



RANDOLPH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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When keeping the job means more than doing the job,
the mission is lost!"

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Dear Randolph County Citizens,

It has been an honor to serve as your Sheriff for the past three years. As the Sheriff, I have experienced many new obstacles that no one would have ever expected due to the COVID-19 pandemic that has been prevalent since March of 2020. Since that time, our members have had to change nearly every divisions' operating procedures used by our Sheriff's Office.



I can honestly say that my staff has stepped up, acclimated, and made decisions ensuring that our primary goal of serving our citizens was never disrupted. The positive in all this chaos was that our team has come together and worked more closely across divisions to serve our citizens.

You may think that all of the changes in operating procedures would have taken away from our mission of reducing crime but that is far from the case. Our drug arrests and money seizures have actually increased this past year.

Collectively, we have reduced the number of overdoses; sadly, however, fatal overdose numbers have increased. The increase in fatalities is of great concern and our office continues to find solutions to lower that number.

In 2021, I established a long-term addiction program in Randolph County. We have obtained the land for this facility and are waiting for paperwork to be finalized. This facility will be open in the near future to offer addicts help for their addiction.

Instead of placing a bandage on the problem, we are looking for ways to solve it. This problem affects too many people in this county and we cannot stand idly by while our fellow citizens die from overdoses.

This past year, our office spent well under the approved fiscal budget. I take great pride in being a good steward of our taxpayers' money. My staff continuously searches for ways to conserve the budget while still providing the resources needed to improve the overall safety of our Deputies, Detention Officers, and citizens that call Randolph County home.

Implementing the Fleet Maintenance Facility has saved well over \$100,000.00 during the past fiscal year. Additionally, it provided safer and more dependable vehicles for deputies that patrol our county. I partially attribute our quick response times to the flexible scheduling of vehicle maintenance.

Before having our own Fleet Maintenance Facility, there was no cumulative record keeping of services performed on patrol vehicles. Our Fleet Maintenance Facility ensures that all patrol vehicles are properly serviced, quality parts are used, deputies are back on the road as quickly as possible, and that vehicles will last as long as possible. We can now trust that our fleet will have extended longevity, resulting in fiscal responsibility.

The summary of data in this publication reflects the purpose and activity from all divisions and specialized teams within Randolph County Sheriff's Office. This information depicts the transparency of our Sheriff's Office for the public to view. Our members take immense pride in their accomplishments and the goals met to make our county safer.

Each day, we look for ways to provide more efficient and effective service to our citizens. The Sheriff's Office belongs to the people of this grand county and I feel privileged to have the trust of the people to oversee the direction of this office. May God continue to bless this county for years to come.

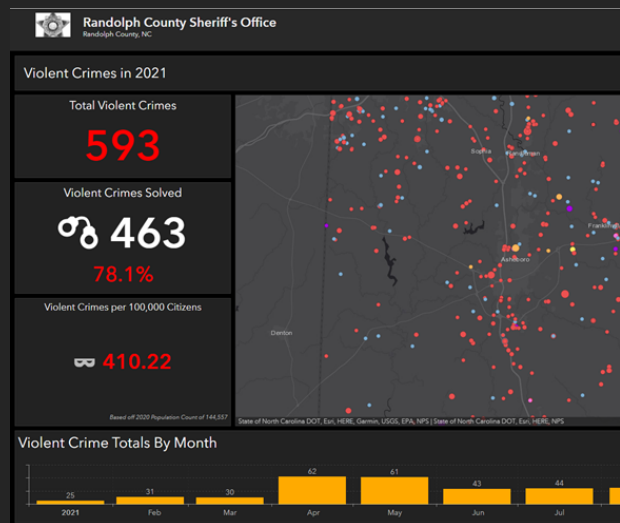
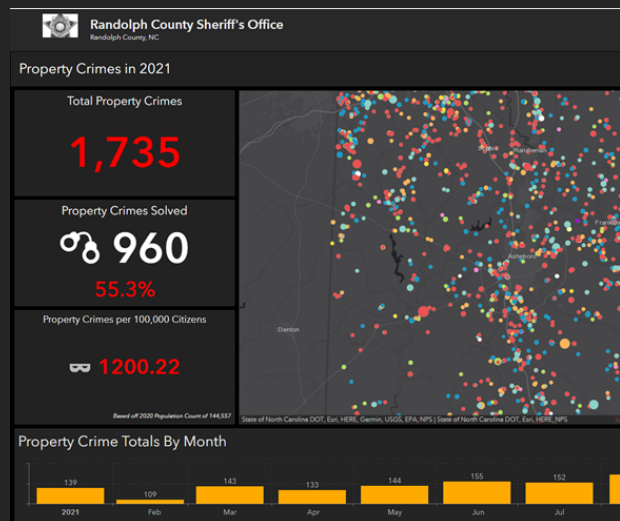
**SINCERELY,
SHERIFF GREG J. SEABOLT**

CRIME

In 2021, the Randolph County Sheriff's Office, in collaboration with the Randolph County Information Technology Department, completed the software conversion from Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) to National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS), improving the overall quality of crime data collected and reported. The new reporting format captures each criminal offense committed during each reported criminal incident.

NIBRS provides more concise and complete statistics of crime in Randolph County. Prior to 2021, crime statistics were reported in the format of Uniform Crime Reporting, which only counted the most serious crime committed during a criminal incident. During the conversion from UCR to NIBRS, 2019 crime data was not converted because the conversion was labor intensive, requiring manual correction on every report taken in 2019. A priority was therefore placed on correcting all observed offenses reported in 2020, and implementing a system to ensure all observed offenses were correctly entered when reports were taken.

During the conversion process, 2019 crime statistics were not submitted to the SBI in the correct format and were therefore not accepted in their database. Upon submitting the data by the required submission date for 2020, the manual corrections had not yet been completed. Therefore, the data submitted to the SBI in 2020 was incomplete but was successfully submitted in the proper format. In 2021, the Randolph County Sheriff's Office successfully completed the conversion of all crime data for 2020 and have implemented a system to ensure all observed offenses are accurately and concisely reported in the records management system.



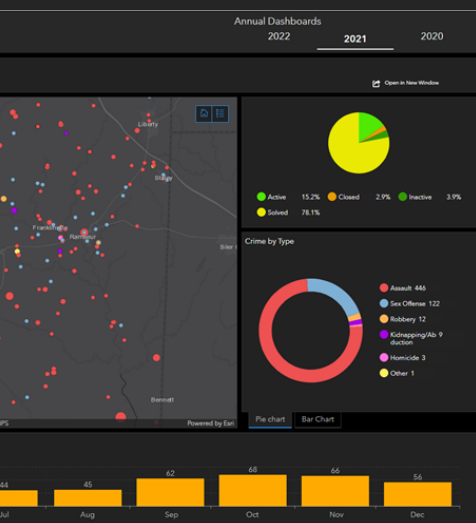
STATISTICS

Submission of crime statistics to the SBI is voluntary. The primary objective is to generate a reliable set of criminal statistics for use by agencies for research and planning. However, citizens view crime statistics as a report card for law enforcement, and as social indicators when planning where to buy a home, open a business, or where to send their children to school.



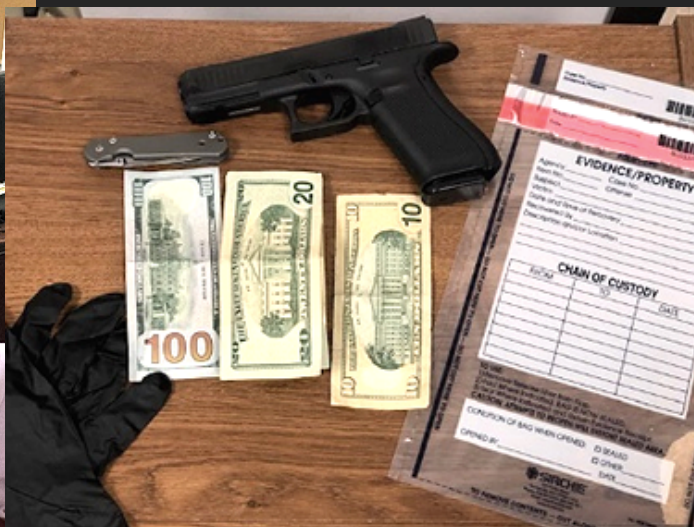
Crime statistics are generally reported under two categories of violent crimes and property crimes. Violent crimes include all degrees of murder, kidnapping, rape, sex offenses, human trafficking, robbery and assaults resulting in serious injury, that are categorized as felonies. Property crimes include all crimes that include theft or damage to property, such as but not limited to, burglary, larceny, fraud, identity theft, possession of stolen property, arson, etc. The crime rate is based on the number of crimes per 100,000 residents. Randolph County reportedly has 144,557 residents as of 2020. The Randolph County Sheriff's Office reports property crimes for the past 14 days on the Randolph County Property Crimes Dashboard to keep citizens informed.

The interactive Dashboard can be found online. In the spirit of transparency, the Randolph County Sheriff's Office worked closely with Randolph County Information Technology Department to create two additional online dashboards for annual crime statistic reporting for the citizens of Randolph County. Citizens may now see crime statistics for 2020, 2021 and so far for 2022. The crime statistics are provided using data extrapolated directly from the Randolph County Sheriff's Office records management system. To view and interact with the Randolph County Crime Statistics Dashboard, visit [Randolph County Sheriff's Office Crimes Dashboard](#).



CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DIVISION

The Criminal Investigations Division includes the Detective Division, Crime Scene Investigations, and Sex Offender Registry.

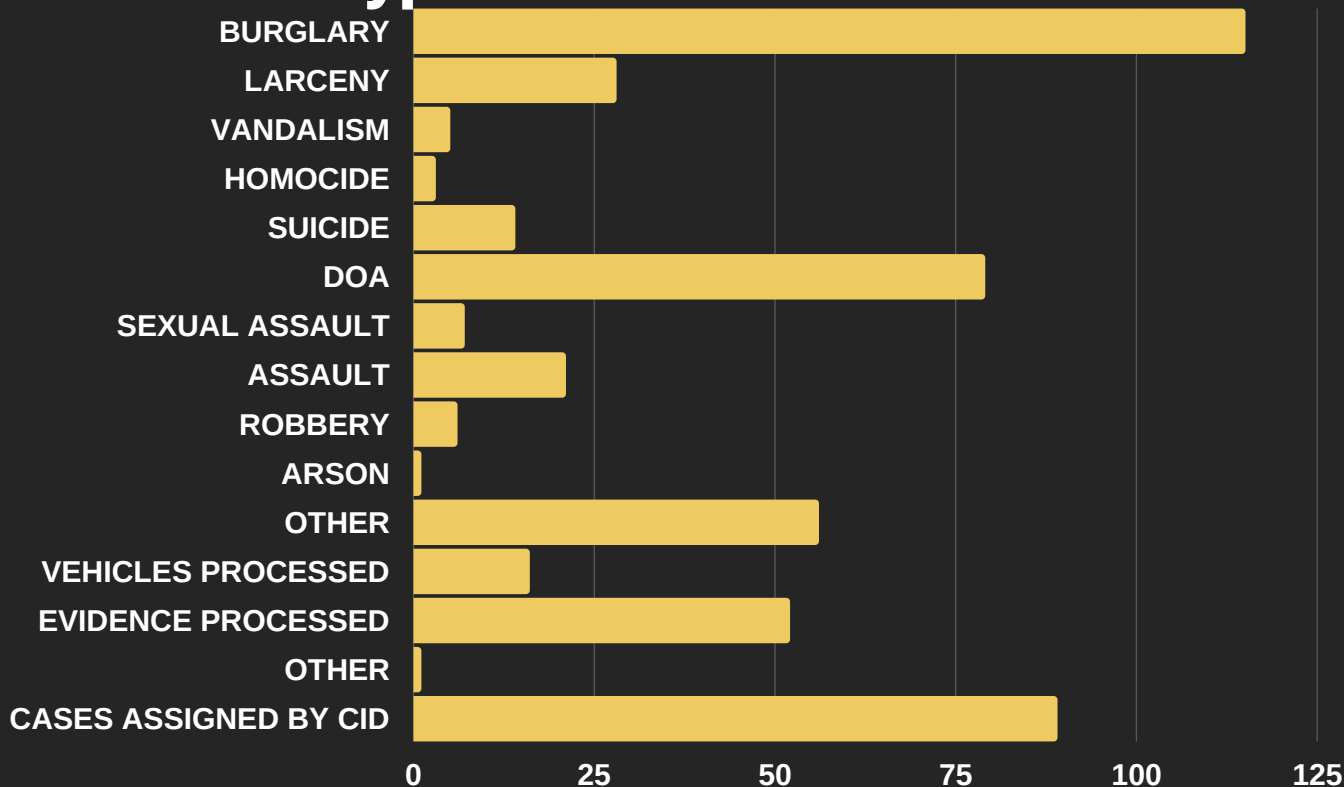


CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATIONS

The CSI Division collects evidence such as latent prints, blood, fibers, and physical evidence at crime scenes. CSI Technicians also photograph, videotape, and sketch crime scenes to recreate the scene at a later date for investigation and prosecution. In addition, CSI Technicians process evidence for submission to a forensic laboratory. The CSI Division comprises five sworn deputies, two supervisors, and three technicians.

They respond 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to all crime scenes in the county that require evidence collection and processing beyond the capabilities of patrol deputies. CSI Technicians work hand-in-hand with Detectives to ensure all pertinent evidence is collected and the entirety of each crime scene is thoroughly documented. Additionally, CSI Technicians are assigned cases for follow-up and investigation to assist Detectives with caseloads. They are an intricate part of Criminal Investigations.

Types of Scenes Processed



DETECTIVE DIVISION

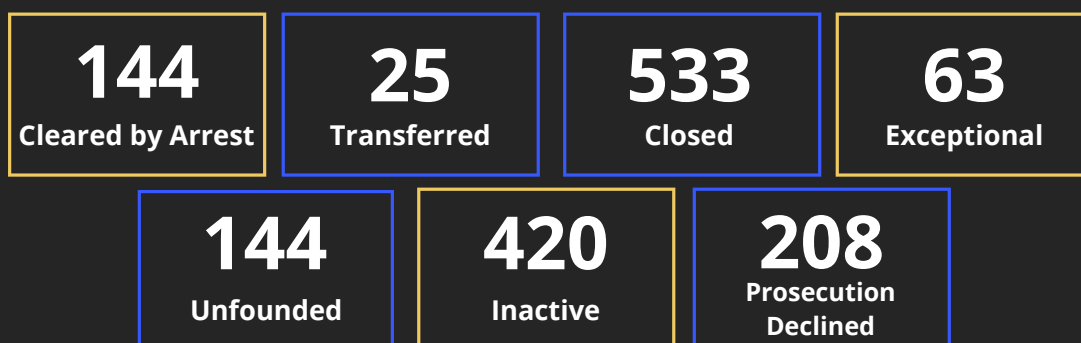
2021 Division Stats



The Detective Division is divided into two units: Special Victims and Property Crimes. Although every detective is capable of investigating a variety of crimes, Detectives are assigned to specialized investigations based on their interests, personality, and skill set. By concentrating on particular types of crime, detectives gain vast technical experience, skills, training, and knowledge that makes them more effective investigators of those particular crimes. Currently, there are sixteen full-time Detectives in the Detective Division.

Four Detectives are supervisors who are on call for a week at a time, available to assist Detectives with call-outs and supervise complex crimes scenes as necessary. The twelve Detectives are on-call once every twelve days for a 24-hour period. A Detective is therefore always available for incidents that require investigation beyond the scope and limits of the Patrol Division. The Detective Division is supported by a Law Enforcement Clerk, Victim Advocate and Crime Analyst, as well as a volunteer with an extensive investigations background, who reviews cold case files.

Case Dispositions



279

Criminal Processes Issued

39

Court Orders Issued

The Special Victims Unit comprises detectives who specialize in investigating sex offenses, assaults, cybercrimes, child abuse, elder abuse, missing persons, death investigations, and Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC). These detectives work closely with the Family Crisis Center and Emmy's House to ensure victims receive the resources they need.

66

Search Warrants Issued

104

DA Summaries Completed

The ICAC Unit, a part of the Special Victims Unit, is even more specialized as they receive extensive training in computer forensics and related investigations. They receive tips from outside sources about internet crimes. Detectives investigate those leads for validity and complete an extensive fact-finding investigation. These investigations sometimes lead to the identification of children who have been sexually abused. Perpetrators of these crimes are prosecuted on the State level or, often, in Federal Court.

\$264,426.89

Recovered Property

347

Agency Assist

The Property Crimes Detectives mainly work cases involving larceny, damage to property, breaking and entering, arson, robbery, fraud, and identity theft. They work closely with members of the community and neighboring agencies to identify perpetrators and recover stolen property.

941

Training (Hrs.)

510

Call Out Times (Hrs.)

443

Court Time (Hrs.)

21

Cold Cases

15

Cold Cases Worked

1,373

Investigative Hours

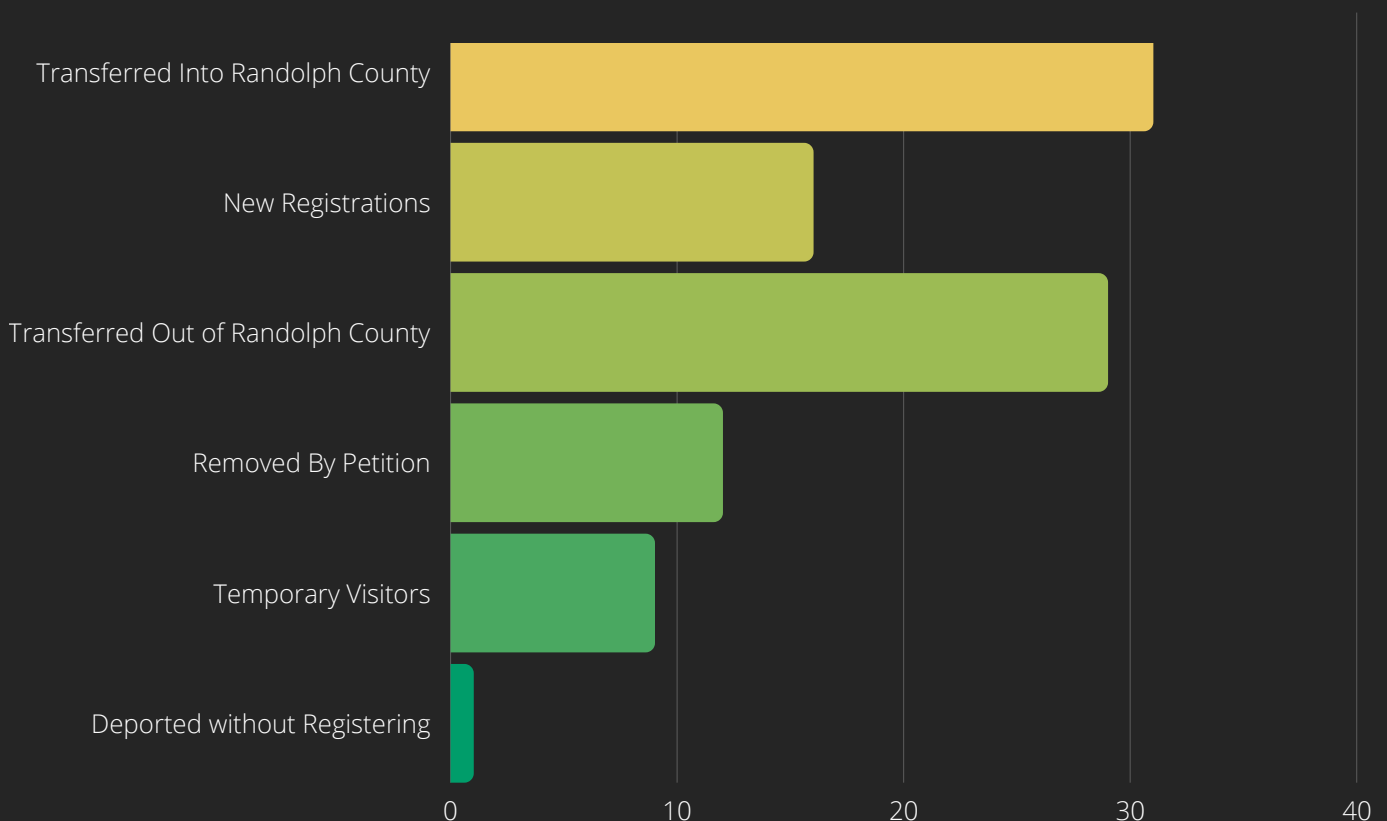
973

2020 Hours

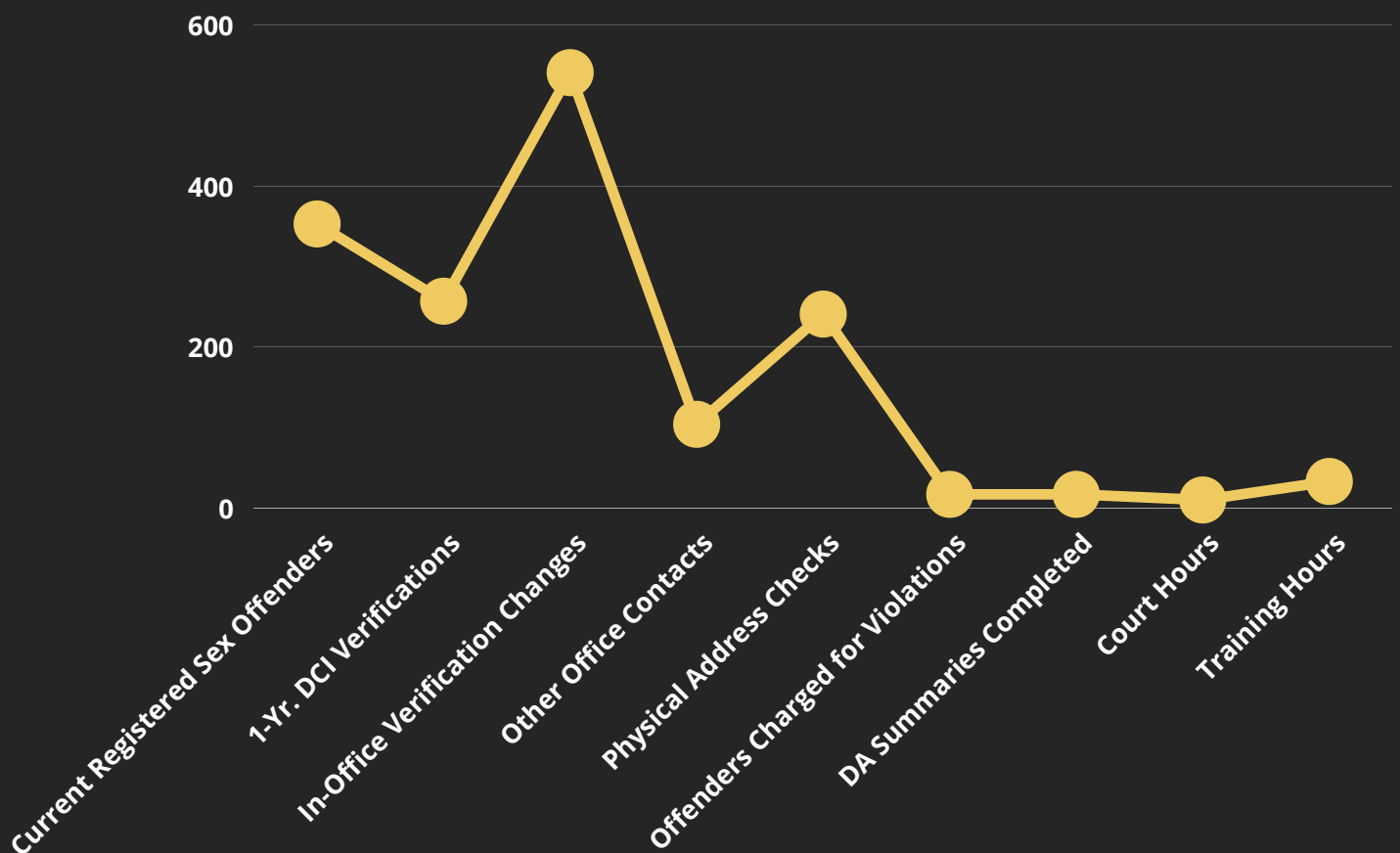
SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY

The Sex Offender Registry Detective is an important part of the Randolph County Sheriff’s Office, supervising all registered sex offenders residing in the county. This division keeps offenders in check, ensuring they are abiding by the conditions of the registry. There are many laws governing offender compliance while on the registry, and our officers make sure each offender complies with the law. Officers ensure offender addresses are valid, and not located in restricted areas, and that offenders do not violate prohibited area restrictions. In cases where an offender willfully violates the conditions of the Sex Offender Registry, they are criminally charged with the violation and arrested.

2021 Sex Offender Registry Stats



2021 Sex Offender Registry Stats cntd.



TO SEARCH THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY VISIT
[HTTP://SEXOFFENDER.NCSBI.GOV/](http://sexoffender.ncsbi.gov/)

SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION

The Special Operations Division of the Randolph County Sheriff's Office consists of both the Vice Narcotics Unit and the Criminal Interdiction Team. The Vice Narcotics Unit consists of eight detectives, one of which is assigned to the DEA Task Force in Greensboro, NC, and one administrative assistant.

The Criminal Interdiction Team was restructured into two teams; the Highway Criminal Interdiction Team and the Urban Interdiction Team (formerly known as the "Breaking and Entering" Taskforce) under Sheriff Seabolt's leadership.

The Special Operations Division consists of highly trained and professional law enforcement officers. The Special Operations Division will remain vigilant and aggressive in combatting the criminal element in Randolph County.



VICE NARCOTICS UNIT

The Vice Narcotics Unit consists of eight detectives, one of which is assigned to the DEA Task Force in Greensboro, NC, and one administrative assistant.

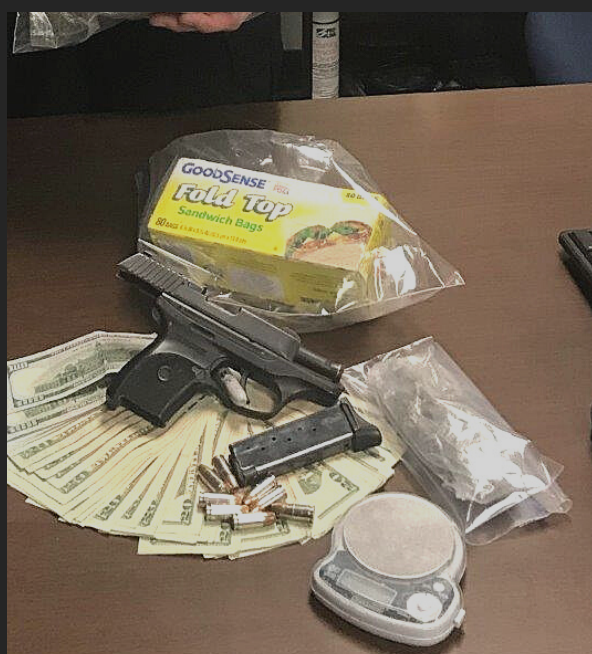
The Vice Narcotics unit works closely with many other agencies, including local, state, and federal entities. The Vice Narcotics unit is also tasked with following up on information provided, and complaints made by community members relating to possible narcotics activity.

Currency/ Property Seized:

US Currency	\$606, 813.00
Counterfeit Currency	\$400.00
Firearms	29
Vehicles (Towed/Seized)	7

Narcotics Seized:

Marijuana	10.5 pounds (4,768 grams)
Methamphetamine	81.1 pounds (36,794.7 grams)
Heroin / Fentanyl / Opiates	4.9 pounds (2,213.1 grams)
Cocaine	2.4 pounds (1,071.6 grams)
Alprazolam	52,188 dosage units (28.7 pounds)
Xanax	68.5 dosage units
Suboxone	12 dosage units
Clonazepam	7 dosage units
Mushrooms	8.5 grams
Tramadol	4 dosage units
Hydrocodone	4 dosage units
PCP (Phencyclidine)	1.4 grams



CRIMINAL INTERDICTION TEAM

The Criminal Interdiction Team has nine uniformed detectives, including three K-9 officers who make a distinct difference in the county.

Detectives assigned to the criminal interdiction team participate in state programs such as “Booze It & Lose It,” and “Click It or Ticket.” The Criminal Interdiction Team conducts sobriety checkpoints several times a year, and license checkpoints several times a month. These checkpoints provide needed enforcement of traffic safety issues, but also provide valuable information related to crimes committed in and around the checkpoint areas, and provide visibility in the community, which often influences suppression of criminal activity.



Checkpoints conducted by the team normally produce individuals that have outstanding warrants, breaking and entering/larceny suspects, recovery of stolen property, and narcotics violators, and recovery of stolen property. The Highway Interdiction Team has had great success locating many types of criminal activity taking place on the streets and highways of Randolph County. The Highway Interdiction team has located and arrested drug traffickers, counterfeiters, money couriers for drug trafficking organizations and numerous individuals wanted for felony offenses.



2021 Statistics for the Criminal Interdiction Team

Drugs Seized:

Marijuana	35.98 pounds (16,321 grams)
Methamphetamine	149 grams
Heroin/Fentanyl/ Opiates	2.17 pounds (987.9 grams)
Cocaine	13.35 pounds (6,055.5 grams)
Prescription Drugs	338.5 Dosage Units

Case Information:

Vehicle Stops	2,000
Vehicle Searches	345
Recovered Property Value	\$310, 589.00
Stolen Vehicles Recovered	22
Warrants Served	87
Criminal Processes/ On View Arrests	162

Currency/Property Seized:

US Currency	\$652,549.00
Counterfiet Currency	\$2,456.00
Firearms	24

CANINE UNIT

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Canine Unit conducts itself with the utmost professionalism and embraces servants' hearts towards the citizens of Randolph County. The Canine Division strives to perform each training exercise and street deployment with competency and efficiency, ensuring the highest level of proficiency from both the Handler and the K9. The K9 Unit consists of nine K9 handler teams assigned to various divisions of the Sheriff's Office. In total, there are ten active-duty K9s with one K9 waiting to be assigned to a handler. The breakdown for what each team can do and what division each team is in are as follows:

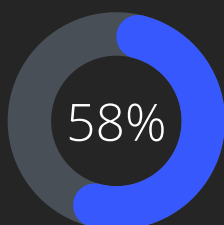
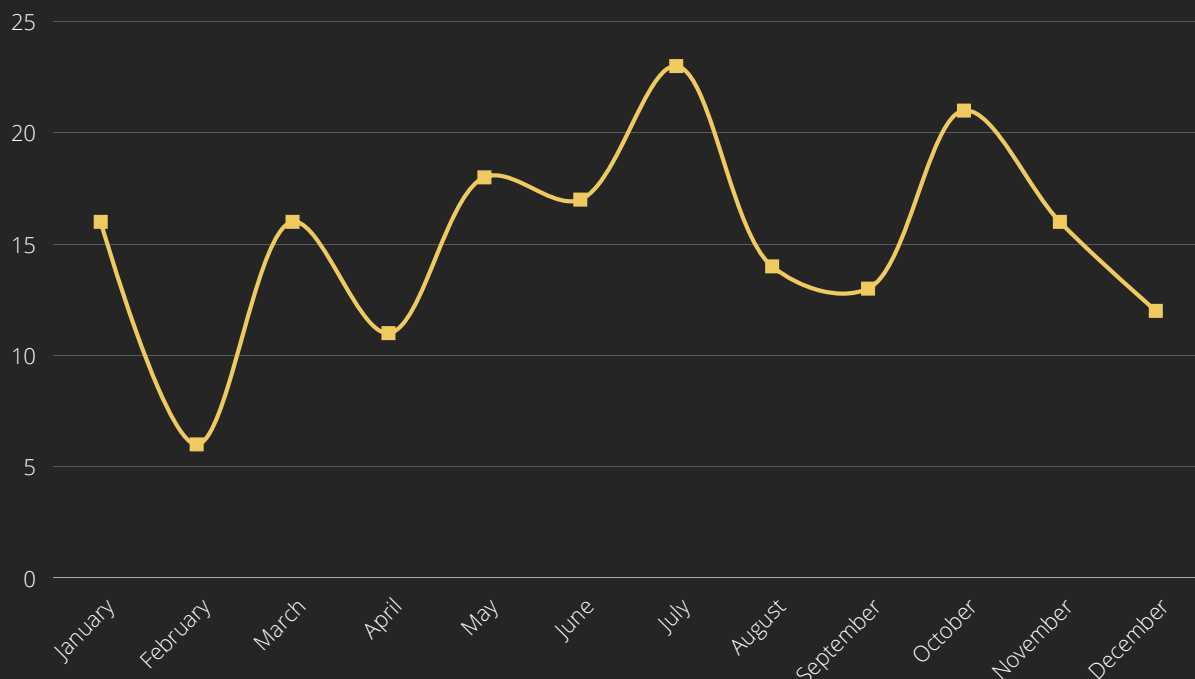
Multipurpose K9's / Patrol K9

- **Bronx- Belgian Malinois**
 - Handler- Sgt. Det. Russell Hogan/Urban Interdiction Team
- **Gunny- German Shepard**
 - Handler- Sgt. Det. Travis Short/Highway Interdiction Team
- **Taz- Belgian Malinois**
 - Handler- Dep. Torrey Eason/Patrol Division
- **Sarge- German Shepard**
 - Handler- Cor. Randall Purvis/Patrol Division
- **Ziva "Z"- Czech Shepard**
 - Handler- Dep. Steve Shawver/Patrol Division
- **Frank- Malinois Shepard mix**
 - Handler- Det. Jacob Chapman/Highway Interdiction Team

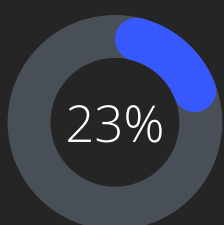
Single Purpose K9's

- **Red- Bloodhound Tracking**
 - Handler- Sgt. Cody Jordan/Patrol Division
- **Odie- Bloodhound Tracking**
 - Handler- Sgt. Det. Russell Hogan/ Urban Interdiction Team
- **Ripley- Belgian Malinois**
 - Narcotic Detection/Vice Narcotics
- **Cooper- Belgian Malinois**
 - Narcotic Detection, Handler- SRO Chris Allen/ School-Based Programs Division

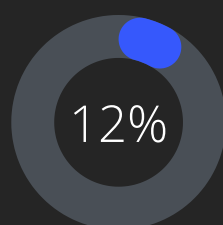
Canine Deployments



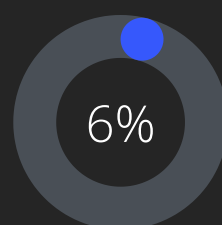
Methamphetamine



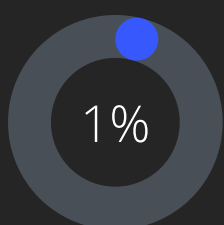
Fetanyl



Cocaine



Marijuana



Heroin

Officer Name & Duty Assignment	DETECTION				PATROL			
	Deployments	Search Areas	Alerts/Indications	Items Seized	Deployments	Arrests with Bites	People Found	Bite Ratio (%)
J. Santiago (Detective/Vice Narcotics)	11	28	17	22	0	0	0	0
T. Short	16	14	9	4	5	0	0	0
R. Hogan (K9 Supervisor)	26	34	24	19	5	0	4	0
C. Jordan (Patrol)	0	0	0	0	23	0	9	0
C. Allen	12	65	4	4	0	0	0	0
R. Purvis	12	16	8	12	7	0	2	0
J. Chapman (Interdiction K9)	6	6	5	8	0	0	0	0
V. Eason	14	19	12	12	19	0	5	0
S. Shawver	14	15	6	8	13	0	4	0



Major Accomplishments of 2021:

- The Randolph County Sheriffs Office purchased another K9 that is currently working on our Highway Interdiction Team
- Deputy Eason and K9 Taz were involved in a traffic stop that developed into a significant seizure of methamphetamine
- Narcotics Detective and K9 Ripley were involved in a significant seizure of fentanyl as a result of a Vice Narcotics investigation

New Goals for 2022:

- All K9 teams within the Randolph County Sheriffs Office will seek to obtain certification through the NNDDA in all required fields of skill
- Assignment of new bloodhound "Dixie" to the new K9 handler
- Purchase and assign a new multipurpose K9 that will be assigned to the Patrol Division
- Ultimately grow in knowledge and experience so that our effectiveness and efficiency will reflect growth statistically and in the community



Taz



Cooper



Dixie



Ziva



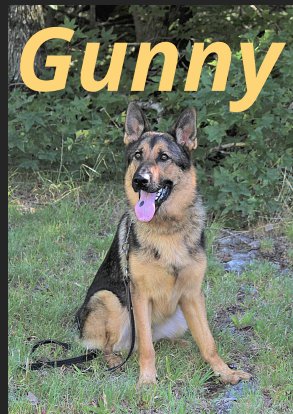
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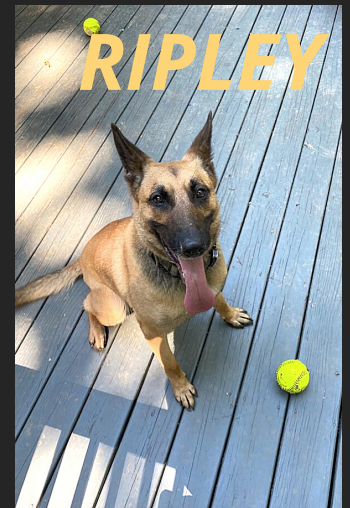
Frank



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Red



RIPLEY

PATROL DIVISION



Adam Team



Baker Team



Charlie Team



David Team



*Edward Team:
Trinity Patrol*

PATROL DIVISION

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office provides patrol services 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and prioritizes response to calls for service made to 911 Communications using available resources to enhance the safety of the public and sheriff's office members. The function of patrol is to respond to calls for assistance and reports of criminal activity, act as a deterrent to crime, enforce state and local laws, identify community needs, provide support and assistance to the community and respond to emergencies. They provide mutual aid and assistance to other agencies for emergency and law enforcement-related activities; perform crime prevention activities, such as residential and business inspections, community presentations and presence.

Patrol deputies investigate reported cases and make an arrest or take out warrants on suspects, if possible. Cases that cannot be solved within their shift are referred to the Criminal Investigations Division for additional investigation. Each patrol team comprises eleven deputies who respond to calls across nearly 800 square miles to assist citizens. Patrol teams work a 12-hour shift from 6 to 6, rotating two weeks of day shift and two weeks of the night shift. It is a common misconception that Sheriff's Deputies do not work traffic or issues citations for motor vehicle violations. All Randolph County Sheriff's Deputies are equipped with E-Citation and are authorized to enforce motor vehicle laws. However, the primary focus of patrol is responding to citizen calls for service.

24,826

Total Calls Responded to
by Patrol

4,351

Reports Taken

11:17

Average Response Time

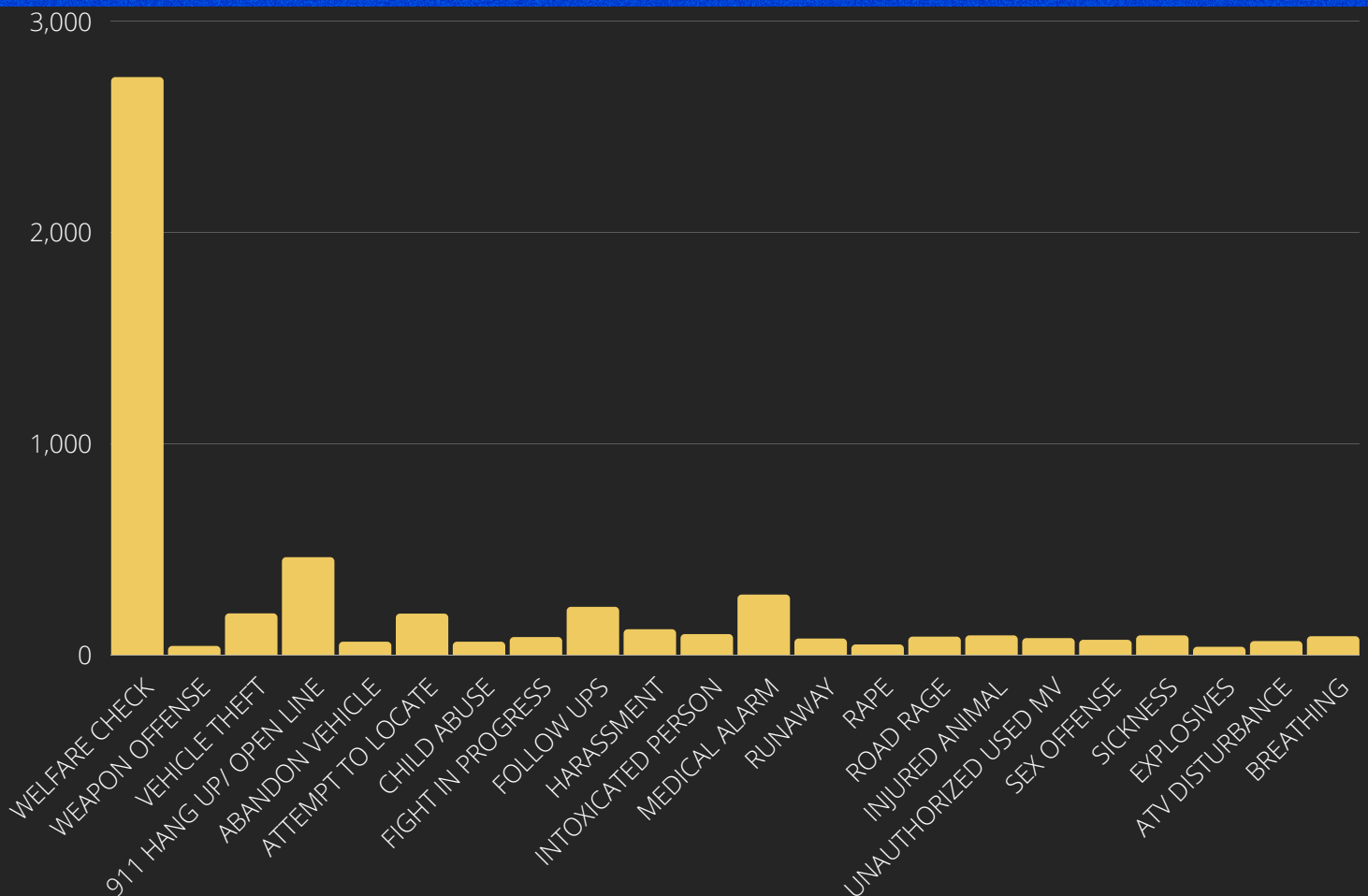
30,866

Total Number of Calls
Dispatched

In addition to call response, patrol deputies routinely check area businesses and schools after hours to ensure those buildings are secure. Proactively, patrol often conducts investigatory traffic stops in areas that have experienced a recent spike in crime. Patrol deputies are also responsible for serving Involuntary Commitment Orders and Domestic Violence Protective Orders after hours, or when Civil Division deputies are not available. They also serve warrants and subpoenas when feasible.

Patrol often responds to the Randolph County Detention Center when emergencies arise and additional personnel are needed there. Patrol deputies are the backbone of the Sheriff’s Office. They represent most interactions that citizens have with law enforcement in the county, and therefore have the greatest impact on the impression and opinion most citizens have of us. Our patrol deputies go above and beyond to resolve issues and citizen disputes, treat people with respect, and exemplify professionalism in law enforcement.

Nature of Patrol Division Calls



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Code One/Reports	2,590	Registration Plate/License Seized	95
Stolen Vehicle Reports	88	Supplement Sheets	230
Recovered Vehicle Reports	64	Special Residents Checks	500+
Found/Recovered Property Reports & Supplement Reports	156	Field Interview Sheets	19,800
Missing Person Reports	59	Citations Issued	1,081
On View Arrest	410	Vehicles Impounded	86
Warrants / OFA Served	1085	Oxycodone (Dosage Units)	121
Warrants / Criminal Summons Taken Out	433	Heroin/Fentanyl (Grams)	61.03
Criminal Summons	423	Methamphetamine (Grams)	180.74
Juvenile Petitions Drawn	4	Cocaine (Grams)	31.97
Protective Orders Served	25	Alprazolam (Dosage Units)	44.97
Involuntary Commitments	83	Schedule I CS Seized (GRAMS)	108.83
Civil Papers Served	36	Schedule II CS Seized (GRAMS)	176.04
DOA Reports (Supervisor)	178	Schedule III CS Seized (DOSAGE UNITS)	113
Subpoenas Served	1346	Schedule IV CS Seized (DOSAGE UNITS)	36.5
Animal Bite Reports	4	Schedule VI CS Seized (GRAMS)	5,095.24
Registration Plate/License Seized	95	Firearms Seized	56
FTO Trainees	16	Cash Seized	\$7441.26

COURTHOUSE SECURITY DIVISION

The Courthouse has experienced an influx in the number of people entering the building as the Courts are trying to catch up on backlogged cases continued during the pandemic. In 2021, Randolph County Government hired three additional non-sworn part-time positions to screen all persons entering the Randolph County Courthouse. Because of our county government's action, the Randolph County Courthouse was one of the few courthouses that could continue operations. The Bailiff Division operates with twenty-two full-time deputies and three part-time deputies.

While civil filings in 2020 and 2021 decreased slightly, those numbers now appear to be increasing steadily. Bailiffs are required for every courtroom and additionally serve by monitoring advanced camera systems, screening courthouse entrances, assisting with juries, and helping serve warrants and other legal papers. Additionally, bailiffs escort inmates to and from the courtroom regularly throughout the day and track inmate paperwork. Bailiffs give courthouse tours to the community and schools upon request.

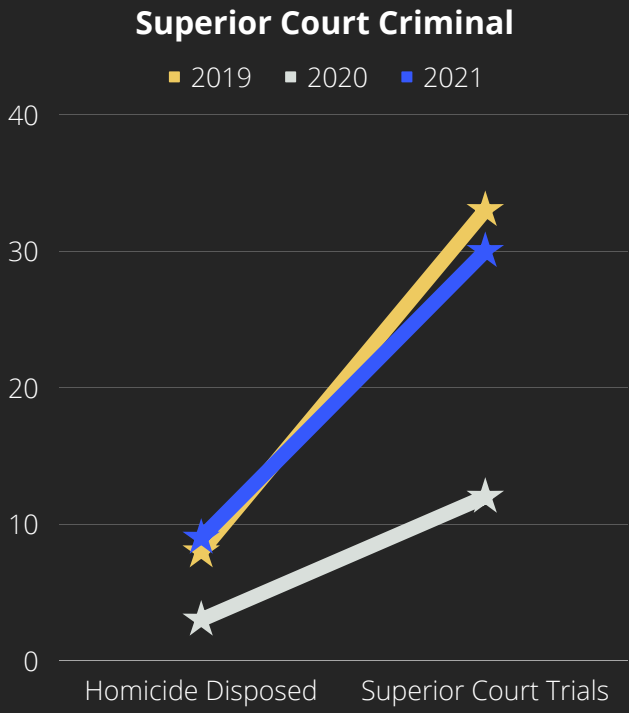
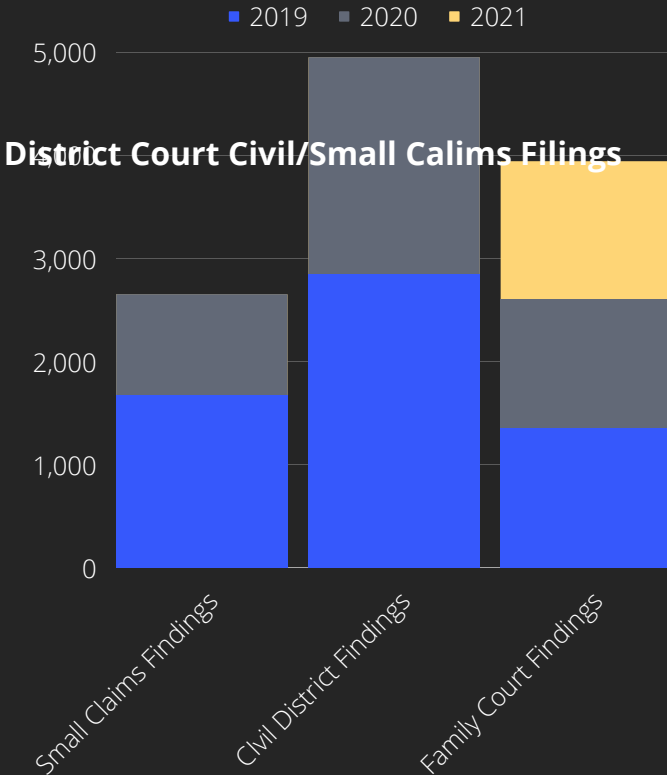
In addition to regular duties, Bailiffs make arrests and conduct searches, frequently resulting in criminal charges. Bailiffs escort victims of domestic violence, and comfort child witnesses; assist clerks and judges by handling evidence and paperwork. Each Bailiff is cross-trained in all aspects of the court system. Bailiffs plan safety measures for high-profile cases. Bailiffs also provide security for monthly County Commissioner and Planning and Zoning meetings when necessary.



2021 Bailiff Statistics

Subpoenas Served	4
Warrant/Orders for Arrest Served	34
Criminal Summons Served	5
Reports	3
Civil Processes Served	78

These numbers are lower than in past years due to continued COVID-19 restrictions during a portion of the year.



COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS DIVISION

The Community Based Programs Division includes the School Resource Officer (SRO) Program, Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) Program, Child Abuse Reduction Effort (CARE) Program, Junior Sheriff's Academy (JSA), Community Outreach (previously Crime Prevention), and the Criminal Apprehension Team (CAT). The Division is supervised by a Captain and a Lieutenant who focus on community outreach, education, and public safety.



SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER PROGRAM

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office employs sixteen School Resource Officers (SROs) assigned to provide law enforcement services at every public high school and middle school in Randolph County, Uwharrie Charter Academy, and Randolph Community College. In addition, they also assist with security and emergency law enforcement response to the elementary schools surrounding their assigned school. They are there to provide campus security, ensure the safety of students and staff, keep order, investigate crimes that occur on campus, educate students on the effects of illicit substances and law-related topics, and help students with issues that arise on and off-campus. Most importantly, all SRO's mentor students and act as role models for all students. During the summer months, School Resource Officers further their education, sharpen their law enforcement skills, and receive specialized law enforcement training by attending continuing education classes.

SROs are also assigned to other divisions such as Criminal Investigations, and Criminal Interdiction, for educational purposes. The training which SROs attend is generally focused on school-related issues and includes, but is not limited to; Threat Assessment for SROs, SRO Survival, Advanced SRO Training, SRO Ethics, and Police Canine in Public Schools. Other classes that SROs are required to attend include Police Law Institute, Child Abuse Investigations, and Drug Recognition Training. These classes are in addition to their annually required Firearms Qualifications and state-mandated In-Service Training. No other job in law enforcement affords a better opportunity to influence and have a positive impact on future generations than being a School Resource Officer. We salute our SROs for their continued dedication and commitment.



CHILD ABUSE REDUCTION EFFORT PROGRAM

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office has two full-time, sworn officers assigned to teach the CARE Program to all second-grade students in the county and city schools. CARE was founded in Randolph County in 1992 by former Sheriff Litchard Hurley to address child sex abuse in Randolph County.

The Randolph County and Asheboro City School Boards adopted the CARE Program as a part of the second-grade curriculum. The program is taught one day a week for 12-weeks in each classroom. The instruction teaches students how to recognize abuse, how to react to it, and what they should do if it happens to them or a friend. CARE Officers develop bonds of trust with their students, creating an atmosphere of openness and honesty.

The motto of the CARE Program is, "It is better to build a child than repair a broken man or woman."

**– Rep. Allen McNeill,
Former Chief Deputy, Randolph County Sheriff's Office.**

In 2021, a digital learning platform for virtual instruction was created because of Covid-19. This further progressed the CARE program in developing a virtual character that interacts with the CARE Officer while instructing. In addition, the CARE Program is creating a virtual Carey character, which will interact with students on smart boards in the classrooms in real-time. The virtual Carey character is expected to be revealed in the fall of 2022!



DRUG ABUSE RESISTANCE EDUCATION PROGRAM

The DARE Program has two full-time Officers that teach in elementary schools across the county. There are five SROs certified as DARE Instructors that help deliver the DARE Program at their feeder schools.

Since 1987, the Randolph County Sheriff's Office has been pleased to provide DARE instruction to all Randolph County fifth grade students. Project DARE is a cooperative effort between the Randolph County Sheriff's Office, the Randolph County Board of Education, Uwharrie Charter Academy, Fayetteville Street Christian School, and Faith Christian School. Project DARE is a program designed to teach the students how to "SAY NO" to illegal drugs and the pressures placed upon them by peers, based on reason rather than internal and external forces.

DARE teaches students how to weigh negative and positive consequences, how to build good self-esteem, recognize and deal with peer-type pressures, and much more. These are all very important factors that the students will face in future years that will surely have an influence on their life. We must not lose sight of our younger generation. As the saying goes, "Our young people of today will be our leaders of tomorrow."

In the fall of 2022, two more SROs are expected to obtain certification to instruct the DARE program.



JUNIOR SHERIFF'S ACADEMY

During the summer months, SROs are tasked with orchestrating and facilitating the Randolph County Junior Sheriff's Academy (JSA). Historically, the Sheriff's Office hosts three, one-week sessions of the Junior Sheriff's Academy each summer. Each JSA camp hosts an average of 24 male and female middle school and high school students, between the ages of 12 and 15, interested in public service (law enforcement, fire, EMS, or military service). JSA Cadets must be residents of Randolph County and be of good moral character, have good behavior, and must be willing to face their fears and try new things.

The JSA curriculum focuses on teamwork exercises, self-discipline, motivation, and leadership. Cadets are introduced to crime scene investigations, K-9 and SWAT demonstrations, search and rescue, water rescue, rappelling, CPR, basic firefighting skills, and much, much more. However, most importantly, SROs, firefighters, and emergency services personnel, establish mentor relationships with cadets. Cadets learn through this program how to become peer mentors to others and the personal satisfaction of serving their community.

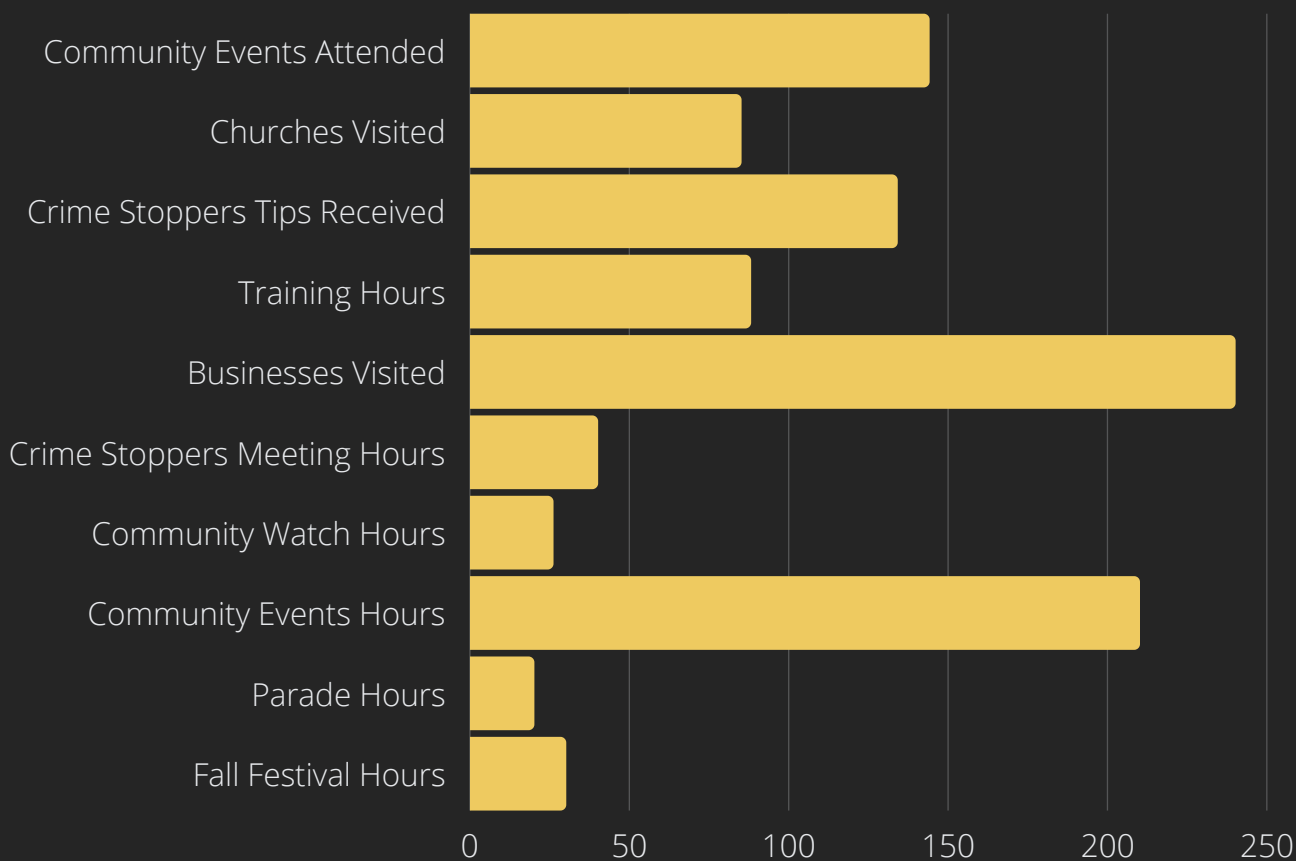
In 2021, the Randolph County Sheriff's Office introduced an additional one-day Junior Sheriff's Academy for Special Needs Students. Twelve students and their caretakers attended the event that included an Honorary Deputy Swearing-In Ceremony, Bearcat show-and-tell, robot demonstration, Mobile Command Post-tour, demonstrations by the Asheboro Fire Department and NC State Highway Patrol helicopter. All cadets were recognized by the SROs and the Sheriff's Office Command Staff for their participation and attendance. More importantly, the SROs were afforded one-on-one time with their Special Needs students to establish mentor relationships and speak with caretakers to better serve those students.



COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Community Outreach Program is operated by one sworn deputy who facilitates community-based programs for the Sheriff's Office by attending community events, conducting site security inspections, teaching awareness programs to citizens, and hosting community meetings as requested. The Randolph County Sheriff's Office is committed to building relationships with citizens and earning trust from our community through communication and collaboration.

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office provides church security training, helps coordinate neighborhood watch meetings, and manages the citizen well-check program and other community outreach programs. Sheriff Seabolt and his deputies love to meet and interact with citizens. The community is encouraged to contact the Sheriff's Office with information, concerns, and needs in their communities. Deputies are encouraged to take part in community events and solicit citizen feedback, which helps the Sheriff's Office better serve the community.



CHURCH SECURITY TRAINING

There are nearly 400 places of worship in Randolph County. Over the last several years, places of worship have been the target of violent, life-changing acts. The Randolph County Sheriff's Office offers security training and advisement to our places of worship to help prevent and deter violent acts.

This training uses scenarios and discussion to encourage ideas on protection. North Carolina laws, such as the use of deadly force, are presented and discussed. A walk-through survey of the church is conducted and we discuss areas of easy access and other points within the church. Recommendations are given on target hardening recommendations. The training is free to any place of worship.



COMMUNITY SURVEILLANCE PARTNER



"I hope that all citizens with surveillance cameras will choose to serve the community by participating in this very simple and nearly effortless way."

- Sheriff Gregory J. Seabolt

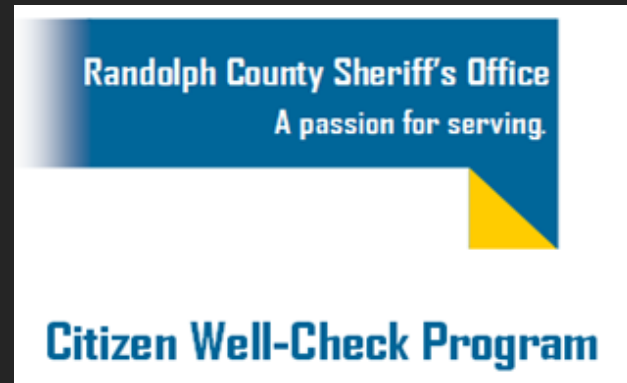
In 2021, Sheriff Seabolt and his Command Staff created a new program called the Community Surveillance Partner Program. This program allows citizens to register their home or business surveillance system with the Sheriff's Office. This information is put into a secure database that deputies and other law enforcement can utilize. When a crime is committed, law enforcement can access the database and determine who has cameras in the area.

Law enforcement then reaches out to those individuals and requests to view the footage. This program does not give law enforcement access to anyone's surveillance system, it simply lets us know who may have surveillance in the area. This collaboration with citizens helps law enforcement quickly find surveillance that helps identify perpetrators of crimes, thereby saving valuable manpower, and preventing suspects from committing additional crimes.

CITIZEN WELL-CHECK PROGRAM

The citizens of Randolph County are very valuable to us. We recognize that some elders in our community may need someone to check on them occasionally. The Citizen Well-Check Program does just that. The program is FREE. Seniors enrolled in the program receive an automated call at the same time each day, three days a week. The automated call has a prerecorded message. The citizen simply confirms receipt of the message by pressing a key.

In the event the call is not answered or acknowledged, a second call is placed one hour later. If the second call is not answered, a third call will be made one hour after the second call. If the third call is not answered, a call will be placed to whoever has been designated as a contact person. In the event the contact person cannot be reached, a deputy will be dispatched to the residence to check on the citizen. This program helps to give our senior population and their families some peace of mind.



COMMUNITY WATCH



The Randolph County Sheriff's Office facilitates a Community Watch Program. A deputy will come out to your neighborhood meeting and discuss what a community watch means and how to start a program. Information is provided to homeowners on how to secure their residence, what type of suspicious activity to look for, and the options available when an issue arises. Information and complaints gathered at the community watch meetings are brought back, processed, and delivered to the right division for follow-up and investigation.

CRIME STOPPERS



Randolph County Crime Stoppers is an effective and proven, crime-fighting tool. Crime Stoppers uses information furnished by citizens to reduce crime through an expanded and stronger relationship between the community, police, and media.

The Sheriff's Office works closely with Crime Stoppers. Crime Stoppers pays out cash rewards of up to \$5000.00 for information that leads to the arrests and convictions. Our partnership with Crime Stoppers helps solve crimes and keep our communities safer.

RANDOLPH COUNTY CITIZENS ACADEMY

The Citizens Academy presents and exposes participants to various topics and demonstrations similar to what Sheriff's Deputies receive. Through this program, the Sheriff's Office provides a broad educational experience within the mission of the Sheriff's Office, and the requirements of the law to which deputies must conform while carrying out their prescribed duties. The academy comprises nine sessions, meeting once a week.

Citizens who attend the academy can make more informed judgments about the Sheriff's Office and law enforcement activities. Additionally, the Sheriff's Office can increase its awareness of feelings and concerns of the community, as expressed by attending citizens. During these meetings, citizens and Sheriff's representatives have opportunities to discuss misconceptions harbored by both parties. Through open discussion, a more harmonious climate for relationships is achieved.



VOLUNTEER SHERIFF'S SERVICE OFFICERS



Sheriff Seabolt recognized that our citizens have a lot to offer. We recognize that our citizens want to get involved with their Sheriff's Office and as a result, the Volunteer Sheriff's Services Officer Program was born. This program provides a variety of support functions to the Sheriff's Office and citizens of Randolph County. Volunteers complete duties such as scanning and entering information, answering phones, assisting with fleet maintenance, and logistical support.

Currently, we have four active volunteers who work hundreds of hours per month at no cost to the taxpayers. These volunteers free up staff to concentrate on other duties. All volunteers are at least 21 years old and complete an application process comprising an extensive background check and interview. Volunteers are also required to complete the Citizens Academy.

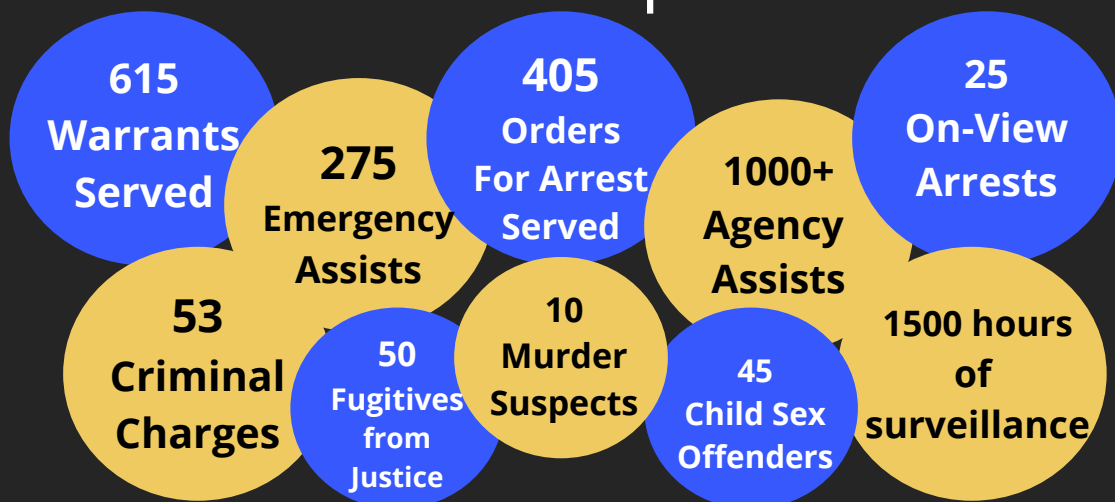
CRIMINAL APPREHENSION TEAM



The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Criminal Apprehension Team (CAT) was established in June 2019. The team consists of four full-time sworn deputies, including one Sergeant. This team is highly pro-active and specializes in the apprehension of violent criminals and wanted fugitives. The members of the Criminal Apprehension Team have received extensive, specialized training on state and federal levels to locate and apprehend wanted fugitives, as well as other wanted individuals in Randolph County.

Because of their specialized training, the team routinely assists other agencies in locating wanted fugitives in other counties and states. CAT often follows leads outside of Randolph County in order to apprehend wanted individuals that have fled to other counties on felony charges committed inside of Randolph County. CAT also works closely with other Randolph County agencies, in addition to state and federal agencies.

Since Inception:



The apprehension of violent criminals is the team's primary focus, as these criminals are high risk to the safety and wellbeing of Randolph County citizens.

The goal of the Criminal Apprehension Team is to apprehend violent criminals that are at a greater risk to public safety in order to better protect the citizens of Randolph County and help to aid in a proactive approach to crime suppression.

DETENTION DIVISION

The Detention Division is operated by the Jail Administrator/Major, Administrative Assistant, Administrative Captain, and Operations Captain. Detention Detective, Working Inmate Supervisor, Maintenance, Court Transportation, Statewide Transportation, Electronic House Arrest, Commissary Services/Inmate Account Officer, a Medical/Mental Health Rover and a COVID Protocol Coordinator. The Major, whose primary responsibility is to function as the Jail Administrator, commands the Randolph County Detention Center. There are two divisions in the detention center.

- Operations Division
- Administration Division



The Administrative Captain provides general management, direction, and supervision of administrative duties to include, but not limited to:

- Personnel
- Training and Records Division
- Maintenance Division
- Commissary
- Food Services
- Medical and Mental Health Services
- Electronic House Arrest Division
- Transportation Division
- Program Services
- Religious Services
- Inmate Work Assignments
- Detention Center Investigations

The Operations Captain provides management and supervision of inmate services including, but not limited to:

- Admissions and Release
- Classification
- Security and Supervision
- Inmate Rules and Discipline
- Management of Special Needs inmates
- Legal Rights of Inmates
- Access to Legal Assistance/Materials
- Grievance Procedures
- Visitation and Mail Policies
- Sanitation
- Emergency plans



The impact of COVID added managing housing for offenders who tested positive for COVID or who were showing signs or symptoms. The Captain works closely with the Randolph County Health Department and Mediko nursing staff, to ensure all safety measures and protocols are taken.

RECORDS AND TRAINING DIVISION

The Records and Training Division comprises two officers who maintain and update jail records in addition to coordinating In-Service training for all non-sworn detention officers. In 2021, to prepare for transitioning into new Jail Software, both officers worked closely with IT for input and coordinating training for jail staff.

6,534

Training Hours

12

Fugitive/Governors
Warrants

650

DCI Checks-
Criminal Histories

DETENTION SHIFTS/TEAMS

3,472

Releases

215.55

Average Daily
Count

3,466

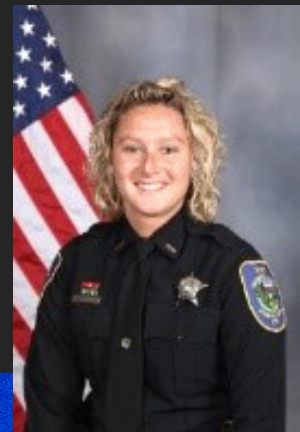
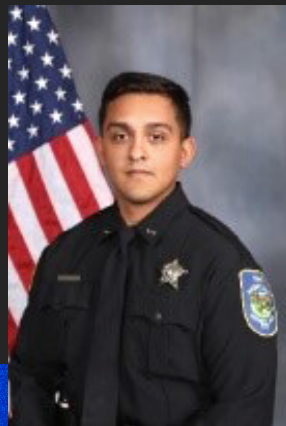
Bookings

There are four Detention Shift Teams, each comprised of the following: Lieutenant, Sergeant, and Corporal, with 15 officer positions. Each team consists of Sworn and Detention Certified Officers. Teams handle the safety, security, and supervision of detainees in the Randolph County Detention Center, to safeguard the community, the lives of the staff, inmates, and visitors on the premises. Teams work either permanent day or night, 12-hour shifts. Shift duty assignments consist of:

- Booking Corporal
- Booking/Pre-Booking/Property Officer
- Central Control/Master Control
- G Pod
- J and K Pod
- L and M Pod
- N Pod
- H Pod
- Rover

STATEWIDE AND COURT TRANSPORTATION

Transportation consists of six sworn officers with one supervising Sergeant. Statewide Transportation Deputies transport inmates to prisons and other jails all over the state, as well as picking up inmates from other jails; they transport between three and four hundred inmates each month. Court Transportation Deputies ensure that inmates and their paperwork are transported to and from the courthouse daily.



BY THE NUMBERS

1,216

Inmates
Transferred to
Other Facilities

2,388

Inmates
Transferred To
and From Court

119

Piedmont
Correctional
Transfers

48

NC Correctional
Institute for
Women

325

Guilford County
Transfers

93

Davidson County
Transfers

42

Chatham County
Transfers

14

Samspon County
Transfers

18

Central Prison
Transfers

11,520

Regular Hours Worked

198.55

Overtime Hours Worked

150,372

Mileage

MAINTENANCE

The Maintenance Division consists of three officers with one Maintenance Supervisor. Maintenance maintains control of all facility tools while maintaining safe, efficient, and sanitary operations of the Detention Center. In 2021, the maintenance supervisor worked closely with Bordeaux Construction to ensure the recent addition was ready for transitioning inmates into that space.

Maintenance must comply with all local and state building codes to ensure all life-safety systems, such as fire alarm systems and fire suppression systems, are in place and functional. Officers maintain an on-call schedule for any emergencies that may arise or during inclement weather.



COMMISSARY SERVICES/INMATE ACCOUNTS

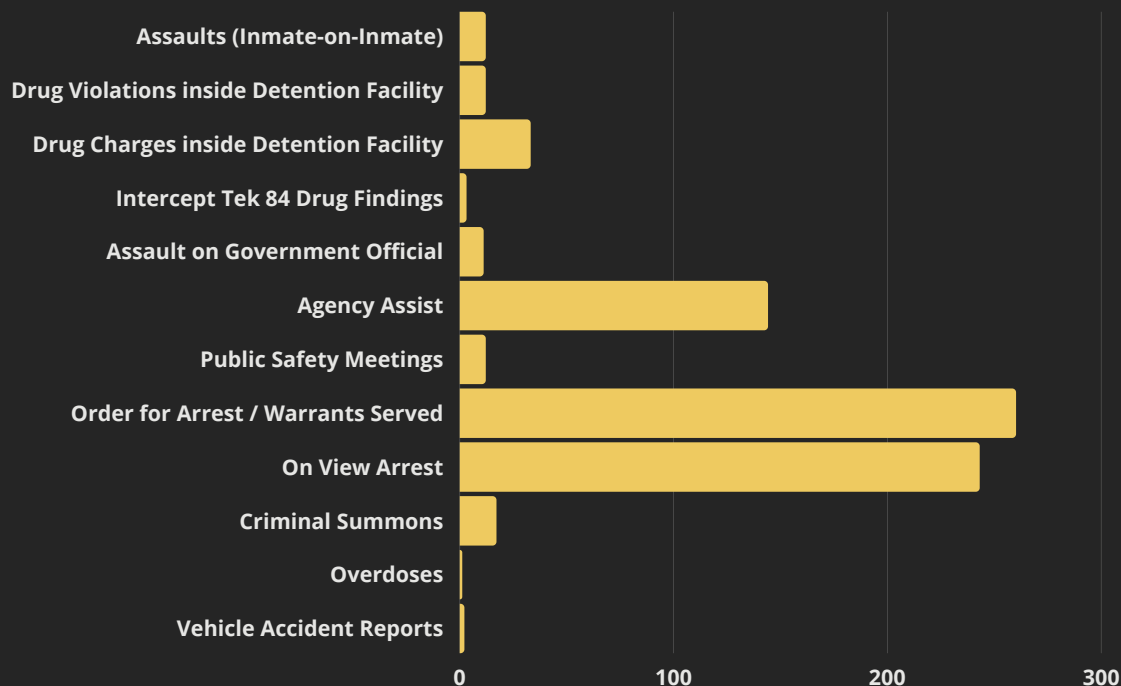
One officer manages inmate commissary services, inmate accounts and mail. The Commissary Officer keeps records of all transactions of commissary purchases as well as handling all accounting and record keeping.

In addition to commissary services, they handle all incoming and outgoing mail.



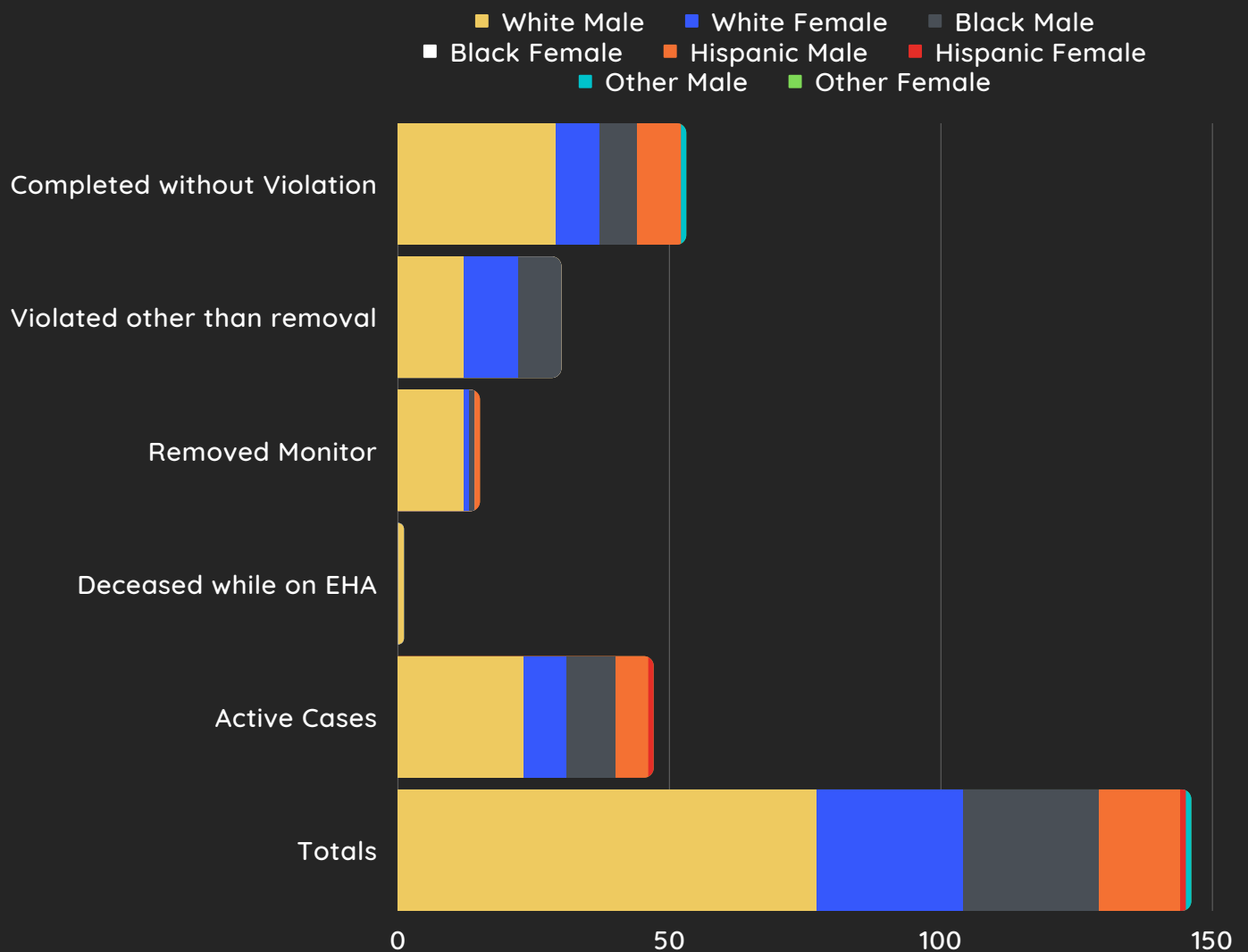
DETENTION INVESTIGATOR

The Detention Center has one full time detective that serves warrants on persons confined in the facility; investigates criminal acts committed by inmates; handles contraband found in the jail, such as drugs and weapons; assists the Criminal Investigations and Vice Divisions on investigations involving persons in confinement; charges inmates who are involved in inmate-on-inmate altercations that result in physical injury; assists in transportation of inmates outside the facility as needed.



ELECTRONIC HOUSE ARREST

The Electronic House Arrest Division consists of three sworn officers with one supervising Sergeant. EHA Officers handle all aspects of supervision of offenders assigned EHA by the courts. They install and remove electronic monitoring equipment; investigate violations; manage monitoring devices; maintain offender files and records; network with local law enforcement, other court staff, and probation/parole departments. Each officer is on call for a week at a time for any emergencies or violations that may arise.

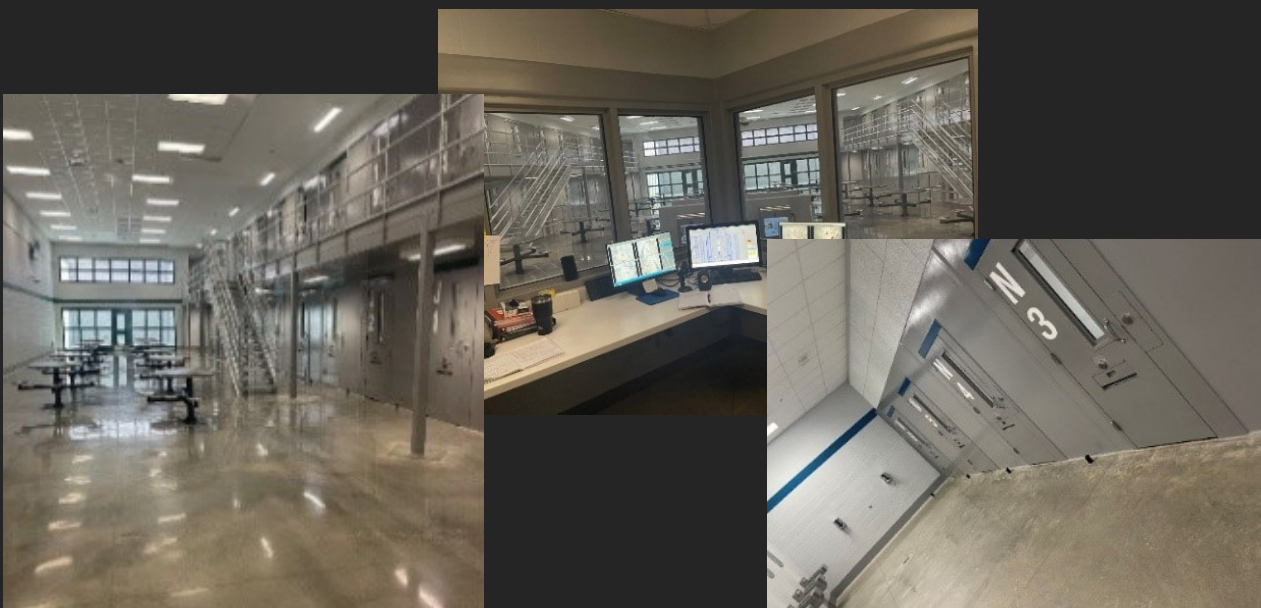


JAIL EXPANSION

In 2021, the Randolph County Detention Center opened a new addition to the jail and closed three of the four existing housing units for remodeling. The expansion consists of five new housing units that increased capacity by 195. Pods added were:

- J Pod - 23 double bunk cells, 1 single handicapped
- K Pod - 23 double bunk cells, 1 single handicapped
- L Pod - 23 double bunk cells, 1 single handicapped
- M Pod - 40-bed dormitory
- N Pod - 20-bed dormitory with six single cells(Special Populations Unit)

Male inmates transitioned into the new addition in 2021. Male inmates housed in booking rehoused to N-Pod. The renovations to the pre-existing pods' EA, EB, EC, D, F, G, the kitchen, laundry facility, and booking area are expected to be completed in the spring of 2023.



COVID PROTOCOL COORDINATOR

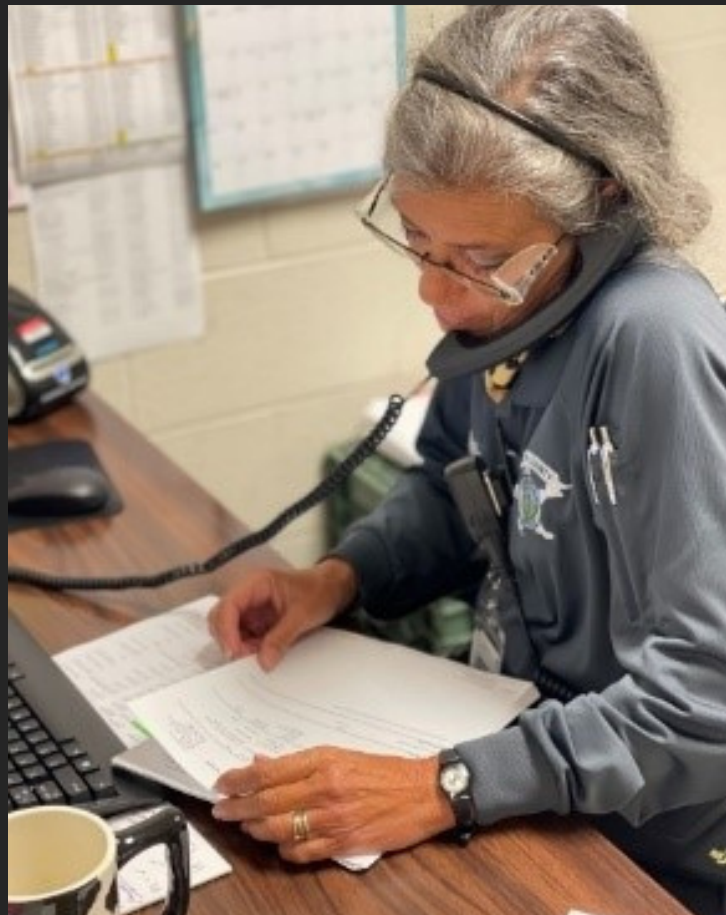
One full-time, detention-certified Sergeant is assigned as the COVID Protocol Coordinator. She works closely with medical staff and the Randolph County Health Department; keeps up with all positive and negative COVID cases; maintains records of all testing for inmates and employees.

172

Inmate Positive Cases

37

Employee Positive Cases



CIVIL DIVISION

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Civil Division serves all Civil Process papers within Randolph County. The Civil Division has 12 full-time employees; a Captain, Lieutenant, Sergeant, two Corporals, six deputies, and a clerk. The Captain and Lieutenant handle the daily activities of the Civil Division. The Clerk is an civilian position, responsible for entering and tracking all civil processes which are divided into four groups:

·Process Service

The Sergeant and three Deputies cover service of Subpoenas, Civil Summons, and Magistrate Summons, Orders to Show Cause, Juvenile Summons, Juvenile Orders, Child Custody Orders, and Serving Involuntary Commitments. Transporting of Involuntary Commitments out of the county is shared by all civil deputies.

·Execution of Writs (enforcement of court orders)

The enforcement of court orders are handled by one Corporal and one Deputy. They handle the enforcement of judgments through Evictions, Collection of Taxes, Money Owed, both Real and Personal Property, by seizing and returning the property to its rightful owner, or by seizing and selling real and personal property for repayment of debt.

·Domestic Violence Enforcement

One Deputy covers the service and enforcement of Chapter 50-B (Domestic Violence Protective Orders) and 50-C Orders (Non-Contact Order). In some orders, weapons must be seized, children are removed from parental custody, and/or the defendant is temporarily removed from his or her residence.

·Child Support Enforcement

A Corporal and one Deputy serve all Establishment Summons, Orders to Show Cause, and arrest defendants who fail to appear in Child Support Court, (Civil Orders for Arrest). These deputies work closely with the Randolph County Child Support Enforcement Agency caseworkers.

In 2021

RCSO Civil Division handled...

18,051

Processes

\$223,272.49

Writs of Execution

\$69,090

Service Fees

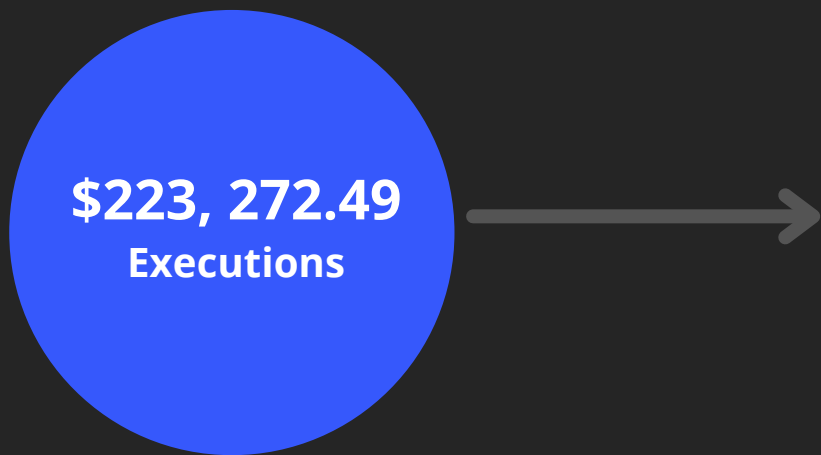
288,173

Miles Driven

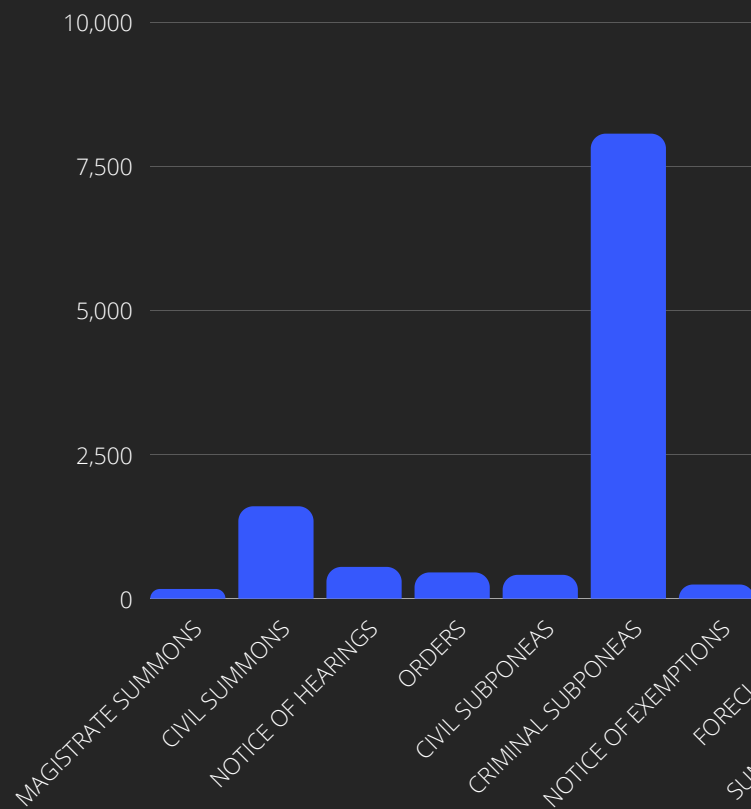
Civil Deputies handle many different types of legal processes, some of which are extremely complex orders. Each Civil Deputy is required to attend training and schools each year to further their knowledge in the service of these processes.

BY THE

RCSO Civil

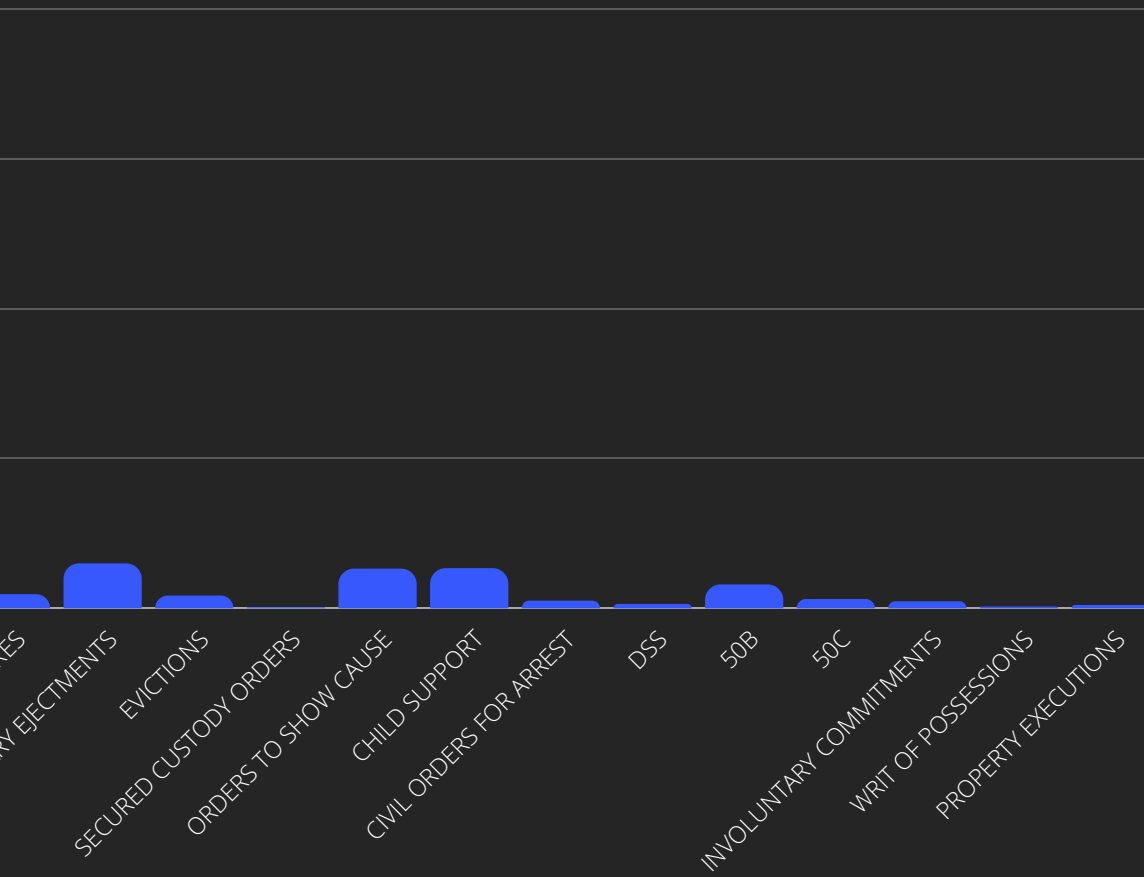
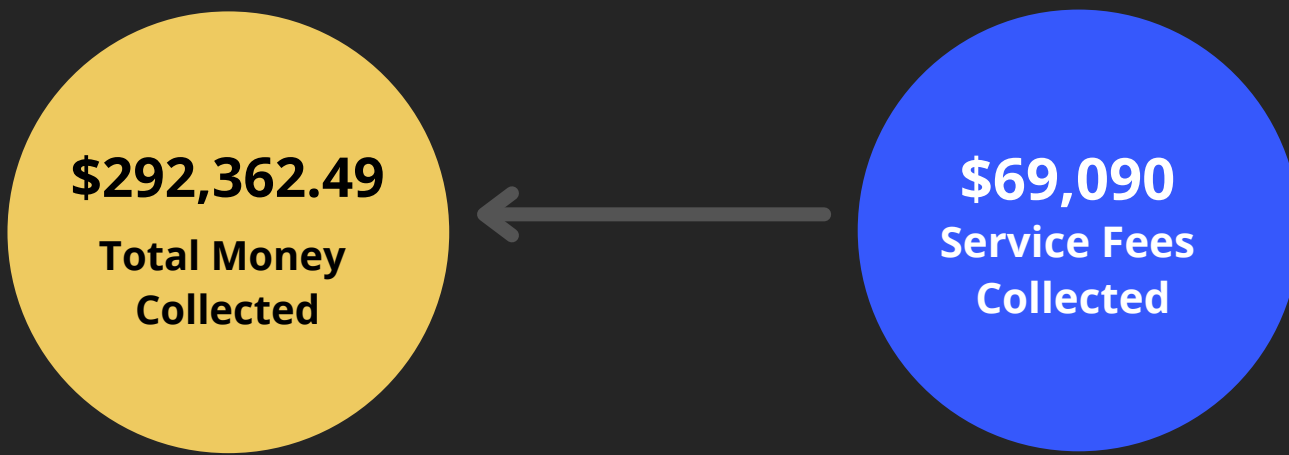


Total Papers Served	14,845
Turned over to other agency	65
Total Papers Unserved	3,021
Recalled Returned to Court	120



NUMBERS

Division 2021 Yearly Totals...

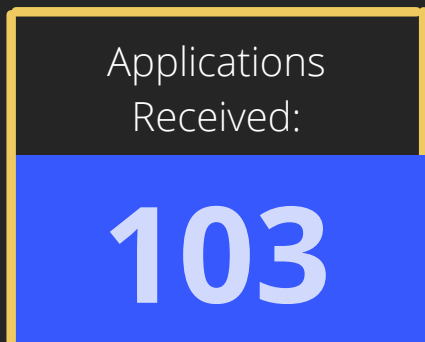


ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

The RCSO Administrative Services Division consists of the Personnel & Training Unit, Evidence Control Unit, Records Unit, and Permitting Unit. The units are made up of 14 RCSO staff members, consisting of 10 sworn deputies and four civilians.



PERSONNEL & TRAINING UNIT



The Randolph County Sheriff’s Office Personnel and Training Unit handles all applicant background investigations, personnel training, and documentation, ensuring compliance with all requirements as set forth by the North Carolina Sheriff’s Education and Training Standards Division, and maintaining and issuing uniforms and equipment.

In 2021, the Personnel and Training Unit added a full-time Training Coordinator to handle training schedules, while the second member focuses on the recruitment and hiring of staff members.

This Unit maintains certified training records for the office; they ensure officers are properly registered for specialized training, and ensure compliance with mandatory annual training as set forth by the NC Sheriff’s Education and Training Standards Commission. Deputies and Detention Officers are mandated to attend a prescribed number of hours of training each year to maintain their certification.

The Randolph County Sheriff’s Office collaborates with Randolph Community College to offer local training. The training is taught by certified instructors from within the agency. Deputies also request and are encouraged to attend additional, specialized training, throughout the year to develop new skills or improve their current skill set.

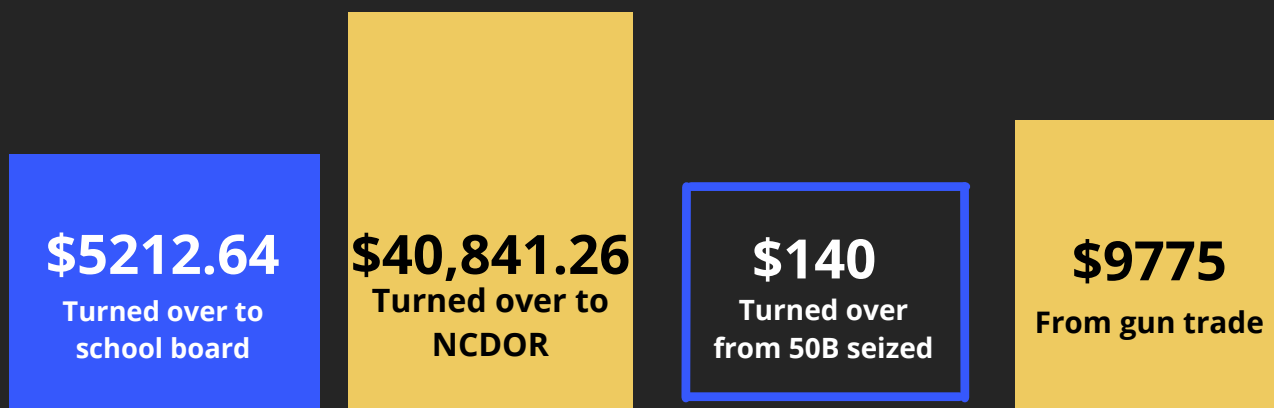


EVIDENCE CONTROL UNIT

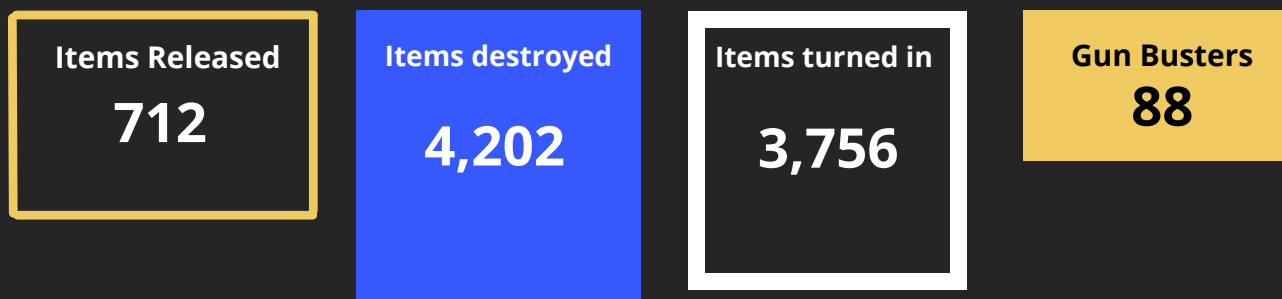
The Evidence Control Unit is responsible for receiving, storing, and preserving evidence collected relative to investigations within our jurisdiction. The Evidence Control Unit is managed and operated by two sworn deputies. Each year, Evidence Control takes in several thousand found, seized, surrendered, or recovered items.

Additional duties include, but are not limited to:

- **Completing state lab evidence processing requests**
- **Assisting citizens with the return of property**
- **Transferring and disposing of property and evidence at outside facilities**
- **Processing narcotics for disposal**
- **Processing firearms for release, trade, or disposal**
- **Processing an auction**
- **Receiving, storing, and disposing of bicycles and motorized vehicles**
- **Reviewing criminal history background checks to determine the appropriate release of firearms**
- **Determining rightful ownership of seized firearms**
- **Conducting inventory audits**
- **Transporting evidence to and from the NC Crime Lab and the DNA lab in Raleigh**
- **Testifying in court regarding the chain-of-custody of evidence**



2021 STATISTICS FOR EVIDENCE CONTROL



In 2022, the Evidence Control Unit looks to continue its hard work with the Randolph County District Attorney's Office, to complete court orders to return property to its rightful owners. The Evidence Control unit also seeks to expand its storage area to meet the needs of the county.

RECORDS UNIT

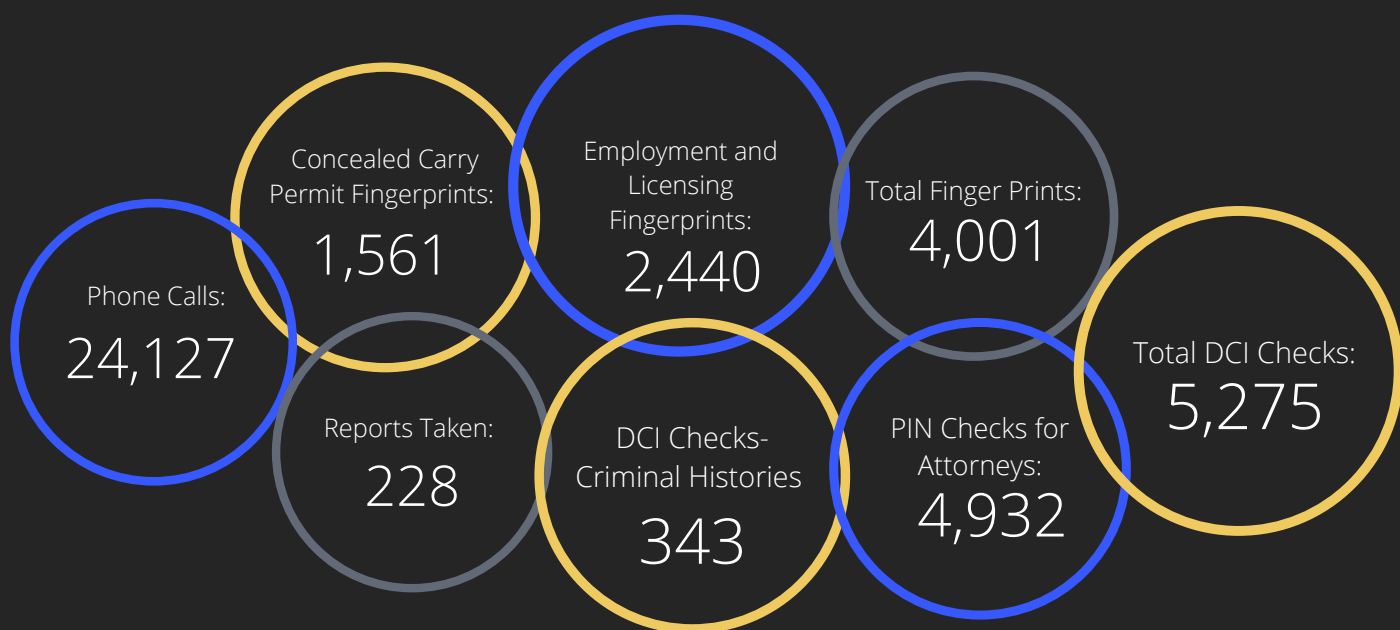
The Records Unit consists of five sworn officers and one civilian dedicated to assisting the citizens of Randolph County when they call or come into the office. The Records Unit has a deputy assigned to the Archdale office to assist citizens, as well. The Records Unit is responsible for processing, maintaining, and managing reports, citations, and other documents for the Sheriff's Office. The RCSO Records Unit looks forward to serving the citizens of Randolph County in 2022.



When a citizen calls or comes to the Randolph County Sheriff’s Office, the first person encountered is a Desk Officer. Desk Officers are the face of the Sheriff’s Office; the first impression they make on citizens greatly affects that citizen’s perception of the Randolph County Sheriff’s Office.

There are currently two sworn deputies assigned to the front desk who provide services and assist citizens with a helpful, friendly, and professional attitude. Desk Officers can answer a wide array of questions over the phone, and provide services, such as serving criminal summons, taking reports, or completing supplements to crimes already reported, and serving subpoenas.

In the event a Desk Officer cannot assist the citizen, the Desk Officer can direct them to the citizen to the appropriate division for assistance. On average, our Desk Officers answer 90-110 calls a day at the Sheriff’s Office. In many situations, Desk Officers can resolve non-emergency issues over the phone, therefore allowing deputies to remain available for emergency call response. Desk Officers can also take reports at the Sheriff’s Office if a citizen does not want a deputy dispatched to their residence. The Records Unit is also responsible for fingerprinting citizens for a variety of reasons. These include Concealed Carry Permits for teachers and daycare workers, professional licensing (nursing, insurance, pharmacy board, and more.)



PERMITTING UNIT

The Permitting Unit consists of three civilian staff members that process all handgun purchases and concealed carry permits. This is a very busy unit within the Sheriff's Office; they receive assistance from the Records Unit as needed.

Permitting takes applications online, through the Permittum website, as well as in person at both office locations.

3,827

**Concealed Carry
Permits Issued**

5,925

**Purchase Permits
Issued**



**NEW Concealed Handgun
Permit**



**RENEW Concealed Handgun
Permit**



**Duplicate Concealed Permit
Application (Randolph County
Issued Permits Only)**



**Address Change Concealed
Permit Application (Randolph
County Issued Permits Only)**

SUPPORT SERVICES

Support Services consists of Randolph County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard, Sheriff's Emergency Response Team, Disaster Assistance Response Team, Fleet Maintenance Operations, and Chaplain services. All units in this group work tirelessly to support Randolph County citizens and beyond, as well as our officers.



HONOR GUARD



The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard is a specialized team of deputy volunteers employed by the Sheriff's Office. Honor Guard assignments are typically ceremonial in nature. These assignments can include but are not limited to, funerals, graduations, community events, and parades. Members of the Sheriff's Office Honor Guard are selected based on the candidate's excellent decorum, professionalism, discipline and, excellent standing with the agency.

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard was unofficially formed following the untimely, line-of-duty death of Deputy Toney Summey on the 27th day of April in the year 2003. Following Deputy Summey's death, several deputies volunteered to assist with the ceremonial duties of honoring their fallen comrade. Following this incident, it was apparent to former Sheriff Litchard Hurley that there was a need for a professionally trained team of deputies that could conduct these ceremonial duties when needed.

In 2005, the first six Randolph County deputies graduated from a mandated training course for Honor Guard duties and procedures. This marked the official beginning of the Randolph County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard.





The Randolph County Honor Guard Unit consists of five sworn deputies. Although that number is low, the five members we have are a strong core group of committed men and women that continuously give up time away from their families to serve this agency and our communities. I look forward to what the new year will bring to our unit.



-Detective Nathan Small, Team Leader

**2021
Accomplishments:**

The RCSO Honor Guard Unit attended 2 funerals, 3 flag ceremonies, and 8 parades in 2021.

**2022
Goals:**

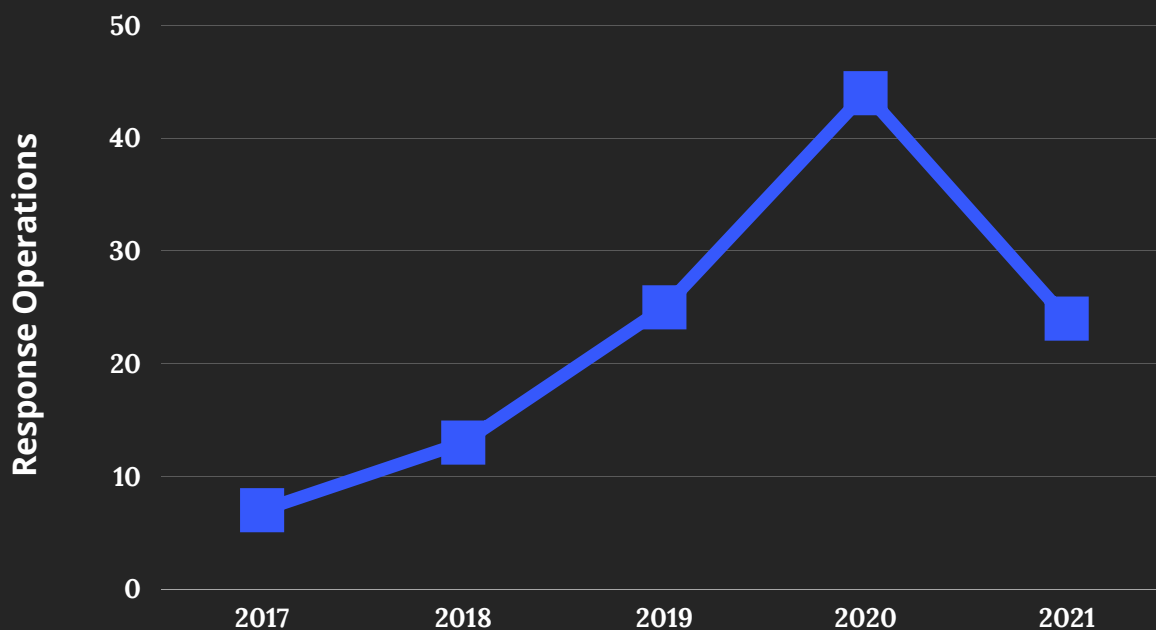
In 2022 the RCSO Honor Guard Unit seeks to expand its membership. The unit also plans to attend a formal week-long training that sharpens the fundamentals of drill and ceremony.

SHERIFF'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

In 2021, The Sheriff's Emergency Response Team (SERT) combined with the (Intra-County Team with Archdale Police Department), was activated for several different types of operations; including Barricaded Subjects, Civil Unrest (some outside Randolph County), and High-Risk Search Warrants. This report outlines the team's usage, training, new programs implemented, equipment, and future programs for the year 2022.



5 Year Operations Snapshot



The Sheriff's Emergency Response Team is comprised of 14 volunteers from the Randolph County Sheriff's Office and 4 volunteers from the Archdale Police Department. (Randolph County SERT is full at 15 RCSO members + Team Commander). The team responded to a total of 24 operations and/or call-outs in 2021. This is fewer operations when compared to the previous year, whereas in 2020 the team responded to 44 operations and/or call-outs.

This is mainly a result of fewer "Agency Assist" operations, which were directly related to civil unrest. In 2021, Randolph County SERT was deployed to Elizabeth City to assist the Pasquotank County Sheriff's Office with much-needed manpower, after a civil unrest matter related to a tactical operation, which resulted in an officer-involved shooting and defendant death. This specific operation utilized four members of the Randolph County SERT and four members from Randolph County DART for approximately five consecutive days.

In 2021, SERT responded to 9 Agency Assist calls for service, which included barricades, other jurisdiction search warrants, and instances of civil unrest. The team responded to 15 threat assessed/categorized High-Risk Search Warrants in Randolph County. The team assisted several agencies, including the State Bureau of Investigations and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, with critical incidents.

Besides responding to “Operations”, the Randolph County SERT is also tasked with attending public demonstrations throughout the year. In 2021, the team attended 10 demos consisting of church events, RSCO Citizens Academy, Randolph Leadership, Fire Department Camp, and RSCO Junior Sheriff’s Academy. This figure does not include events where the “Bearcat”, rescue armored vehicle is solely used – such as parades and other public events.

10
Demos attended



Honorary Deputy Benjamin



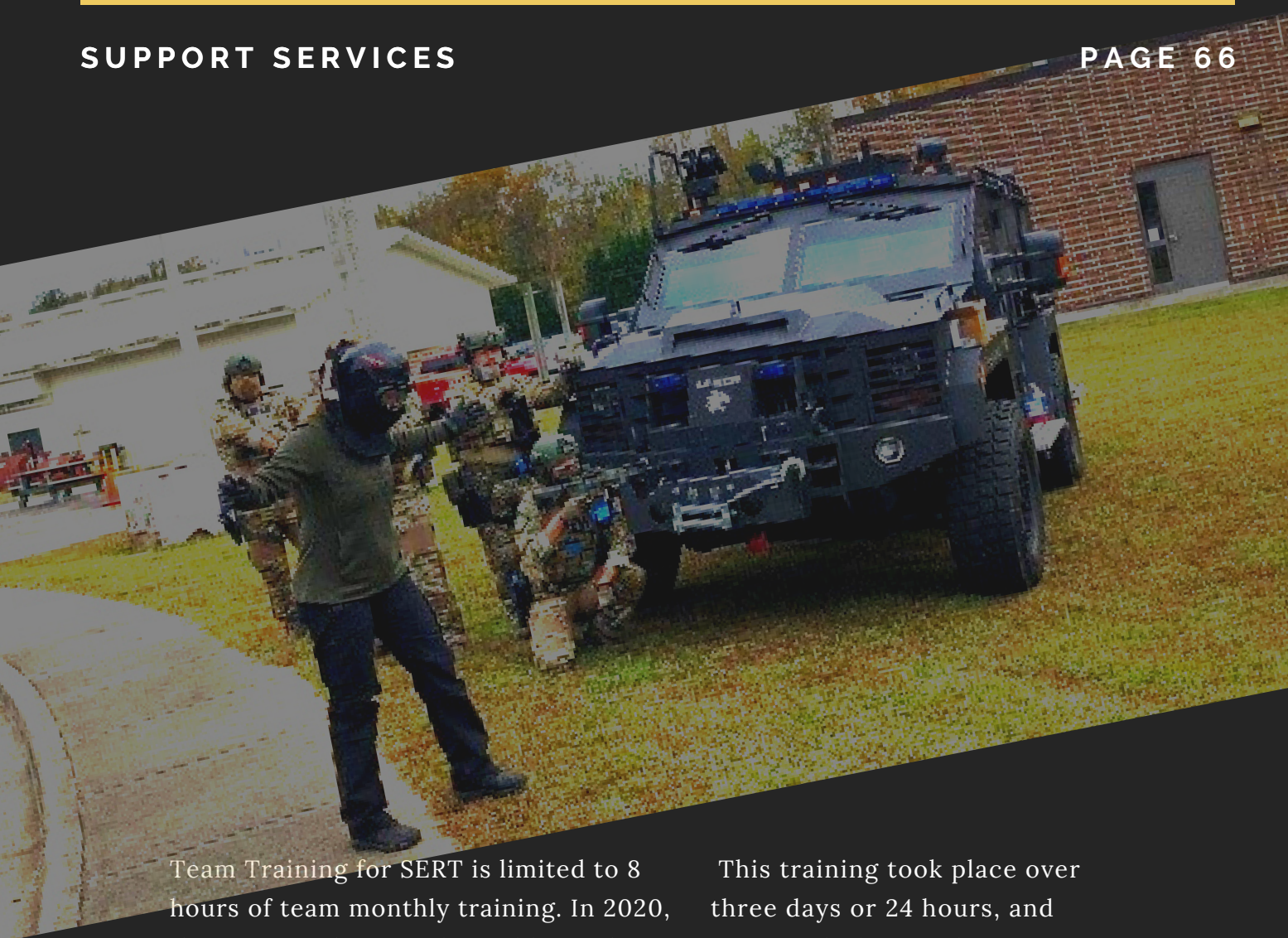
Hotdogs with the Sheriff



2021 Junior Sheriff’s Academy



2021 Veterans Day Parade



Team Training for SERT is limited to 8 hours of team monthly training. In 2020, the team implemented an additional 4 hours monthly training of Open-Range time where team members and other attending deputies who aspire to become SERT Operators, will work on firearms skill development, combat fitness, and specific tasks. In 2021, SERT members accounted for a combined 1,600 hours of team training. New for 2021, SERT partnered with the Archdale Police Department, High Point Police Department, and Randolph Community College to host a “Crisis Rescue” class, otherwise known as hostage rescue, which was tailored to our teams' tactics and negotiation systems.

This training took place over three days or 24 hours, and consisted of 12 total SERT members, comprised of 10 from Randolph and 2 from the Archdale Police Department. Of note, this course of instruction challenged our team to work through tactical planning during compressed time frames, under high stress, negotiations, and the successful resolution of the scenario and/or a hostage rescue. Because of the collaborative efforts, Randolph County received this training for \$3,400.00, when it would have otherwise cost \$7,500.00 to host the training alone.

DISASTER RESPONSE

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office Disaster Assistance Response Team, referred to as DART, is a volunteer group of 14 sworn deputies from various divisions of the Sheriff's Office that each bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to the team.

Each team member has training and experience in search and rescue, tactical man-tracking, land navigation, emergency first-aid, surveillance, and many other areas of specialized training that have prepared them to help, serve, and protect the citizens of Randolph County in a variety of disaster situations.

The Randolph County Sheriff's Office is one of only three law enforcement agencies in North Carolina to have sworn officers with this level of training, formally certified and prepared to provide disaster relief and assistance to Randolph County, as well as other areas of the state or country upon request. DART members are prepared to respond to disasters such as bomb explosions, terrorism, and arson, as well as natural disasters such as hurricanes, floods, tornadoes, and fires.



A strong law enforcement presence in any of these situations helps ease fears, and prevent others from exploiting communities during times of disaster. These deputies are poised to go house to house searching for the injured, to recover bodies, or identify those who need assistance. DART members can offer transportation, emergency medical care and act as a liaison between citizens and rescue personnel.

ASSISTANCE SE TEAM



In disaster areas, the team will set up a security perimeter to restrict persons from unsafe areas. This team warns people when any other emergency may become an immediate threat to safety and welfare.

Many disasters cause failures in infrastructures, such as electricity and water systems, and unsafe travel conditions for automobiles and pedestrians.

The team can help with obtaining resources, and re-supply stranded citizens until they can be properly and safely evacuated from disaster areas.

DART members will close unsafe roads where downed wires, trees, or flood situations might make travel unsafe. Disaster situations often lead to family members being separated. Elderly and those living alone are at higher risk if they have no one to check on them.

If these citizens are unaware of what the current situations are around them, problems may result. DART members can set up search teams and put together systems where loved ones can check in.

The DART can set up reunification centers where victims and families can meet during and after disasters. They are trained to work with emergency personnel to list the various medical facilities used for treating sick or injured people.

When people are evacuated from homes or neighborhoods, houses are unsupervised and opportunities to commit crime may be rampant; leaving them susceptible to those who take advantage of a chaotic situation. Law enforcement presence deters looting, vandalism, and theft. .

If looting occurs, DART members are prepared to investigate and apprehend suspects. Most of all, DART members are deployed to restore peace and order to communities amid traumatic events.

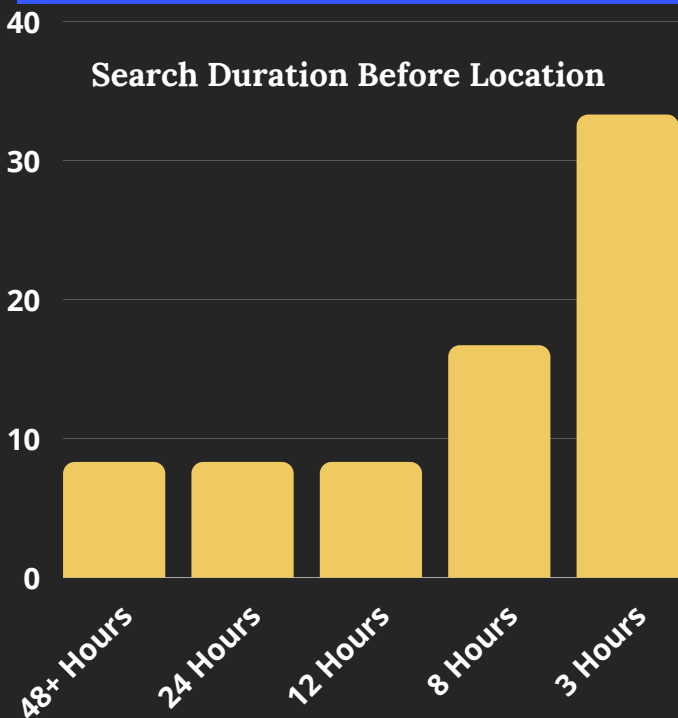
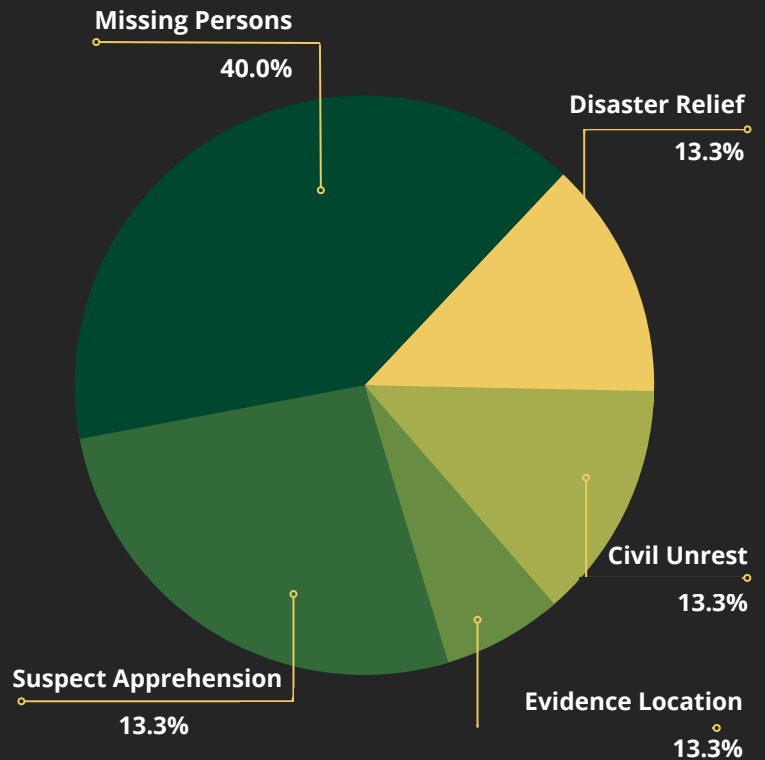
The DART was previously deployed to aid the Scotland and New Hanover County Sheriff's Offices in various disasters and searches; the DART unit was utilized in the search and location of the plane crash in Randolph County and maintained scene security during the investigation. They recently assisted Richmond County with locating a missing person. Members are regularly used by the Sheriff's Office when searching for evidence in homicide cases, attempting to locate missing persons, and providing security and surveillance during public protests and events, fugitive apprehension in woodland settings, and woodland surveillance.

All DART members went through the NC state emergency management land search and survival certification. This makes the Randolph County Sheriff's Office the only law enforcement agency in NC with a fully certified team. In 2022 Team members will also be attending NC Mountain Cold weather Survival training with woodland surveillance, and woodland apprehension techniques. This team trains monthly to prepare for any situation or scenario that could occur in North Carolina, from the mountains to the beaches. This unit is devoted to helping every citizen in their darkest hour, and locating the lost or those on the run.



2021 Missions

- Hurricane Florence - 14-day deployment, Scotland and New Hanover Counties
- Randolph County Plane Crash - Located, Deceased
- Randolph County Randleman/Liberty Tornado 2020
- 2nd Amendment Protests - Randolph County Courthouse
- Lake Lucas Suspicious Object - No Items Located
- Burkhead Mtn. Lost Female Hiker - Located, Safe
- Spencer Rd. Lost Elderly Female - Located, Safe
- Gun Shot Suspect - Located, Arrested
- Whites Chapel Missing Person - Located, Deceased



- Richmond County Missing person - Located, Deceased
- Evidence Search - Old Lexington Homicide
- Hoover Hill Rd/ Hwy 64 Missing Male - Multi-day Search, Located, Deceased
- Deihl Fugitive Search - Located in Randolph, fled to Davidson (Search Suspended)
- Elizabeth City Civil Unrest - Success
- Level Cross Suicidal Missing Person - Located, Safe
- Missing Person Seizure Patient - Located, Safe
- Bennett Suicidal Missing Person - Located, Safe
- Island Ford Rd Missing Person - Located, Safe

FLEET MAINTENANCE OPERATIONS

Sheriff Seabolt opened the Randolph County Sheriff's Office Fleet Maintenance Facility in 2020. The facility currently has two full-time employees, two part-time employees, one reserve deputy, and one volunteer. One sworn deputy is in charge of the day-to-day operations of the facility and the other positions are all filled by civilian personnel. All of the employees have mechanical and automotive technical experience. The Fleet Facility is responsible for maintaining a fleet of over 250 vehicles. Some of the services performed at the facility include oil changes, inspections, mounting and balancing tires, brake jobs, and many other repairs ranging from minor to major. The fleet facility is not equipped to perform internal motor or transmission work and major bodywork. Those services are sourced out to local, trusted vendors. The average downtime or wait time for a deputy is 30 minutes or less for normal routine services like oil changes, tire repairs, or inspections. Back-up vehicles are available for deputies for longer repairs.

We have software for tracking work performed, and it also allows us to identify common issues and address them before they become a larger one. An example of this involves Dodge Charger radiator fans. Our staff began to notice that a significant amount of cooling fans were breaking. When the fans break they had nowhere to go but into the radiator. This resulted in a tow bill and the replacement of the radiator and fans at a cost of about \$300. Our staff noticed this problem was occurring at around 80,000 miles depending on idle time. Therefore, we were able to inspect the fans, of vehicles coming in around the 80,000 miles range closely. If signs of cracking or wear were apparent in the fans we would replace them for around \$120 vs. the cost of a tow bill, fans, and radiator. This allows us to keep vehicles from breaking down and saves valuable taxpayer dollars.



Our fleet maintenance costs totaled \$174,338.82. The aforementioned total includes \$88,860.22 in body repair costs paid to outside vendors. Therefore, we were able to maintain our fleet for approximately \$85,478.60.

We used 581 oil filters, 3974 quarts of oil, 100 gallons of antifreeze, 300 tires, 88 sets of brakes, 20 quarts of transmission fluid, 135 cabin filters, 113 wiper blades, and performed 227 state inspections while maintaining our fleet over the last year.

Fleet Maintenance employees are always willing to go the extra mile to make sure every job is done correctly so that our deputies have safe and reliable vehicles.

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Maintenance Cost Summary by Month and Year						
Reporting Period: 1/1/2021 to 12/31/2021						
	Labor	Parts	Misc	Disc	Tax	Total
January 2021	\$1,272.50	\$5,150.33	\$321.43	\$0.00	\$360.83	\$7,105.09
February 2021	\$739.63	\$3,471.78	\$210.82	\$0.00	\$243.06	\$4,665.27
March 2021	\$939.21	\$6,918.06	\$382.87	\$0.00	\$498.28	\$8,738.43
April 2021	\$2,726.01	\$7,019.08	\$144.33	\$0.00	\$606.91	\$10,496.34
May 2021	\$1,589.85	\$14,249.95	\$713.06	\$0.00	\$1,073.77	\$17,626.64
June 2021	\$3,419.10	\$8,981.32	\$787.15	\$1.12	\$923.17	\$14,109.63
July 2021	\$6,918.95	\$18,376.47	\$2,342.75	\$0.00	\$1,811.34	\$29,449.52
August 2021	\$1,870.12	\$8,551.08	\$462.02	\$0.00	\$732.07	\$11,615.32
September 2021	\$2,896.31	\$11,749.60	\$780.57	\$0.00	\$1,055.00	\$16,481.48
October 2021	\$4,236.54	\$11,857.43	\$1,199.72	\$0.00	\$1,152.29	\$18,445.99
November 2021	\$6,860.51	\$18,978.34	\$1,044.64	\$0.00	\$1,784.76	\$28,668.25
December 2021	\$631.76	\$5,680.23	\$175.22	\$0.00	\$449.64	\$6,936.86
Totals for 2021	\$34,100.49	\$120,983.66	\$8,564.58	\$1.12	\$10,691.1	\$174,338.82



FLEET MAINTENANCE SERVICES

Services Performed	Total	Services Performed	Total
Bulb Replacement	32	Water Pump	7
Oil Filters	581	Window Regulator	3
Oil (Quarts)	3,974.80	Tire Repairs	23
Fan & Radiator	10	Serpentine Belt	2
Air Filters	88	Cabin Filter	135
Batteries	28	Brake Caliper	1
Antifreeze (Gallons)	100.5	Brake Hose	1
Tires	300	Coolant Temp. Sensor	1
Rotors	36	LED Brake Light Unit	1
N.C. Inspections	227	Lug Bolts	34
Wipers	113	Oil Pressure Switch	3
Brakes (Pad Sets)	88	O2 Sensor	6
Fan (Only)	8	A/C Compressor	1
Radiator (Only)	4	Ball Joints	1
Thermostat	9	Fuel Line Repair	1
Fuel Pump	3	Transmission Cooler	1
Shift Interlock Solenoid	1	Thermostat Outlet Seal	1

Services Performed	Total
Spray Paint for Trailer	2
Tire Rod Ends	9
Duplicate Keys	2
Power Steering Fluid	1.7
Battery Terminal	1
Fuel Treatment	1
Rear Camber Bushing	3
Rear Toe Bushing	2
Fuel Filter	1
Front Struts	2
Pulley	3
Toggle Switch	1
Front Control Arms	2
Radiator Cap	2
A/C Condenser	1
Actuator	1
RF Change Axle	3

Services Performed	Total
Radiator Hose	1
Wheel Speed Sensor	3
ATF Fluid (Quarts)	20.5
Ignition Coil	1
Drive Shaft	2
LF Charger Axle	5
Charger Inner Shaft	1
Oil Pan	1
Spark Plugs	3
Transmission Filter	2
RR Axle Kit-Crown Vic	1
Fan Clutch	1
Blend Door	2
Sway Bar Link	1
Motor Mount	1
A/C Hose (Tahoe)	1

2020-2021 End of Fiscal Year Report
Ending June 30, 2021

Approved Budget	\$22,564,010
Amended Budget	\$23,975,579
Budget Spent	\$21,562,631
Budget Unspent	\$2,412,948
Operations Budget Remaining	10%
Revenues Generated	\$2,460,376

2021-2022 Mid-Year Report
as of December 31, 2021

Approved Budget	\$24,957,069
Amended Budget	\$27,839,423
Budget Spent	\$13,264,584
Budget Unspent	
Operations Budget Remaining	\$14,574,839 58%
Revenues Generated	\$869,581

Board of County Commissioners



The Randolph County Sheriff's Office budget is approved and amended throughout the fiscal year as necessary by the Board of County Commissioners. The Commissioners consistently provide the needed funding to not only operate the Sheriff's Office but expand services, improve processes, mitigate longstanding infrastructure issues and evolve the Sheriff's Office into the 21st Century. The successes, accomplishments and future goals of the Sheriff's Office are greatly attributed to the support from and cooperation with our County Commissioners.

Sheriff Gregory J. Seabolt

CHAPLAIN REPORT

Randolph County Sheriff's Office Chaplain is available for counsel and prayer to the Sheriff's Office members and their families. Other services provided by the chaplain include, but are not limited to:

- On-scene availability for traumatic experiences as needed
- Oversee and participate in daily devotions

- Provide emergency support and prayer as requested for Randolph County Detention Center inmates

- Provide resources to Randolph County Sheriff's Office Members
- Liaison for community volunteer chaplains

- Oversee, facilitate, and administer 24/7 access to Prayer Support Team
- 24/7 Chapel availability

- Order bibles for Randolph County Detention Center inmates as needed
- Provide and schedule invocations for Randolph County Commissioner Meetings.

- Resident Chaplain and Sheriff's Office Ambassador for Randolph County Health and Wellness Committee

A PRAYER FROM THE RANDOLPH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

**Father God, we give you praise for
your wisdom and strength, and for
protecting our deputies, officers and
citizens. We give you all the glory
for our accomplishments in 2021.
We humbly pray that You continue
to grace us as we serve and protect
the citizens in 2022 and for the
years to come. In Jesus' name, we
pray, Amen.**

*Blessed be the Lord, my rock, who trains my hands for war and my
fingers for battle.*

*He is my steadfast love and fortress, my stronghold and my
deliverer, my shield,
and in whom I take refuge. ----- Psalm 144:1-2*

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

While 2021 was another successful year for the Sheriff's Office, the community was still dealing with COVID-19 and its variants. We continued our community outreach, but sometimes it looked a little different than in the past.



Community Days- Hot Dog Suppers in each zone



NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

*"Remembering the Fallen,
Honoring those who Serve."*

REMEMBER THEIR SACRIFICE

May 9-15, 2022

Blessing of the Badges Ceremony
Sunday, May 15, 2022, at 2:00 pm
Randolph County Sheriff's Office Lawn

Join us for a special "Blessing of the Badges Ceremony" to honor every Law Enforcement Officer in Randolph County for their dedication to serve our community. Come and let us pray for and thank them for their endless dedication to the safety of our community.



3rd Annual Blessing of the Badges



9/11 Twentieth Anniversary and Remembrance



Farmers to Families- 2,084 boxes of food distributed



Citizen's Academy



Veterans Day Parade



The Randolph County Sheriff's Office invites you to

HUMAN TRAFFICKING 101: AN EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

PRESENTED BY
The UNC School of Government

DATE: THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2021

TIME: 1:30 PM — 3:00 PM
(will remain longer for questions)

LOCATION: Transitioning from in-person to
Online-Meeting. Link will be sent
soon.

Online registration [Human Trafficking 101](https://humantrafficking101.rsvpify.com/) or call 336-318-6689
<https://humantrafficking101.rsvpify.com/>

*Hosted Human Trafficking 101 for
UNC-SOG in October*



Christmas Parades



Trunk or Treat

Randolph County Sheriff's Office
727 McDowell Rd., Asheboro, NC, 27205

Handbell choir 

Christmas OPEN HOUSE

Open to the Public

*Tuesday, December 21, 2021
floating from 6:00 pm—8:00 pm*

*The reading of the
Christmas Story at 7:00 pm.*

*Enjoy cookies with Santa
(Cider, coffee, etc.)*

Dec. 6-21 
Drop off your
letters in our office at 727 McDowell Rd., Asheboro
and 305 Balfour Dr., Archdale.



Christmas Open House
and Deck the Door
Contest





Community Demonstrations

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Implemented Fleetmate software to track Sheriff's Office fleet expenses, work performed, and inventory
- Implemented picktime.com to schedule fleet service appointments
- Added a "news" page to the Sheriff's Office website
- Partnered with Friends of the Library to implement a library at the Detention Center
- Implemented Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for Patrol, Zoo Patrol, Trinity Patrol, Patrol Field Training, Criminal Investigations, Civil, Canine Team, Motor Unit, ICAC, Evidence and Property Control, Electronic House Arrest Division, LENCO Bearcat Operations, and Sheriff's Emergency Response Team
- Purchased and issued body cameras to all patrol deputies
- Maintained reduced patrol response times
- Increased drug and money seizures
- Used Law Enforcement Restricted funds to purchase in-car cameras for Criminal Interdiction, the transition from .40 caliber to 9mm handguns, body cams for patrol,, recording device for encrypted channels, less-lethal ammunition.
- Converted ten shotguns to less-lethal weapons as an additional option on the Use of Force Continuum (grant funds received from Randolph Rotary)
- Peer Support Team policy and a confidentiality agreement implemented
- The completed transition from Uniform Crime Reporting to Incident-Based Reporting
- Distributed 2084 boxes of food under the Farm to Families program
- K9 Team featured in K-9 Cop Magazine -Issue 66
- Opened new Detention Center expansion, began renovation phase of the existing jail
- Expanded the ICAC Division to address increased Cyber tip investigations
- Hosted first annual Junior Sheriff's Academy for special needs students
- First Female SERT Tactical Operator
- Two sponsored 9-11 tribute cars for 20th anniversary
- Re-introduced Crime Stoppers program and Sheriff's App advertised and encouraged at all public and charter schools and the Community College
- Hosted annual Trunk-or-Treat community event, Christmas Open House, and Deck the Door Contest
- Hosted Human Trafficking 101 for UNC-SOG for government partners (converted to an online due to increasing Covid cases)
- Deputies collectively donated \$18,080 to non-profits and fellow citizens in need through the Monthly No-Shave Campaign

GOALS

- Develop standardized training plans for each division as a career development strategy for deputies/officers
- Implement Patrol Fundamentals Training for all newly hired deputies regardless of division assignment
- Move Detective Division to new office space and renovate existing Sheriff's Office space
- Update and animate CARE Program to integrate modern technology to engage the younger generation
- Update ventilation system in Special Ops building to mitigate air quality issues
- Grading and paving project for the Fleet Maintenance Building to mitigate ongoing flooding, drainage, and erosion issues
- Develop and implement Standard Operating Procedures for the Detention Center
- Implement an electronic mail system at the Detention Center to decrease contraband in the facility
- Expand capabilities of the ICAC Computer Lab for forensic evidence collection through grant funding
- Expand evidence storage to accommodate growing storage needs
- Build an in-house computer server for digital evidence
- Expand Trinity Patrol contract in cooperation with the City of Trinity to reduce response times, increase preventative patrol and community policing
- Implement Executime digital timekeeping for Sheriff's Office
- Implement Mobile Arrest Reports
- Complete Policy and Procedures for the Detention Center
- Develop and implement Law Enforcement Officer Early Warning System to monitor and identify potential adverse behaviors/actions of deputies/officers
- Seek an additional ICAC Task Force position with Homeland Security Investigations to enhance advance training opportunities and expand technology resources
- Seek alternative fuel sources for Sheriff's Office fleet

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Randolph Co. NC Sheriff App

(available on Android and Apple)