,



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Kristi Dietz, Director – ODF
Regional file

2014 ACTIVITY REPORT

OFFENSES: 3268 (2013: 3,474)

INCLUDING SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 7 ACCIDENT FATALITIES, 334 PROPERTY DAMAGE, 567 CAR/DEER ACCIDENTS, 58 ASSIST OTHER AGENCIES, 5 ATV/SNOWMOBILE COMPLAINTS, 112 BURGLARIES, 54 CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, 61 DRUG ARRESTS, 58 DOMESTIC DISTURBANCES, 46 FRAUD, 148 THEFTS, 85 OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED, 567 MARINETTE COUNTY WARRANTS, 161 OTHER JURISDICTION WARRANTS.

ARREST CHARGES: 798 (2013: 930)

INCLUDING SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 18 SIMPLE ASSAULTS, 20 BURGLARIES, 112 DRUG/NARCOTIC/EQUIPMENT VIOLATIONS, 87 DISORDERLY CONDUCT, 119 OPERATING WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE, 177 WARRANTS, 32 OBSTRUCTING/RESISTING OFFICER.

JUVENILE CHARGES: 127 (2013: 141)

INCLUDING SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 6 SIMPLE ASSAULTS, 15 DRUG/NARCOTIC VIOLATIONS, 20 DISORDERLY CONDUCT, 18 LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS.

CITATIONS: 1,999 (2013: 2,760)

INCLUDING SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 49 ATV VIOLATIONS, 75 NON REGISTRATIONS, 48 NO VALID DRIVERS LICENSE, 151 OPERATING AFTER SUSPENSION, 48 LEFT OF CENTER, 40 FAIL TO STOP AT STOP SIGN, 365 SPEEDING, 94 BAC OVER LEGAL LIMIT, 46 FAIL TO NOTIFY POLICE OF ACCIDENT, 58 SEAT BELT VIOLATIONS, 30 POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA, 28 POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA, 29 DISORDERLY CONDUCT, 80 FAIL TO KEEP VEHICLE UNDER CONTROL, 164 NO PROOF OF INSURANCE, 137 NO INSURANCE, 117 OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED, 53 UNDER AGE DRINKING.

TRAFFIC CRASHES: 459 (2013: 510)

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

In 2014, Marinette County followed State and National trends with the fewest fatal crashes in many years. The following information shows a high of 20 fatalities in 2009 and, until this year of 4 fatalities, the lowest was 8 fatalities in 2013.

Although one death is too many, this is a step in the right direction. The Sheriff's Office will continue to remain proactive in its efforts to keep our highways safe so we can enforce the laws that are all too often the leading causes of fatal crashes: operating while intoxicated, speeding and occupant protection (seatbelts). Distracted driving is now an ever-increasing factor, especially those who choose to text messages or talk on their cell phone while driving.

2014 – Total 4:

May 21st: Town of Porterfield, HWY 180, one vehicle crash, deceased Troy S. Scanlon (44) of Peshtigo. Factors: alcohol, speed.

July 30th accident: Village of Wausaukee, HWY 141/HWY 180, two vehicle crash, Brian M. Connolly (75) of Green Bay dies on August 18th from injuries sustained in crash. Factor: Improper driving by Connolly whose vehicle went left of center causing a head on crash.

November 5th: Town of Grover, HWY 41, two vehicle crash, Ryan L. Zempel (20) of Coleman dies on November 7th from injuries sustained in crash. Factor: Failure to yield right of way.

December 27th: Town of Beecher, HWY 141, one vehicle/pedestrian struck, deceased Pauline Wallschlaeger (51) of Beecher. Factors: Pedestrian alcohol, walking in roadway during snowstorm in the dark.

2013 – Total 8

2012 – Total 13

2011 – Total 14

2010 – Total 11

2009 – Total 20

2008 – Total 11

2007 – Total 14

2006 – Total 15

2005 – Total 12

2004 – Total 16

2003 – Total 9

2002 – Total 16

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

ATV PATROL:

There were 46 citations and 19 warnings issued in 2014 by our ATV Patrol; 892 safety and compliance contacts made; 14 deputies patrolled for a total of 322 hours. Two ATV crashes were investigated with result of fatalities: September 8th, Town of Stephenson, deceased Michael T. Hotter (52) of Pulaski, factors: alcohol and speed. July 11th, Town of Middle Inlet, deceased Scott A. Tuma (49) of Crivitz, factors: speed, no helmet.

BADGER STATE SHERIFF'S:

Sheriff Sauve was host to the Badger State Sheriff's Conference held in Marinette County on September 3-5, 2014 at the Four Season's Conference Center. There are 72 Sheriff's in the State of Wisconsin.

CIVIL PROCESS:

There were 1,116 Civil Process papers processed in 2014, including 107 Sheriff Sales. \$63,492.31 was collected in Civil Process fees. The Sheriff's Office serves Civil Process because it is a duty required by Statute. Since the service of process is a statutory duty of the Sheriff it follows that this duty be executed in a professional manner, consistent with state law and department policy. Our Office is called upon routinely to serve a myriad of legal papers from various sources; District Attorneys, Circuit Court, Attorneys and private citizens. Papers served include, but not limited to: Restraining Order and Injunctions (Domestic Abuse, Child Abuse, Individuals at Risk and Harassment), Small Claims Actions, Evictions, Writ of Restitution, Large Claims, Divorce Petition, Actions to Enforce Judgment of Child Support, Garnishment Complaint, Subpoenas, Writ of Assistance, Writs of Replevin, Writs of Execution, and Sheriff Sales/Foreclosures. In 2014 there were 27 evictions and 6 Writs of Replevin/Execution Against Property processed. There were also 77 Temporary Restraining Orders/Injunctions processed.

DRUG DROP BOX PROGRAM:

The Drug Drop Box is in the lobby of the Marinette County Law Enforcement Center and is available to residents of Marinette County Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Any resident may drop off controlled, non-controlled, and over-the-counter substances. Medications should be left in the original package or prescription bottle. The following items are not accepted: syringes, needles, non-medical inhalers, mercury and ostomy supplies. Residents no longer have to hold on to these medications that could pose a health and safety risk especially to our children. Now they can simply bring the medications to the Law Enforcement Center.

On Saturday, April 26th Marinette and Menominee Law Enforcement, in conjunction with Bay Area Medical Center, participated in the National Prescription Drug Take Back Day. Turned over to the Drug Enforcement Agency collection point in Fond du lac, WI were 333 pounds from Marinette and 405 pounds from Menominee.

EVERY 15 MINUTES:

The “Every 15 Minutes” program is named after the fact that approximately every 15 minutes someone in this country is killed in an alcohol related traffic crash. Representatives from the school district, area rescue squads, area fire departments, area law enforcement agencies and various counseling centers are involved in this very worthwhile, life-changing program. School districts involved in this program are Marinette, Peshtigo, Crivitz and Niagara.

FACEBOOK PAGE:

Marinette County Sheriff’s Office began their own Facebook page where it reaches over 5,000 people automatically once information is put on the page. Information was posted about Methamphetamine, what it is, how is it made, and what to look for. The reaction from that posting, along with pictures, reached over 30,000 people. The page has received multiple tips and has led to more open communication between the public and Sheriff’s Office, and other agencies that use Facebook.

Like us at <https://www.facebook.com/marinette.sheriff>

GRANT PROGRAMS AND REIMBURSEMENT:

- Bullet Proof Vest Grant: Federal grant that reimburses up to 50% for vest purchases.
- Bullet Proof Vest Grant: \$3,922.06

HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY:

Due to the very high number of traffic deaths and serious injuries in Wisconsin, the Legislature called for the creation of the Traffic Safety Commission in every county in 1971. Committees meet quarterly. Our Marinette County Traffic Safety Committee has 13 members including a County Board member. Quarterly we discuss the safety of roadways in our county, review past traffic fatalities, and receive updates from WI DOT and BOTS which keeps us up to date with the National Transportation Safety guidelines and expectations. This committee passes recommendations for action on to the Marinette County Highway Committee.

ICAC AFFILIATE:

Through the Wisconsin Department of Justice Division of Criminal Investigation the Marinette County Sheriff’s Office has become an Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) affiliate. As an affiliate we received money to help purchase electronic equipment used to help recover and process digital evidence. Also a 40 hour training was conducted by the Department of Justice for ICAC investigations. That training included how to investigate child pornography, social networking, cyber bullying, and numerous other topics. As part of being an ICAC affiliate the Marinette County Sheriff’s Office can now receive Cyber Tips from the Wisconsin Department of Justice. Those Cyber Tips originate from the National Center of Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC). Those tips are then investigated by the Sheriff’s Office. Being an ICAC affiliate allows the Sheriff’s Office to network with other departments around the state and country that are also affiliates and also attend training and keep up to date on these issues.

K-9 PROGRAM:

During 2014 the Marinette County Sheriff's Office maintained two K-9 handler teams; Sgt. Mike Sievert and his partner "Rocker" along with Deputy Brett West and his partner "Nina". Both K-9 teams are used for narcotic detection and for tracking lost/endangered people. Deputy West and "Nina" are also trained in dangerous suspect apprehension and officer protection. During 2014 Deputy West and "Nina" were critical in the safe resolution of two separate high risk suspect apprehensions which both started with shots being fired at Deputies prior to suspects fleeing into wooded areas.

Both teams attended annual Spring and Fall training dates which included a four day recertification session and a four day statewide training conference. Our K-9 teams assist in the prevention and detection of crime and are beneficial in keeping our community safe. Our K-9 teams are called upon several times a year to provide demonstrations to groups throughout the county.

LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL:

The Law Enforcement Memorial was held Monday, May 12, 2014 at the Law Enforcement Center. Guest Speaker was State Jail Inspector Ms. Nancy Thelen and Keynote Speaker was former Marinette County Retired Circuit Court Judge Tim Duket. The Memorial is held in honor of those who have died in the line of duty and dedicated to those who live and serve. The public is welcome to attend.

OWI JOINT TASK FORCE WITH MARINETTE POLICE DEPARTMENT:

829 traffic stops, 281 citations, 51 OWI arrests, 35 drug arrests, 14 warrant arrests. The Sheriff's Office received an additional \$23,845.00 Alcohol Grant from Bureau of Transportation to provide extra patrol time/officers specifically for OWI enforcement.

PERSONNEL CHANGES:

New Corrections Officers: Keith Roubal, Caitlin Grun and Brent Hill.

New Education Program Officer: Grant Kuehnl.

Resigning Corrections Officers: Cory Carviou, Vicki Eick, Heidi Corey and Ellen Hanneman.

New Sheriff Deputies: Ben Hicks and Dave Oginski.

Deputy Robert Amundson promoted to Sergeant. Amundson replaced Sgt. Kevin Solway who resigned to accept the Information Services Director position for Marinette County.

PRISONER TRANSPORTS:

Lock & Load Prisoner Transports Agreement to provide in-state conveyance and extradition services, saving overtime costs with county law enforcement employees.

SHERIFF SALES/FORECLOSURES:

Foreclosure/Sheriff Sales require the Civil Process Division to process posting and for Sheriff to conduct the sale as a duty required by State Statute. Sales are held the second and fourth Monday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Law Enforcement Center lobby. Fee is \$150.00 for posting and conducting sale. 107 Sheriff Sale papers were processed with 83 sales actually being sold. The remaining papers were either cancelled or adjourned for future date.

SNOWMOBILE PATROL:

The Marinette County Sheriff's Office has been involved in Snowmobile Patrol since 1974. Presently there are hundreds of miles of groomed trails and over one hundred miles of snowmobile routes. There are also several towns which have active snowmobile access ordinances allowing snowmobilers access from their homes to the trails. A yearly audit report is submitted to the State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources which included 150 hours of patrol to the snowmobile trail systems within Marinette County from January 2014 through April 2014. Within the four month period Deputies encountered numerous violations with 23 citations issued as well as 13 written warnings. 60.94% of expenses were reimbursed back to Marinette County from the Wisconsin DNR totaling \$6,695.23.

WATER PATROL:

The Marinette County Sheriff's Office Marine Unit works in conjunction with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in order to provide a safe boating environment for all of the citizens and visitors of Marinette County. Our Marine Unit consists of 3 patrol boats that are readily available for response during any time that our waters are open to navigation. The Marine Unit randomly patrols both the inland waters of Marinette County and the bordering waterways of the Menominee River and Green Bay. The Marine Unit will also respond to boating emergencies that occur within those waterways. In 2014 the Marine Unit logged 207.2 total hours of service, which included 149 hours of patrol operations and 58.2 hours of administrative duties and training. During patrol operations a total of 16 citations were issued for various violations. The Marine Unit makes every effort to maintain a visible presence on our waterways with the goal of reinforcing safe vessel operation providing education to operators whenever possible. The cost of the Marine Unit operations is partially reimbursed back to Marinette County by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. In 2014, \$6,673.85 was reimbursed back to Marinette County.

WISCONSIN STATE PATROL:

After much persistence efforts from the Marinette County Sheriff's Office, Wisconsin State Patrol assigned a resident Trooper to Marinette County. Trooper Heather VanNoie started patrolling the area this past summer. She is assigned primarily USH 41 and USH 141.



Sheriff's Officers responded to an unusual site on May 6th when a small aircraft made an emergency landing in a farm field in the Town of Stephenson. The plane was believed to be en route to the Iron Mountain, Michigan area when it developed engine problems.



On October 7th Sheriff Sauve presented 9 year old Bryce Stachewicz of Peshtigo with the "Sheriff's Super Citizen Award" after he and the Peshtigo Middle School Cross Country Team heard calls for help from an elderly woman in distress.