



August Report

AN OFFICE UPDATE



“As Boone County continues to grow, the Sheriff’s Office is committed to maintaining and enhancing public safety for all visitors and residents. We are doing these things and so much more by proactive policing with the goal of reducing crime in our community. Our priority is to provide excellent service to ensure a safe environment for everyone in Boone County, IN. The goal to keep Boone County safe is not the responsibility of our office alone, we continue to work closely with our other municipal partners within the county”

- Sheriff Tony Harris

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Mission & Vision; Staffing Updates; Crime, Arrest, and Calls for Service Statistics and Highlights



Mission Statement

The Boone County Sheriff's Office, in partnership with the citizens of Boone County, provides ethical and professional services that promote and protect the well-being, safety, and security of all people in our county; and to operate a safe constitutional jail system. The Boone County Sheriff's Office is committed to providing a safe and supportive community through honest, competent, professional and proactive law enforcement services.

Vision

The Boone County Sheriff's Office strives to adhere to the highest standards and reflect the diversity of its community members. The people of our community and members of the Sheriff's Office must be united in their commitment to addressing crime, violence, and quality-of-life issues by engaging one another in problem-solving partnerships. Recognizing that integrity is the foundation of our profession, we endeavor to preserve and protect the public trust placed in us by adhering to the highest standards of honesty and ethical practices.

Fair & Equitable Practices

The Boone County Sheriff's Office is committed to treating everyone fairly and equitably. We remain an agency committed to our five value points: Integrity, Leadership, Loyalty, Professionalism, and Commitment. Continuing these practices, along with current policing models, we will continue to enhance our trust and partnership with Boone County Citizens.

Statistics

Staffing Summary

Total Authorized Full Time Personnel	106
Current Operating	96
In Training	9
Merit Deputies In Academy	1
Military Leave	0
Need to Recruit	10
Part-Time	3
Volunteer	13

Staffing By Division

Assignment	Assigned
Command	8
Investigations	8
Enforcement	22
School Resource	9
Corrections	23
Courthouse	6
Communications	16
Animal Control	1
Reserve	7
Chaplains	9
Administration	5
Civil Service	1

New Hires



Corrections Officers:

Cameron Beckett, Elijah Holman, Connor Hole



Communications Officers:

Skye Wente, Elitia Henry, Jonah Holdman



On August 12th, **Jonathan Winings** transferred from the Corrections Division to the **Courthouse Division**

July Anniversaries

25 Years
Mike Snider

23 Years
Craig Fouts

8 Years
Bre Shively

4 Years
Bobbi Winings

2 Years
Matthew Elder
Stancie Cartwright

Statistics

COMMUNICATIONS	AUGUST	YTD	Projected
Calls for Service	5,822	43,015	73,740
Boone County Sheriff's Office	1,572	10,815	18,540
Lebanon Police Department	1,936	13,510	23,160
Whitestown Metro Police Department	1,347	11,013	18,879
Zionsville Police Department	985	7,339	12,581
Other Agencies	379	2,693	4,617
911 Calls	2,400	17,340	29,726
Average Duration (secs)	94	761	1,305
Calls to Center	8,352	61,223	104,954

ENFORCEMENT	AUGUST	YTD	Projected
Calls for Service	1,572	10,815	18,540
Case Reports	39	302	518
Field Contacts	10		
Alcohol Arrest	3	38	57
Drug Arrest	8	28	42
Other Arrest	27	173	260
Accident Reports	42	365	548
Property Damage Accident	35	287	431
Personal Injury Accident	7	78	117
Fatal Accident	1	2	

Statistics

INVESTIGATIONS			
CASE WORK		SEX OFFENDERS	
Working Cases	46	New to County	3
Closed Cases	12	Living in County	76
Carried Over From Last Month	31	Working in County	42
Search Warrants	3	Compliant	116
Callouts	8	Non-Compliant	2
Arrests	3	Failure to Register Charges	2
DIGITAL FORENSICS		EVIDENCE	
Warrant Triage	0	Cases Worked On	15
Hard Disk Searches	2	Callouts	6
Phone Searches	10	Evidence Collected	42
USB Searches	0	Lab Submissions	22
Total Gigabytes Searched	3,642	Prosecutor Discovery Request	48

ANIMAL CONTROL	AUGUST	YTD
Brought to Kennels	12	74
Returned to Owner	5	36
Love Pet Project for Adoption	2	39
Current at Kennels	7	
Citations Issued	0	2
Pending Charges	1	3
Average Stay at Kennels (days)	9.5	
Hours worked at Kennels	90	
Health Evaluation by Love Pet Project	0	

Statistics

CORRECTIONS	AUGUST	YTD	Projected
Inmates Booked	204	1,515	2,273
Inmates Released	207	1,509	2,264
Charges	410	3,078	4,605
Males	151	1,185	1,778
Females	52	366	549
Jail Incidents	52	383	575
Average Daily Population	150	150	151
High Count	165	160	159
Low Count	140	142	143

COURTHOUSE	AUGUST	YTD	Projected
Detected - Knives	33	425	729
Detected - Guns	0	34	58
Detected - Mace	3	36	62
Alarms	1	14	24
Arrests	17	81	139
Persons Scanned	4,675	37,764	64,738
Fingerprints	9	96	165
Protective Orders	21	129	221
Helpful Definitions:			

Calls to Center - total combination of calls from administrative and 911 lines

Field Contact - used when information provided may be important for future investigations

Case Report - used when there is a crime that has occurred

Callouts - anytime a detective or crime scene investigator is called to a scene

Love Pet Project - <https://thelovepetproject.wordpress.com/about/>

Highlights

August 15th Traffic Stop Results in Drug Arrest



On August 15th, 2024, around 8:30 P.M., a Deputy with the Boone County Sheriff's Office Criminal Intelligence Unit (CIU) observed a vehicle speeding north on Interstate 65. After the vehicle abruptly slowed down and changed lanes without signaling, the Deputy pursued and initiated a traffic stop on a black four-door sedan with a temporary license plate. During the stop, the Deputy detected the smell of marijuana, prompting a probable cause search.

The search revealed **approximately 8.71 pounds of oxycodone pills suspected to contain fentanyl, 1.5 pounds of marijuana, a large sum of U.S. currency, and counterfeit money.** The driver, Richard Mckee, was booked into the Boone County Jail on preliminary charges, including dealing in a narcotic drug, counterfeiting, and dealing in marijuana.

Upcoming Events!



September 6th - 8th
Lions Club Park



"Back To The Fifties"
Festival Inc.
Lebanon, Indiana

September 13th & 14th
Boone County 4-H Fairgrounds



September 27th - 29th
Thorntown