

Annual Report



Muscatine County Sheriff's Office 2021



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Welcome to the 2021 Annual Report

I am pleased to welcome you to the 2021 Annual Report.

Our goal with this report is to give the public a view or snapshot of what the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office does day in and day out, across its multiple divisions, and by over 100 staff that make up its ranks. As the largest law enforcement agency in the county, to say the office has a lot of moving parts would be an understatement.

Since the time of our last report, both the addition to the Patrol/Investigations Division Office and addition to the Jail Division/Booking Area have been completed and occupied. Both additions were necessary and have greatly improved operations and efficiency of the Sheriff's Office.

Constant improvements to training and equipment has been a goal since taking office. With the dedication and motivation of the staff, those improvements are being met. With a cross of hands on training, internet-based training, policy training, and improvements to field training in both the patrol and jail divisions, the staff that makes up the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office has never been better trained.

As always, our mission, first and foremost, is the safety and security of the lives and property of the citizens of Muscatine County. With a highly trained and well-equipped staff, that mission is carried out 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year.

As you review this report, I hope you recognize the impact our staff's efforts have on our community and share the level of pride that I have in this organization.

In closing, I would like to thank the citizens of this great county for the opportunity to serve as the Muscatine County Sheriff.

Yours in service,
Sheriff Quinn Riess



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Patrol Personnel

Sheriff
Quinn Riess 1999

Chief Deputy
Captain Jeff Mullen 1994

PATROL

Lieutenant Mike Schmidt 2004	Deputy Coltin Miller 2018
Lieutenant Matt Bowers 2007	Deputy Austin Sink 2019
Sergeant Willie Leza 2003	Deputy David Hallett 2019
Deputy Mike Wade 2004	Deputy Nick Frommelt 2019
Deputy Mike Channon 2008	Deputy Damien Maynard 2019
Sergeant Dominic Wheeler 2011	Deputy Tom Shehan 2020
Sergeant Jon Wolf 2014	Deputy Nolan Bell 2020
Deputy Zachary Lane 2015	Deputy Adam Bell 2021
Deputy Matt Madson 2017	Deputy Jacob Walker 2021

Investigations

Sergeant Jake McCleary 2015	Detective Sheridan Billhorn 2018
Detective Tanner Bohling 2014	Detective Hailee Polito 2017

Civil and Clerical Personnel

Civil Deputy Melissa Hurlbut 2002 & Civil Asst. Lori Dietrich 2020

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Corrections Personnel

Jail Administrator

Capt. Matt McCleary, 1999

Assistant Jail Administrator

Lt. Nick Doy, 2009

Lieutenants:

Brian Baars, 2009
Ryan Dreyer, 2011

Sergeants:

Gavin Whittaker, 2011
Brayton Shellady, 2016
Michael Zeman, 2018
Christopher Witt, 2019

Corporals:

David Fry, 2011
Jeffrey Bosten, 2016
Kyle Major, 2019
Brad Longlett, 2020
Casey Jones, 2020

Full Time Correctional Officers

Kyle Bailey, 2016	Casey Gephart, 2021	Timothy McCormick, 2016
Angela Beckman, 2005	Frank Figueroa, 2018	Porsha McElfresh, 2021
Rusbel Calderon, 2020	Tye Hardman, 2018	Jacquelyn McKittrick, 2018
Timothy Charlett, 2011	Nathan Holland, 2021	Colton Meier, 2021
Debra Daehn, 2009	Erica Hutchinson, 2021	Zachary Mullen, 2021
Cory Daufeldt, 2020	Gina Johnson, 2011	Cody Parkhurst, 2020
Claude Daum, 2012	Krystal Kallenberger, 2021	Elizabeth Schell, 2017
Susan Dykema-Sterner, 2017	Eric Lindle, 2018	Phyllis Schumacher, 1996
Eric Edkin, 2019	Susan Longhurst, 2021	Teresa Taylor, 2021
Ben Everson, 2017	Melissa Martinez, 2007	Edward Thomas, 2019

Part Time Correctional Officer

Receptionist

Sonya Sturms, 2013

Administrative Asst.

Tara Hogan, 2019

Records Clerk

Brenda Eagle, 1999

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Sheriff's Patrol Personnel

President

Jimmy Hoover

Vice President

Tammy Giese

Secretary

Justin Sharp

Treasurer

Jim Ludman

Sgt. At Arms

Bill Hilger

Community

Service Officers

Gary Kopf
Mike Hartman
Scott Miller
Doug Reist

Sheriff Patrol

Jeff Staley
Tye Hardman
Joe Vogel
Bobby Giese
Ken LaFollette
Amber Schulte
Frank Figueroa
Ernie Morgan



Adeline Hilger and Mckenna Riess accept their scholarships from Treasurer of the Sheriff Patrol Jim Ludman and Sheriff Quinn Riess. Adeline will be enrolled at University of Northern Iowa and Mckenna will be enrolled at Iowa State University. Mckenna was also awarded the Iowa State and Sheriff's Deputies Association Evelyn Covington Scholarship. Patrol provides two \$500 Scholarships to two deserving Muscatine County High School Seniors.

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Patrol is a volunteer organization that was formed to provide support to the Sheriff's Office. The members of the Patrol have done that since the inception of the organization more than 40 years ago.

- Provides two annual scholarships and camp scholarships
 - Services at accident scenes and fire scenes
- Assisting with crime scene management and assessment
 - Traffic and crowd control at parades
- Assistance to the Muscatine school district
 - Supports other community activities
- Assists other law enforcement agencies
 - Local parks are made more secure

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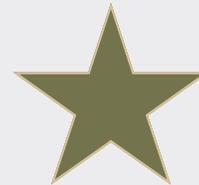
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Patrol

Promotions



Chief Deputy Jeff Mullen joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in November 1994. He was promoted to Chief Deputy Mullen on January 2, 2021.



Lieutenant Michael Schmidt joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in April 2004. He was promoted to Lieutenant on January 2, 2021. Lieutenant Schmidt is currently the supervisor of the patrol division.



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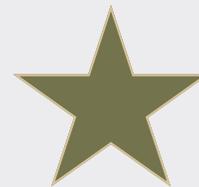
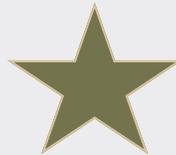


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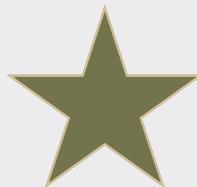
Patrol Promotions



Lieutenant Matthew Bowers joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in May 2007. He was promoted to Lieutenant on January 2, 2021.



Sergeant Willie Leza joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in October 2003. He was promoted to Sergeant on January 2, 2021. Sergeant Leza is currently assigned to 1st shift patrol.



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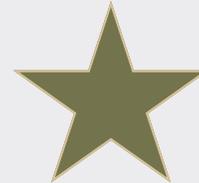


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Patrol Promotions



Sergeant Dominic Wheeler joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in 2011. He was promoted to Sergeant on January 2, 2021. Sergeant Wheeler is currently assigned to 2nd shift patrol.



Sergeant Jon Wolf joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in November 2014. He was promoted to Sergeant on January 2, 2021. Sergeant Wolf is currently assigned to 3rd Shift Patrol.



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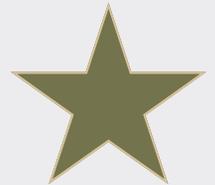
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Patrol

Promotions



Sergeant Jacob McCleary joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in May 2015. He was promoted to Sergeant on January 2, 2021. Sergeant McCleary is currently assigned as our Investigations Supervisor.



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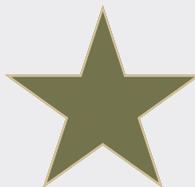
Correctional Promotions



Sergeant Michael Zeman joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in 2018. He was promoted to Sergeant on February 27, 2021. Sergeant Zeman is currently assigned to second shift.



Sergeant Brayton Shellady joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in April 2019. He was promoted to Sergeant on March 6, 2021. Sergeant Shellady is currently assigned to second shift.



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Correctional Promotions



Sergeant Christopher Witt joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in January 2019. He was promoted to Corporal on March 13, 2021. Sergeant Witt is currently assigned to third shift.

Lieutenant Ryan Dreyer joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in 2011. He was promoted to Lieutenant on March 20, 2021. Lieutenant Dreyer is currently assigned to third shift.



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Correctional Promotions

No picture available

Corporal Brad Longlett joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in September 2020. He was promoted to Sergeant on July 17, 2021. Corporal Longlett is currently assigned to third shift.

Corporal Kyle Major joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in April 2019. He was promoted to Corporal on July 24, 2021. Corporal Major is currently assigned to second shift.



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Corporal Casey Jones joined the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office in July 2020. He was promoted to Corporal on September 25, 2021. Corporal Jones is currently assigned to second shift.

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Patrol / Reserve Years of Service

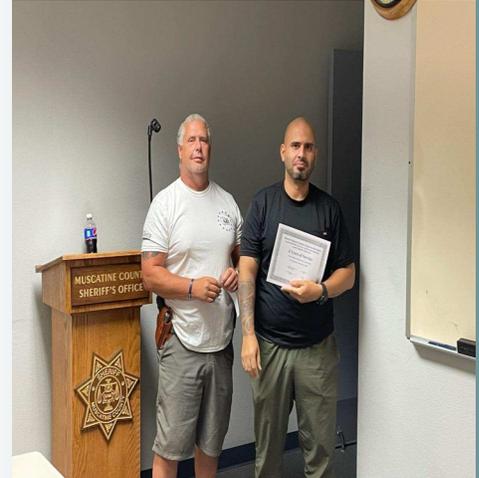
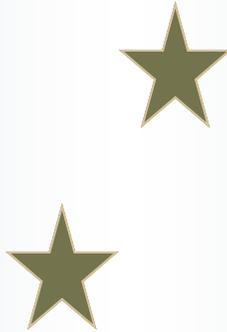
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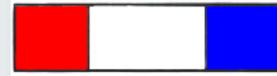
Reserve Deputy Ernie Morgan



**8 Years of Service
and Good Conduct**



Reserve Deputy Frank Figueroa



**4 Years of Service
and Good Conduct**



Detective Hailee Polito



**4 Years of Service
and Good Conduct**

Deputy Matt Madson



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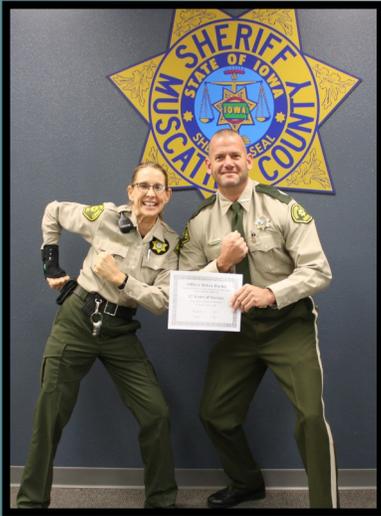


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Correctional Years of Service

Every four years of service our employees are recognized for their continual years of service .

Congratulations



CO Debra Daehn



12 years of Service



LT. Brian Baars



4 years of Service



CO Susan Dykema-Sterner

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Corp. Benjamin Everson



CO Elizabeth Schell

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Years of Service

Every four years of service our employees are recognized for their continual years of service .

Congratulations



Sonya Sturms



8 years of Service



Tracy Frymoyer



4 years of Service



Margie Mendoza

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New Patrol Personnel



Adam Bell, is originally from Farmington, Iowa and he graduated from Harmony High School in 2005. Prior to coming to the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office, he was a correctional officer for 11 years at the Mt. Pleasant Correctional Facility and most recently, he worked as a deputy for the Louisa County Sheriff's Office. In his spare time, he enjoys long walks on the beach with his high school sweetheart and cuddling with his cats by the crackling fire on cold winter days. Adam is currently assigned to 1st shift Patrol, joining our staff in August.



Jacob Walker, was born and raised in Muscatine. He graduated from Muscatine High School in 2013 and began working for the Muscatine County Sheriff's office as a correctional officer in 2015. He was promoted to the rank of Corporal and Sergeant before leaving in 2017, at which time he joined the Muscatine Police Department. He served as a patrol officer for four years, and a K9 handler for a year and a half. In his spare time he enjoys staying busy with outdoor activities with his wife, Arika, and daughter, Vaeda, and is anxiously waiting the arrival of his second child, a boy. Jacob is currently assigned to 3rd shift patrol, joining our staff in August.

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New Correctional Personnel

In 2021 the following people were hired at the Muscatine County Jail as correctional officers.



Colton Meier, was born in Peoria, IL and grew up in Canton, ILL. He graduated from Canton High School in 2016 followed by enrolling at Bradley University of Peoria and graduating in 2020 with a Bachelors of Science majoring in Criminology. Colton also graduated with three minors which include political science, sociology, and leadership studies. In his spare time he likes to play computer games and shoot in the United States Practical Shooters Association matches. Colton is currently assigned to 3rd shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in January.



Porsha McElfresh, was born in Davenport, Iowa. She graduated from North High School and worked in the medical field for over 10 years. Porsha later attended Purdue University and obtained a degree in Criminal Justice and Criminology, graduating with a 4.0 GPA and the honorary title of summa cum laude. In her free time she enjoys spending time with her family and her dog, going camping, fishing, and boating. Porsha is currently assigned to second shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in April.



Nathan Holland, was born and raised in Wapello, IA. He graduated from Wapello High School in 2017. In high school he played basketball, football and participated in track. Nathan attended William Penn University where he played football and studied criminal justice for his freshman year. He transferred to SCC in Burlington, Iowa to finish college and graduated with his associates degree in criminology. Nathan is one of three siblings being the middle child. Nathan is currently assigned to second shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in May.

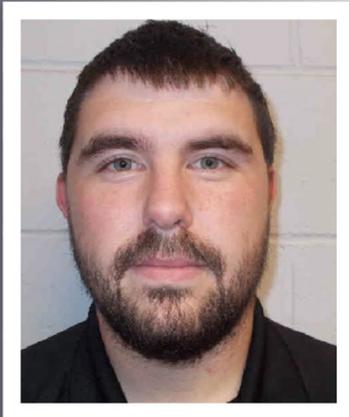
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New Correctional Personnel

In 2021 the following people were hired as Correctional Office for the Muscatine County Jail



Zachary Mullen, was born and raised in Muscatine. He graduated from Muscatine High School in 2011 and from Muscatine Community College in 2013. Zachary and his wife Megan currently reside in Muscatine. Prior to coming to MCSO, Zachary was employed at Walmart as the Auto Care Manager for 11 years. He is an Eagle Scout and spends a lot of time outdoors and enjoys camping and fishing with his wife. In early 2021 Zachary became a member of the MCSO Patrol where he serves as a Reserve Deputy. Zachary is currently assigned to second shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in August.



Casey Gephart, was born in Iowa City and raised in Wilton where he graduated from high school in 2018. Casey and his wife Maliree and daughter reside in Wilton. Casey was deployed to Qatar for one year with the Iowa Army National Guard. Upon his return he ran his own power washing business and custom cleaning business. In his spare time he enjoys the outdoors, hunting, fishing and camping with family and friends. Casey is also on the Wilton Volunteer Fire Department as an ambulance driver and interior firefighter. Casey is currently assigned to second shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in August.



Teresa Paige Taylor, was born and raised in Muscatine. She prefers to be called by her middle name, Paige. Paige graduated from Muscatine High School in 2018. For three years she was employed at Shell Fast Break. In her spare time she enjoys shopping, fishing and spending time with her family and friends. Paige is currently assigned to first shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in August.

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New Correctional Personnel

In 2021 the following people were hired at the Muscatine County Jail as support staff.



Erica Hutchinson, was born in Honolulu, Hawaii. She grew up in Washington state with her parents and two brothers. In later years her family moved to Missouri which is where she graduated from high school in 2017. Eventually she moved to Muscatine where she was employed by the HON company for three years. During her spare time she enjoys spending time with her two huskies (Frost & Tundra), music, singing, creating art, nature, traveling and taking care of her reptiles. In the future she hopes to travel more and start her own small business selling art. Erica is currently assigned to second shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in August.



Susan Longhurst, was born in Iowa City, IA in April of 1988 and raised in Muscatine. She graduated from Muscatine High School in 2006. In 2016 she earned her Pharmacy Tech Certification and worked as a tech for a couple of years. She was also the manager at a local pizza restaurant. In her spare time she enjoys catfishing and deer hunting. Currently Susan is learning sign language and also enjoys reading and writing. Susan is currently assigned to third shift as a corrections officer, joining our staff in November.

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New Personnel

In 2020 the following people were hired at the Muscatine County Jail as support staff.



Jacob Walter is a man of few words. When I asked him to tell me about himself, he was brief and as short as he possibly could be. Jacob currently resides in Grand Mound, IA with his wife, Elizabeth, son, Jaxon (5) and daughter, Gracelyn(1). Prior to being employed with MSCO, Jacob worked as a Weld Fabricator for 12 years. In his free time he likes to be outdoors, where he enjoys hunting, shooting guns, hiking, camping, running, and biking along with watching sports on tv and participating in sporting events. Jacob is currently assigned to 1st shift as a Transport Officer, joining our staff in March.



Shawn Kinley, was born and raised in Davenport, IA. He graduated from Davenport North High School in 2010. Shawn, his wife Allissa, Son Liam (2) and Daughter Emma (9 months) currently live in Muscatine. In his free time Shawn enjoys hunting, fishing, bowling and golf. Family time is very important to Shawn and his family as well. Shawn is currently assigned to 1st shift as a Transport Officer, joining our staff in July.



Debra Giesler, was born and raised in Muscatine, IA. She moved to Texas for 20 years after receiving a job offer and, while in Texas, she met and married her husband Daniel. Her husband, who she refers to as a Texas born red-neck, took a transfer with a trucking company in 2004, and they moved back to Muscatine. Debra enjoys spending time with her family which include seven great nieces & nephews. She and Daniel are avid NASCAR fans. In 2021 Debra “semi-retired” but accepted a part-time position as the Medical Records Clerk , joining our staff in August.

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Office Commendations

Excellence in Service

Lt. Baars was presented with the 2021 Excellence in Service Award for performance that goes above and beyond normal requirements and models the highest standard of ethics and accountability. Lt. Baars strives for a safe and healthy environment for staff and the inmates he supervises.

Lt. Baars is consistently responsive to others that he works with and supervises and responds with dignity, fairness, and respect. Lt. Baars exemplifies team work, has strong communications skills, provides sound decision making, is a positive role model, maintains professionalism at all times, and continually demonstrates an exceptionally high standard of professionalism and optimism on the job.



Lt. Brian Baars



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Life Saving Commendations

The Muscatine County Jail believes in recognizing the actions and efforts of outstanding officers. With that in mind, the Muscatine County Jail Administration would like to recognize Sgt. Brayton Shellady, Correctional Officer Frank Figueroa, C.O. Rusbel Calderon & Registered Nurse EaVon Lingle for the lifesaving efforts they displayed in March 2021.

On Saturday, March 17th, 2021 at 1922, Due to elevated blood pressure, the on-shift nurse was attending to Inmate Funches, David. The inmate was displaying signs of a life-threatening heart problem. After contact was made with the medical provider, it was determined this inmate would be transported by ambulance to the emergency room. While escorting the inmate back to booking, the inmate appeared to fall into an unconscious state. The AED was secured and applied to the inmate. During chest compressions, the inmate became conscious and began to resist. After the compressions ceased, Inmate Funches appeared to fall back into an unconscious state, and chest compressions continued. CPR chest compressions aided in keeping Inmate Funches alive, even though he was in a resistant state.

Sgt. Shellady, C.O. Figueroa, C.O. Calderon & R.N. Lingle assisted in keeping Inmate Funches alive by promptly acting and remaining calm. A failure to act, most certainly, would have led to an unfortunate outcome. Inmate Funches would go on to receive a pacemaker/defibrillator as an follow-up to this event.

Therefore, Sgt. Shellady, C.O. Figueroa, C.O. Calderon & R.N. Lingle actions qualify them for the Life Saving Award and bestows upon them the Sheriff's Office appreciation.



Sgt. Shellady, CO Figueroa, Nurse Lingle

Not pictured: CO Calderon



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Criminal Investigation

Sex Offender Registry

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office has the duty to facilitate and maintain the registrations of sex offenders residing or employed in Muscatine County.

Currently there are **101** registered sex offenders in Muscatine County. In 2021, we made **18** arrests for registrants failing to comply with the Iowa Sex Offender Registry Requirements. The general public can view registered sex offenders online. For Iowa sex offenders go to www.iowasexoffender.com. Residents are encouraged to call their local law enforcement agency if they believe a sex offender is not living at the residence where they are registered. Please call Sgt, Jacob McCleary at 563-264-0188 Ext 105 or Detective Hailee Polito @ 563-264-0188 Ext 128

	2018	2019	2020	2021
Total Cases	44	71	51	57
Burglary	7	9	3	4
Sex Abuse	3	12	8	11
Fraud/ID Theft	4	3	1	2
SOR Violations	15	24	18	20
Thefts	1	9	4	4
Death Investigation	4	8	3	3
Kidnapping	0	1	1	0
Arson	0	0	0	1
Homicide	1 cold Case	4	0	0
Other	9	1	13	12

Over the past year, the Criminal Investigation Division has changed with new faces now investigating felony level crimes and maintaining the Sex Offender Registry.

Detective Jacob McCleary, who was recently promoted and is now the Sergeant in charge of the division, switched roles after spending nearly 5 years in the Muscatine County Drug Task Force. Most recently, Detective Hailee Polito joined Sgt. McCleary in the CID office as the newest Muscatine County Sheriff's Office Detective. Detective Polito has spent the last several years on patrol but has more than ten (10) years in law enforcement experience and a drive for investigations.

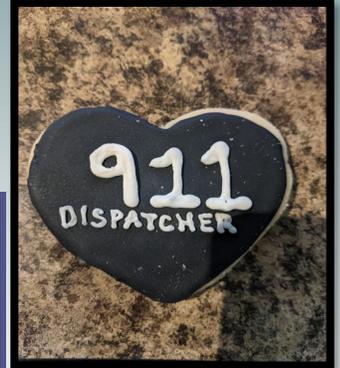
CID also has the responsibilities of property and evidence room management, intelligence gathering and dissemination of critical information, and assisting the other divisions of the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office when needed. Many times, our detectives go outside of the county to work with area law enforcement agencies to further investigate leads as crimes are sometimes committed by subjects who do not reside within the county lines.

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MUSCOM



The Muscatine County Joint Communications Center (MUSCOM) is the single Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) for Muscatine County. Muscom’s professional, multi-functional dispatchers serve the citizens of Muscatine County along with 17 law enforcement, fire and EMS agencies.

MUSCOM employs a Manager, 12 Full-time dispatchers and 2 part-time dispatchers. All dispatchers are certified Emergency Medical Dispatchers through the International Academy of Emergency Dispatch and also certified through the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy.

In 2021, our dispatchers handled over 73,000 telephone calls with over 14,900 of those being on the 911 system and entered 52,814 calls for service through the year.

In 2021, Muscom participated in the annual public safety open house and transformed the basement into a carnival with several game stations, including face painting and popcorn. It was a successful event, and we had over 100 children come through. In September, dispatcher Rachel Nieland delivered a baby over 911, and in July, dispatcher Jen Wilson received a life saving award for a call she took in May. Those assisting were able to get a patient's pulse back after receiving CPR instructions she had given over the phone.

April was also an exciting month, dispatchers celebrated national public safety week with special themes and were treated to a week of food, fun and gifts.



Full Time Employees

Chris Jasper—Muscom Manager, Vanessa Figueroa—Training & Quality Supervisor

Konnie Pace, Rachel Nieland, Stefani Dimas, Ben Sharpe, Katy Owens, Lisa Sutton, Jen Wilson, Katie Thomas, Chase Voelkers, Britnae Charlett, Brittany Hoffmann

Part Time: Hansi Lange and Delainey Parish

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Special Operations Response Team

MSORT Team Members

Lt. Anthony Kies—Commander

Sgt. John Hesselning—Assistant Commander

Sgt. Jon Wolf—Entry Team Lead

Sgt. Greg Hazelett—Entry Team Lead

Entry Team Members

Detective Andy Fry

Detective Casey Jensen

Deputy Zach Archer, LCSO

Detective Tanner Bohling

Deputy Zach Lane

Detective Adam Bell

Deputy Austin Sink

Cpl. Todd Koch

Cpl. Matt Horton

T.E.M.S.

Battalion Chief GaryRonzheimer—Team Lead

Lt.Drew McSorley -Assistant Team Lead

Fireman Brett Becker

Fireman Mike Collins

Hostage Negotiators:

Team Lead-Sgt. Joe Bryant

Assistant Team Lead—Patrolman Angela Shoultz

Team Members

Deputy Matt Madson

Sgt. Wilfredo Leza

Chief Orville Randolph - Durant PD

Deputy Kary Borders—Louisa Co.

Chief Lisa Kepford - Tipton PD

Chief Mike Horihan - West Branch PD

Snipers

Detective Jeff DeVrieze— Team Lead

Patrolman Jacob Elliott

Detective Austin Sorgenfry—CCSO

Deputy Alex Koch-CCSO

Cpl. Jolisa Colman

Cpl. Matt Wilkinson

Patrolman Mitchell Griffin



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Canine Neiko & Kevin



2021 was a busy year for the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office K9 program. Deputy Hallett was selected as the new K9 handler. Lt Bowers, Deputy Lane and Deputy Hallett traveled to Cedar Creek Kennels in June. Deputy Hallett selected K9 Kevin, a 1.5-year-old Belgian Malinois. Deputy Hallett and K9 Kevin graduated from a long, intense, 10-week school where Deputy Hallett and K9 Kevin were certified on tracking, suspect apprehension, narcotic detection and article/evidence searches. Deputy Hallett and K9 Kevin are assigned to the patrol division on 2nd shift. They have proven to be an excellent team and continue to do great things. K9 Kevin was responsible for tracking a person in distress and allowing them to get the help they needed. K9 Kevin was responsible for numerous drug seizures within his first few months on the road. We can't wait to see what 2022 has in store for this duo. Welcome to the team, Deputy Hallett and K9 Kevin!



K9 Neiko and Deputy Lane also had a successful year. They're learning from their new partners and enjoy training with them twice a month. K9 Neiko was responsible for seizing just over 5 pounds of meth, 6.4 pounds of cocaine, 2.64 ounces of marijuana, 5.8 grams of mushrooms, 3.3 grams of ecstasy and .5 grams of heroin. K9 Neiko seized \$4641.00 in currency.



K9 Neiko had one apprehension of a fleeing felon.

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office takes great pride in its K9 program. We look forward to 2022 and deploying our K9's in ways to help keep the citizens of Muscatine County safe and to build relationships within our community schools and community programs.

The K9 program at the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office is supervised by Lt. Matt Bowers.



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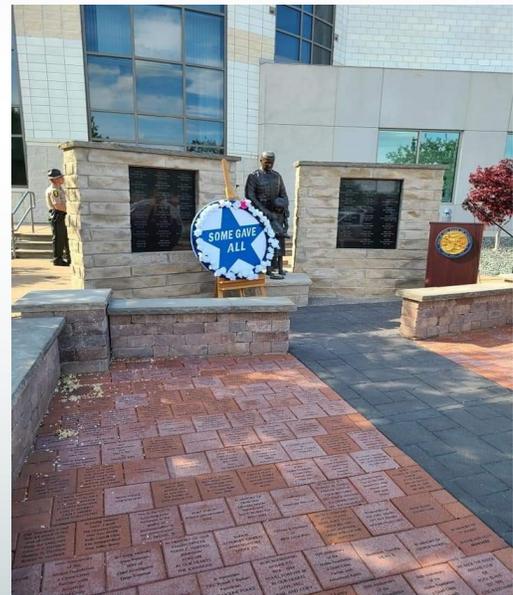
Honor Guard / Memorial Service

On Sunday, May 2nd, 2021, Sgt. Jon Wolf, along with other local law enforcement, attended the Quad Cities Law Enforcement Memorial Service.

This service is held every year to honor and remember the 47 area law enforcement officers who have died in the line of duty. This includes Muscatine County's own, Deputy Carrol Edward "Ed" Halligan, who's end of watch was November 9, 1998.



Deputy Zach Lane, Sgt. Jon Wolf, Sgt. Jacob McCleary and Sheriff Quinn Riess



The Honor Guard is made up of members of the Sheriff's Office and Volunteer Sheriff's Patrol. The Guard is used primarily for funeral details (graveside/visitation) as well as various parade functions around the State of Iowa and Muscatine County.

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Reported Crimes

Violation Crimes Reported	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Child / Adult Abuse Neglect	13	5	3	3	19
Vehicle Accidents	473	436	428	394	393
Assaults / Domestic / Family	12	10	10	11	70
Burglary—In progress	58	35	44	42	27
Criminal Mischief—In progress	62	24	35	22	22
Death Investigation	11	12	82	116	106
Disturbance	68	49	44	41	36
DNR Calls-Poaching/Weapons	2	4	3	4	2
Suspicious Activity or Persons	412	329	290	379	312
Fraud /Forgery / Identity Theft	45	43	45	36	41
Harassment/Obscene calls	28	39	45	32	31
Homicide	0	0	2	0	0
Intoxicated Person/Driver	57	33	29	22	23
Keep the Peace	35	35	49	40	31
Missing Person	10	33	14	25	27
Reckless Driver	326	292	259	238	241
Robbery	1	0	1	0	0
Sex Abuse	5	9	8	8	14
Stolen / Recovered Vehicle	23	15	10	26	16
Suicide-Attempted/Threat	33	31	39	23	21
Theft	50	44	47	37	30
Trespass	18	15	10	8	10
Traffic Stops / GTSB	5001	5325	2962	2859	4157
Assist Motorist	603	753	678	665	587
Medical Calls	516	492	574	542	430
Violation No Contact Order	25	26	20	31	19

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Traffic

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office Patrol Division is the backbone of the Sheriff's Office law enforcement function.



As a recipient of the Governor's Traffic Safety Bureau Grant,

Muscatine County is provided 750 hours of enforcement overtime for a total of \$37,493.00, one radar and two PBT's and one in car camera system for a total of \$5,400.00 and \$1,000.00 in training.

The total grant award of \$43,893.00.

Uniformed deputies respond to calls for service, conduct traffic enforcement, investigate traffic accidents, deliver civil process paperwork, as well as a host of other duties.



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Patrol

Patrol Deputies are usually the first, and often the only, contact the general public has with law enforcement.

There are 15 uniformed deputies that make up the Patrol Division. In 2021 these deputies conducted 3378 traffic stops, which resulted in 1,349 citations and 1,079 warnings for traffic violations, including 126 intoxicated people, 120 unlicensed drivers, 264 individuals driving under suspension, and 135 people without vehicle insurance.

One of the most visible duties of the Patrol Division is the patrolling of the unincorporated areas of the county. During 2021 deputies conducted 3305 area checks and extra patrols in the county.

The members of the patrol division are truly at the forefront of making Muscatine County safer for all its citizens.

Even though traffic is a priority to the deputies, they respond to many types of calls.



Maintaining safety on Muscatine County roads is important for deputies as well as motorists who use the roadways within the county. Please help us help you.

Muscatine County had five (5) fatality motor vehicle accidents in 2021.
Our goal every year is 0 Fatalities.

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Drug Task Force

Statistics	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Defendants	87	83	89	34	35
Firearms	70	26	42	22	19
Search Warrants	100	68	75	39	36
Marijuana (Grams seized)	12,639	5,578.5	See below	25,071.4	18,868.2
Cocaine (lbs. seized)	581	21.1	10.2	18.0	9.5
Methamphetamine (Grams seized)	19,604	964.8	4,453.6	3,411.5	132,563



In 2021 we collected almost **150lbs.** of narcotics that needed to be disposed of.

The Task Force also disposed of **41.6lbs.** marijuana in 2021.



Marijuana - 16,447.2

Concentrates/Edibles - 4,569.7

Plants - 20,157



If you have information to report regarding drugs or drug trafficking, please call the Muscatine County Drug Task Force at 563-263-6372.



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Special Events

Viola Werner's Toyz4kidz



The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office organized and donated 75 bikes, along with new toys, to the Salvation Army's "Toy Time" drive, which is part of Two Weeks of Love.

Shop with a Cop



Sheriff Riess, along with Sgt. Wheeler & Bowers, Detective McCleary, Deputies Bell, Madson, and Reserve Deputy Hardman joined several other agencies with the annual Shop with a Cop Program. 15 kids were given money to buy gifts for their family members.

Muscatine County Sheriff's Office takes great pride in being a part of our community. Participation in and organization of community service events provides a sense of community between the public and law enforcement. We look forward to seeing you at the next event. These are a few of the events we participated in this year.

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Sheriff Riess on hand to assist this lady who was from out of town and she inadvertently locked her keys in her car.



Muscatine County Sheriff Quinn Riess, Sgt. Willie Leza and Officer Blum from the Muscatine Police Department made sure that 75yr old Vietnam Combat Vet came home to his new apartment with a brand new chair lift after losing his all belongings at the Tower apartment fire.



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Special Olympics

In 2021 Muscatine Special Olympics Iowa collected over \$11,200 from corporate / business donations, merchandise sales and the coin drive. For the 2nd year in a row Tee's Ice Cream & Burgers were our top coin drive fundraising business. They raised \$1,555.08, thanks in large part to the entire staff donating all of their tips during the month of April. Roxanne & the entire staff at Tee's deserve a big shout out for their generous support & efforts.

Thank you everyone who donated to our Special Olympics Iowa Law Enforcement Torch Run Fundraiser benefitting Special Olympics Athletes at the Special Olympics Summer Games.



Sheriff Riess and Robert Vault

Deputy Channon and Nathan Paulsen

Detective McCleary and Adam Rininger



October 2021 Special Olympics Football Game



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Special Olympics



Special Olympics Baseball Game Summer of 2021



Sheriff Quinn Riess and Sgt. Willie Leza present a check to Muscatine Special Olympics Athlete, Dick Vetter. \$11,400 was collected in 2021. A heartfelt thank you to all those who helped promote our fund-raising event. This wouldn't be possible without all of you. The athletes sincerely appreciate your generosity. Thank you to Guy and a Grill for sponsoring lunch for the athletes and the entire group.



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Red Kettle Campaign



#180KbyChristmasDayRed Kettle Stay

This year the Salvation Army Kettle Drive Chairmen were Fire Chief Jerry Ewers, Sheriff Riess and Chief of Police Brett Talkington. The goal for the Kettle Drive was \$180,000 and a friendly competition between the three departments was held. The Kettle Drive raised over \$132,000 for Muscatine County and the Sheriff's Office was the declared the winner of the challenge for the 2nd year in a row. **Fun was had by all!**



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United Way Day of Caring



The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office participated in the United Way Day of Caring for the second year. Employees worked on a house project which included lots of yard work and general clean up. It was a BIG project but nothing that this group couldn't handle.



Nine employees plus one spouse worked a full day and three employees work half a day. Not pictured: Deputy Madson and CO Dykema-Sterner, Nurse Allison

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Rebuilding Together

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office participated in Rebuilding Together for the first year. Employees built a wheelchair ramp at the home of 2 Seniors on two different dates, once in April 2021 and again in October 2021.



BEFORE (April 2021)



AFTER (April 2021)



October 2021, the ramp in which our staff built was 30 feet long



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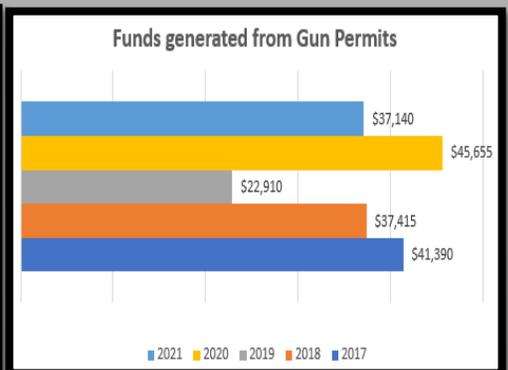
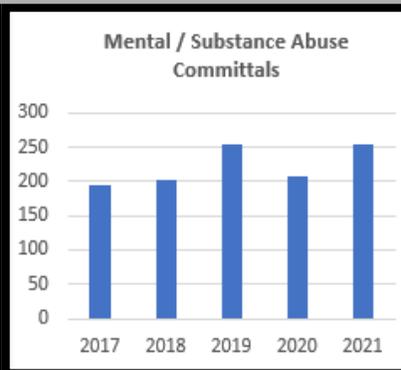
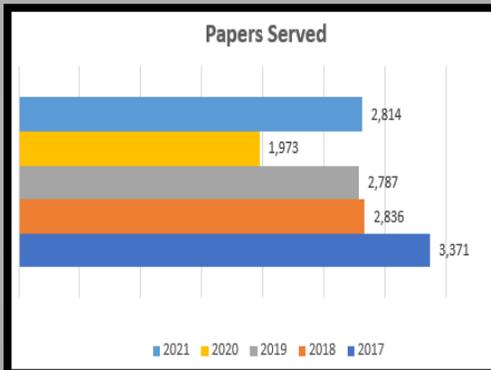
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Civil Department

Every County in Iowa is required to have a Civil Department.

The Civil Department's main job is receiving documents for service from citizens, attorney's and the courts. Part of doing this job is knowing different code sections and keeping up with law changes that effect the service of these documents.

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office Civil Department also handles collecting, tracking and disbursing to the Muscatine County Treasurer the funds from civil process, gun permits, copies made, sex offender registry fees, and fingerprinting.



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Medical Staff

Medical Staff

RN's and LPN's

Jamie Bumgardner, RN 2018

Eavon Lingle, RN 2018

Katie Schaapveld, RN 2020

Lorraine Rogers, RN 2019

Jenni Allison, RN 2020

Jennifer Middagh, LMSW 2010

Records: Debra Giesler 2021



The Muscatine County Jail medical department is a team of 2 full time RNs, 4 part time RN's, and is partnered by contract with Advanced Correctional Healthcare. ACH currently provides Muscatine County Jail with an on call medical provider 24/7 and 365 days to give medical orders to staff. This provider also comes to the jail once a week to see inmates who are in need of medical services. This provider sees approximately 3-4 patients each week. ACH also provides us with a mental health provider who currently works at the jail as a part-time Licensed Master Social Worker.

The Muscatine County Sheriff's Office medical department administers 4 medication passes each day with an average of approximately 120 inmates on medications. The medical staff administer approximately 5 tuberculosis screenings each week, answers all sick call requests from the inmate population, completes lab draws, wound dressing changes for the inmate population, and 14 day assessments on every inmate incarcerated for more than 14 days. Nurses also provide county employees with flu vaccinations, tuberculosis screening and optional Hepatitis B vaccinations. Our medical staff is capable of collecting many necessary specimens, as well as performing EKGs, and x-rays on site in a secured environment.



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Food Services



Employees

Food Server Manager

Tanya Grace, 2003

Food Service Workers

Tracy Frymoyer, 2013

Michelle Leopard, 2011

Margie Mendoza, 2017

Laura Walker, 2020

Commissary Manager

Amanda Quiroz-O'Leary, 2020



The kitchen staff prepared 254,300 meals in 2020. The four full-time employees and manager Grace are assisted by an average of 10—12 inmate workers. The laundry duties are also completed with the assistance of approximately 2 inmate workers. 8-12 industrial size loads of laundry are processed each day. Inmate uniforms are laundered twice per week.

Laundry

Commissary



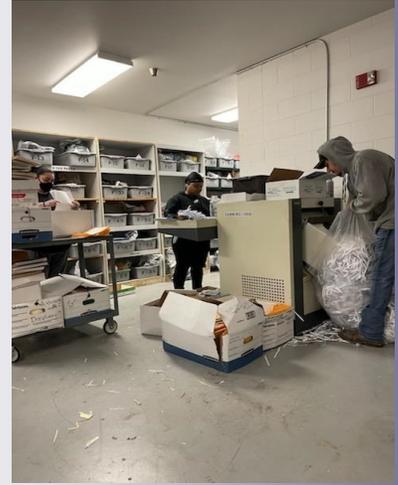


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Work Detail & Diversion



Jail diversion had 95 people assigned to participate in this program. The county was able to benefit from 166 days of sentencing along with 1,328 hours of work.



The total benefit to the county was 3,400 hours of work or nearly 1.61 full time employees at 30 hours a week average.



The Jail Diversion Program is designed for sentenced misdemeanants, and serves as an opportunity to place violators in a position to help the community through labor by performing community service work. Often times participants perform labor that includes general grounds keeping work. Common tasks include mowing, ditch cleaning, removal of illegal dumping, snow removal, painting, and assistance with recycling and sorting of materials.

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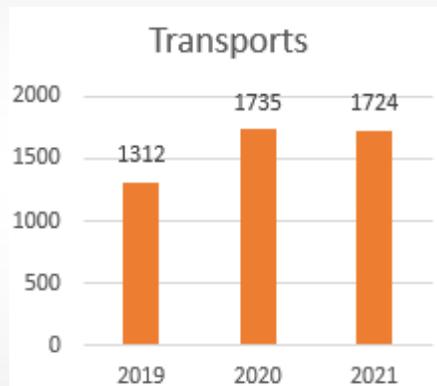
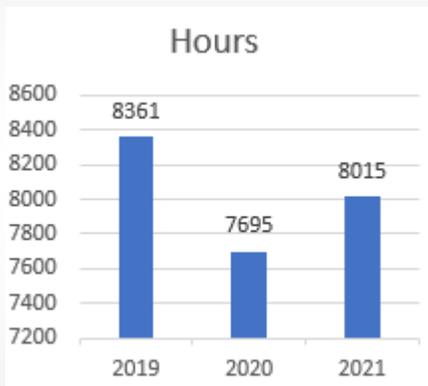


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Transports



Transports take place 24/7 or when needed. Currently the Muscatine County Sheriff's Office has 4 full time transport officers (Bruce Brown 2020, Marius Mutu 2020, Jacob Walter 2021, Shawn Kinley 2021) and 2 part time transport officers (Rick Ash and Matthew Bettis).



There are currently 7 transport vehicles all purchased with Commissary money to transport adult and juvenile inmates for court, hearings and re-housing issues.



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Dedication



Sheriff Riess, Sergeants, Lieutenants, Detectives & Deputies

Our eleventh annual Year End Report is dedicated to: Muscatine County Sheriff's Staff

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Dedication

1st Shift



**Sergeants, Lieutenants,
Corporals and
Correctional Staff**



2nd Shift

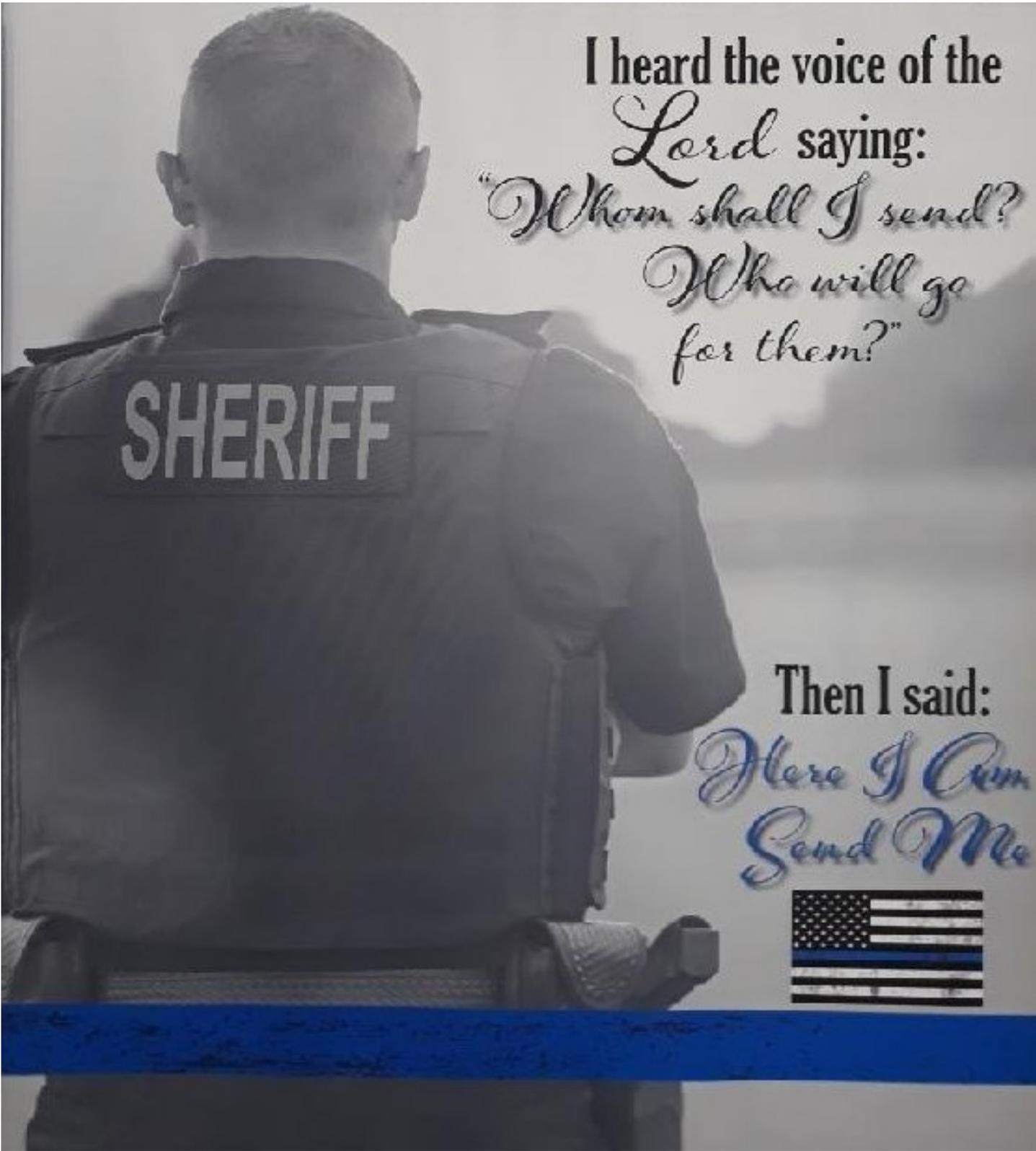


3rd Shift



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I heard the voice of the
Lord saying:
*“Whom shall I send?
Who will go
for them?”*

Then I said:
*Here I Am
Send Me*



Every year In the United States law enforcement officers die or are killed in the line of duty. In 2021 six hundred five (609) officers lost their lives while protecting and serving. The profession is both dangerous and rewarding. We take our responsibility seriously and are dedicated to our profession.

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