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Law Enforcement

The First 100 Days

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The Shelby County Sheriff's Office has made many changes since December 2015 when Sheriff Don Koonce was installed as Shelby County Sheriff.

- Uniform changes to identify specific job duties
- 10-Hour work schedule allowing at least two deputies on duty at all times and overlapping shifts of up to four deputies after 10:00 p.m.
- Two Sergeants and two Corporals promoted within the ranks allowing a Command officer to be available at all times
- Two Sergeants promoted from the Correctional Officers to increase command, efficiency, and security of the Detention Center
- A Deputies Squad room was created in the basement of the Detention Center
- Implementation of Auxiliary Deputy Force to increase presence in all communities of the County
- Working with all Fire Departments and the Rescue Squad to implement the MABAS system of Emergency Dispatching (Two dispatchers have been sent to a training conference for specific instruction in the emergency dispatch of Fire and EMS departments)
- All reports are now emailed to the States Attorney's Office to cut down on the use of office supplies and staff time
- Reduced the Sheriff's Bonding Fee from \$70 to \$40 and transferred the collection of fees to the Circuit Clerk
- Computer software program upgrades to manage all aspects of the Sherriff's Office from report writing to Dispatching and Jail Booking.
- Partnered with Shelby County Emergency Management to develop an employee and community notification system using cell phone technology to notify the public in a moments notice of developing emergencies in Shelby County
- Attended over 60 board and/or community meetings throughout the county to increase communication between the public and the Sheriff's Office

The implementation of these programs and changes has come at no increase in the Sheriff's Budget and no additional cost to the citizens of Shelby County.