

MEMO

DATE: August 24, 2017
TO: Judiciary & Law Committee
FROM: Capt. Ken Weyker
RE: 2017 Country Thunder Re-Cap

Country Thunder was held from July 19th – July 24th at the Shadow Hill Ranch in Twin Lakes. The event hosted approx. 35,000 daily with up an additional 15,000-20,000 single day additions.

The law enforcement effort consisted of approx. 2,500 man hours that covered the event from Wednesday July 19th (p.m.) through Monday July 25th (a.m.). Additional law enforcement support was provided by Kenosha PD, Walworth County Sheriff and UW Parkside PD on the grounds and traffic details. Total cost for the Sheriff's Dept., assisting agencies, dispatch and food service was \$190,834.10 (see attached for the break down).

Total calls for service on the grounds was 437, highlights of those calls is as follows...

- 286 Total citations &/or physical arrests
 - 210 of those were Ordinance Citations for Underage Alcohol Consumption.
- Major Incidents of note
 - 3 (Felony) Substantial Battery's
 - 11 Arrests of 16 and under subjects
 - 3 Drug related arrests.
 - 4 Resisting/Obstructing LE Officer

New in 2017 was a controlled traffic pattern for incoming traffic from 3:00pm-7:00pm. Traffic was routed around the west side of the property allowing Lance Dr. to remain open for Emergency and local traffic. This worked very well when local residence remembered to obtain window placards identifying their vehicle as "local". All local traffic was allowed past the control points on Lance Dr.

The weather also caused problems with four days of heavy rain. Mud caused closings of the Drop off and Pick up areas, as well as, some travel points inside the grounds (see pictures). Multiple vehicles became stuck and required assistance to move their vehicles.

Country Thunder 2017, Kenosha County, WI

Prepared: 08/23/2017

Event coverage: July 19- July 24, 2017

Vendor	Service Provided	Invoice Amt	Expense Charged to:
Kenosha Co Health Dept	Sanitation/Health Svs	\$2,637.14	21130.521900
Kenosha Co. Hwy Dept	Signage	\$4,700.88	21130.521900
Kenosha City/Co. Joint Svcs	Dispatch Services	\$6,616.00	21130.521900
Dave's Catering	Meal Preparation (at Command Post for Officers)	\$3,850.00	21130.521900
Various Vendors	Groceries/Supplies for Meal Prep	\$4,688.60	21130.521900
Menards	(2) Coolers/Cleaning supplies	\$196.74	21130.521900
Twin Lakes BP/Citco	Fuel for Mobile Command Vehicle/squad	\$200.00	21130.521900
UW Parkside Police	L.E. Services	\$360.00	21130.521900
Walworth County	L.E. Services and Supply Msg Boards and Barricades	\$9,924.74	21130.521900
City of Kenosha	L.E. Services	\$15,542.37	21130.521900
Kenosha Co. Sheriff Dept.	L.E. Services/Command Post Supv./Clerical/Cook	\$142,117.63	Patrol Personnel budget (21130)
Total Expenses for the Country Thunder Event:		\$190,834.10	
Advanced Payment from Co. Thunder:		(\$225,000)	21130. 442645
Unspent Funds ==>		(\$34,165.90)	<==Funds Due back to Country Thund









