

HAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Newsletter & Commission Report February 2017

PERSONNEL:

- Dan Thibault accepted the offer to join us as a deputy sheriff. He starts February 1, 2017. His entry pay will be \$16.12 per hour while on county orientation / probation. **I would ask the commission to ratify this employment by motion.**
- I will have the training contracts ready for Deputy Flanagan prior to his beginning the training academy and later for Deputy Thibault when he gets ready for the academy.
- P.T. Deputy Tala Sandness got her delinquent training hours brought up to day by the deadline of January 24, 2017. Sandness will now need to keep current on both required and elective education during each of the following years.
- I am trying to determine the status of Cory Flor and the new game warden, John Dunlap, as unscheduled part time deputies. There is a good chance that Flor will remove himself as a deputy and Dunlap may be able to help when shorthanded.

TRAINING:

- Last month I asked with the commission would be willing to add a payroll stipend for hourly employees who also become certified EMTs. I left this question open for you to consider. **I am now asking whether you have decided to do it or not.**
- Deputy Flanagan and Deputy Sandness attended a school safety presentation in Pierre on January 25. EM Roeber also went. No others from the community attended this program.
- TIM (Traffic Incident Management) training, hosted by EM Roeber, is January 26, 2017. This deals with positioning and control of emergency equipment at an accident scene.
- We are supposed to have TASER training in February which will be hosted by the Miller Police.
- I was not able to attend the sheriff's training scheduled for January 26 & 27 due to illness.

EQUIPMENT:

- The Communications Center in Pierre and I were at a disagreement over the degree of work involved in equipping the new patrol vehicle. The amended amount is \$294.99 higher than the original payment. The new total for the install is \$1775.11 (\$2355.61 prior to discounting the labor by \$580.50) The owner of the company from Sioux Falls came to my office to negotiate this compromise.

GRANTS

- **2016-2017 Highway Safety Grant:** I will be submitting the first quarter (Oct-Dec 2016) for reimbursement.
- **Bullet Proof Partnership Grant:** Not current open for applications.

IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES:

My **YEAR TO DATE** activity report is attached to this newsletter. This information is also uploaded to the sheriff's page on the Hand County Website. It can be reviewed at any time.

Hand County Sheriff's Office, Report of Monthly Activity (2004 to Present)															
Activity by period:	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Average
Case Reports / Responses	456	480	483	306	488	553	461	558	580	416	485	474	675	49	461.71
Sheriff's Returns (Process Served)	234	207	254	260	262	391	246	260	199	204	235	239	266	17	233.86
Pistol Permit Applications	76	78	80	98	99	109	105	100	145	180	92	127	200	20	107.79
Accidents (No injury)	115	97	101	87	90	98	101	99	112	76	96	104	71	5	89.43
Accidents (w/Injury)	7	11	13	1	2	10	12	10	13	11	13	13	9	0	8.93
Accidents (w/Fatality)	4	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	1	0	1.07
Traffic Tickets Issued	77	84	67	61	16	51	107	157	87	132	72	147	314	17	99.21
Traffic Warning Tickets Issued	60	23	40	28	10	25	138	268	117	341	139	46	109	2	96.14
Writs of Execution / Judgment	40	30	24	25	28	43	51	71	69	46	20	20	13	0	34.29
Distress Warrants for Taxes	2	2	2	5	2	3	4	6	5	4	0	2	8	1	3.29
Unattended Deaths	4	2	2	0	3	3	3	2	4	2	3	5	3	0	2.57
Hand County Warrants Open			44	2	50	55	62	54	51	57	55	61	61	61	51.08
Totals	1075	1015	1110	873	1053	1341	1290	1585	1383	1471	1210	1241	1730	172	1259.77
Persons in Held in Jail or Detention															
Adult Prisoners	50	41	4	6	20	18	0	21	17	13	16	12	15		17.92
Juveniles in Detention	2	0	2	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0.79
Prisoner Days	675	855	774	186	-	-	-	180	UNK	288	256	168	184		396.22
Financial Report															
Accounts Receivable from Inmates	\$14,515.00	\$21,202.12	\$28,377.12	\$27,409.62	\$27,437.12	\$28,907.12	\$30,753.80	\$1,125.74	\$1,375.74	\$1,065.74	-\$310.00	\$650.00	\$650.00	\$650.00	\$13,129.22
Jail Restitution Received	\$2,820.00	\$4,325.00	\$3,545.00		\$4,805.00	\$1,980.00	\$1,413.62	\$1,820.00	\$350.00	\$1,885.00	\$2,535.00	\$865.00	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$2,064.89
Revenue from Sheriff's / Other fees			\$4,153.18	\$4,730.76	\$4,166.51	\$6,662.54	\$5,055.89	\$4,553.75	\$3,305.01	\$3,901.23	\$6,305.54	\$4,306.75	\$5,999.12	\$494.11	\$4,469.53
Accident Damage Information (Does not include medical expenses)(Sheriff's Office Only)															
2004 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$351,357.60													
2005 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$344,269.90													
2006 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$439,364.90													
2007 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$396,975.67													
2008 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$280,457.52													
2009 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$433,199.00													
2010 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$394,084.34													
2011 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$384,380.41													
2012 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$490,103.99													
2013 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$282,716.57													
2014 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$640,356.76													
2015 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$311,244.00													
2016 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$297,157.00													
2017 Vehicle Accident Property Damage		\$14,715.00													
2004 to Present Property Damage:		\$5,060,382.66													

When "UNK" appears this is because the records can not be validated yet. Some records were maintained correctly or information was loaded in the wrong area.

The Accounts Receivable to Jail is showing a negative number because one inmates account does not match between what the amount charged and the amount collected. I suspect there was an invoice which was not applied to this person.