

Kenosha County Sheriff's Department



2018 Annual Report

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Sheriff's Introduction

When most people think about a law enforcement agency they probably think about getting pulled over for a traffic violation. While traffic enforcement is an important aspect of what we do, anyone at the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department can tell you that traffic enforcement is only one aspect of what goes on here.

Our deputies, of course, conduct traffic stops, but they are also responding to a vast range of calls, assisting our citizens in everyday issues through life's twists and turns. Our deputies are responding to neighbor problems, burglaries, robberies, fights, family issues, car crashes, child abuse complaints, etc. Those are just our patrol deputies. We also have deputies who transport inmates around the county, state and to court. Deputies serve civil process (evictions, repossessions, subpoenas), have positions in the county high schools (School Resource Officers), and teach safety to younger students (Drug Abuse Resistance Education, Deputy Friendly).

Our deputies are also involved in special teams which require extra time and commitment. Some of those teams include the Tactical Response Team, Dive Team, ATV Unit, Bicycle Unit, Honor Guard, Sheriff's Bomb Squad, and Marine Unit.

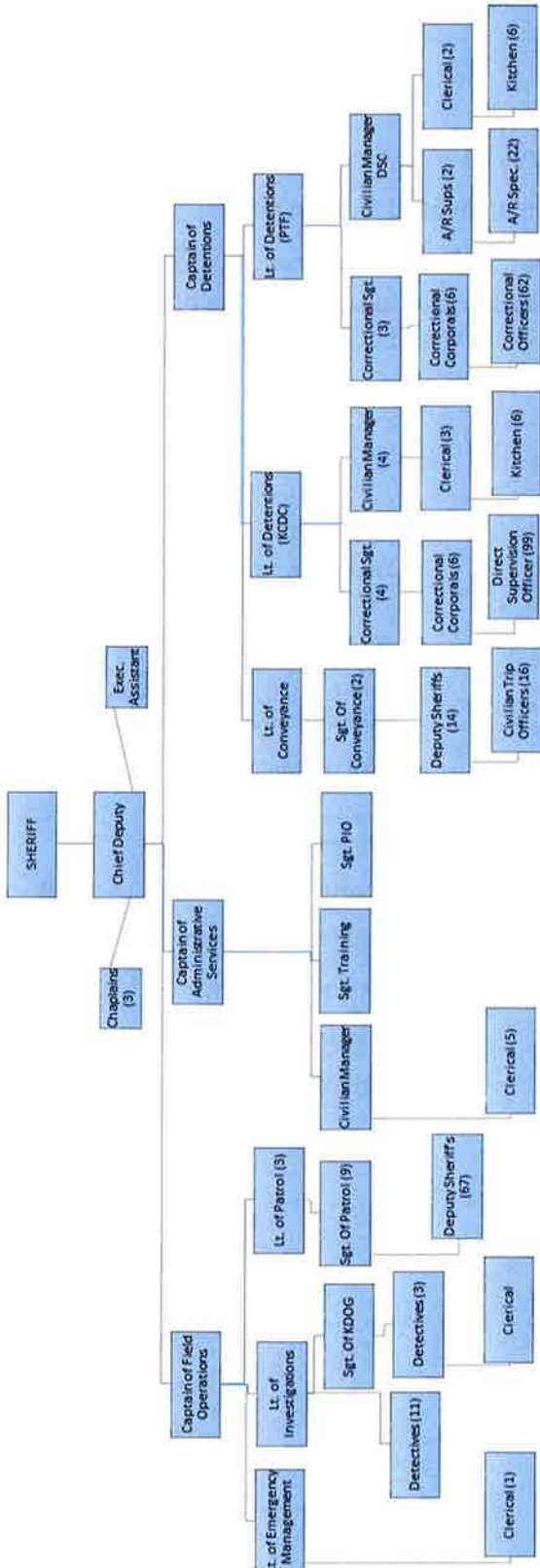
That is a really brief description of our sworn staff's functions. Two-thirds of the Sheriff's Department's budget is in the corrections area. Corrections are also two-thirds of our staff. Our corrections staff is responsible for maintaining the records, security, and health of over 850 inmates in our two jail facilities. Kenosha County has the third-largest jail in the State of Wisconsin. The men and women who work in the Sheriff's Department Corrections area make it possible to not only house those sentenced in Kenosha courts but generate revenue by housing federal inmates. The hard work of these men and women make it possible for the Kenosha Sheriff's Department to generate revenue every year that offsets operating expenses and reduces the total money taxpayers contribute to the Sheriff's Department.

Contained in this report are more details of the tasks the employees of the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department accomplish every day, incidents that are far beyond issuing a traffic citation. Hopefully, a traffic stop is the only encounter citizens will have with most of our staff. I am proud of those who work at this department and proud of the service they deliver to Kenosha County's citizens.

Sincerely,

David G. Beth
Sheriff – Kenosha County

Kenosha County Sheriff's Department Organizational Chart



**Kenosha Sheriff's Department
Organizational Chart
2018**

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

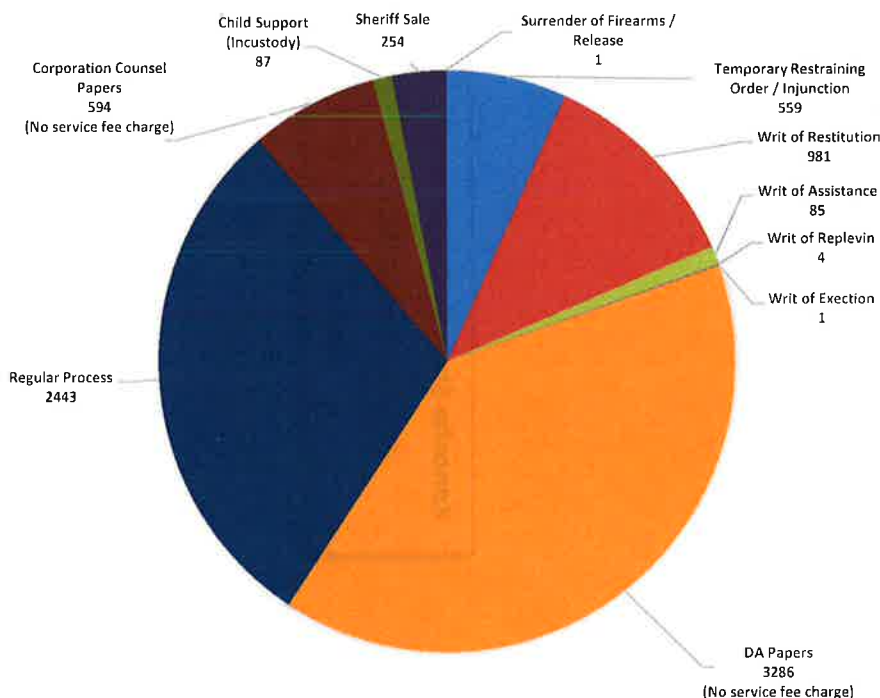
Civil Process Summary

Wisconsin State Statute 59.27(4) requires the sheriff of a county to:

"... serve or execute all processes, writs, precepts, and orders... delivered to the sheriff."

In short, this means that the Kenosha Sheriff's Department serves subpoenas, custody papers, evictions, foreclosures and multiple other court papers. Involved in that, is repossessing property and moving people and their possessions out of premises from which they have been evicted. In 2018, the Civil Process deputies and clerks were responsible for the following:

2018 Civil Process Summary



Catagory	Services
District Attorney (No service fee charged)	3286
All Other Documents	2443
Temp Restraining Orders And Injuctions	559
Writ of Restitution	981
Corporation Counsel (No service fee charged)	594
Sheriff Sale	254
Child Support Agency	87
Writ of Assistance	85
Surrender of Firearms	1
Writ of Replevin	4
Writ of Execution	1

Total Evictions (Not requiring the removal of personal property)	268
Total Evictions (Requiring the removal of personal property)	70
Total services:	8295
Total Revenue from services:	\$116,576.80
Total Revenue not charged for services:	\$155,200.00

Civil Service Commission

The Kenosha County Sheriff's Department has civilian oversight through the Kenosha County Civil Service Commission. Members of the commission are:

Cathryn Bothe
Lena Cooksey
Jim Hawkins

Dr. Thomas Radmer
Thomas Santarelli

Emergency Management

The mission of Emergency Management (EM) is to mitigate known hazards, prepare for, respond to, and recover from both natural and man-made disasters that may occur in Kenosha County. The office exists under the requirements of Wisconsin State Statute 323, mandating that every county shall designate the head of Emergency Management within their authority. The Kenosha Sheriff's Division of Emergency Management (KSDEM) shall support in the administration of federal laws and regulations under the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) Title III and the Homeland Security Act.

The various responsibilities of Emergency Management are: developing and updating county-wide emergency plans, educating the public, conduct disaster, and exercise drills; while advising local municipalities during a catastrophe. Emergency Management coordinates damage assessments, maintain and test the warning siren system, assist in procuring resources, retain and update the plans of all facilities within the county that report the storage of extremely hazardous materials over a threshold, and maintain an Emergency Operations Center (EOC).

Events

On January 3, 2018, the City of Kenosha, Villages of Pleasant Prairie and Somers residents experienced sustained power outages. WE Energies reported 12,900 customers without power. KSDEM activated the Emergency Operations Center (EOC). The Kenosha Unified School District opened warming centers at Tremper, and Indian Trail High Schools safeguarded by Kenosha Police officers and Kenosha Sheriff's Deputies. The Kenosha Transit Authority extended bus hours and routes as mobile warming centers. A small group of people sought shelter at the local high schools. At 11:30 pm, WE Energies restored power to Kenosha County customers, and the EM director deactivated the EOC.

On April 3, 2018, (During Easter Break), the Kenosha Sheriff's Tactical Response Team (i.e., SWAT Team), Bomb Squad, and EM director conducted active shooter training at St. Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA) Upper Campus. The active-shooter drills for acquainting new SWAT Team Members and Bomb Squad personnel with the intricacies of SJCA. The EM director delivered a law enforcement security recommendation to the SJCA Board of Trustees.

On April 11, 2018, KSDEM participated in the 2018 Wisconsin Statewide Tornado Drill. The Kenosha Sheriff's Division of Emergency Management activated the tornado sirens and sent public alert messages at 1:45 pm and 6:45 pm.

On July 2, 2018, at 1100 hours, Kenosha Sheriff's EM Director organized a meeting at Carthage College to re-establishing a working relationship between the Kenosha County institutions of higher learning, such as Carthage College, the University of Wisconsin at Parkside, and Gateway Technical College. All parties agreed to renew resource sharing MOUs during emergencies and provide personnel to report to the Kenosha Sheriff's EOC during disasters.

Planning

KSDEM conducted an annual review and update of the Kenosha County Strategic Plan and the Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) consisting of 24 Emergency Support Functions (ESF) and the Annex for Recovery Support Functions (RSF). KSDEM updated 13 off-site and created five new EPCRA (Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act) plans for Kenosha County facilities containing extremely hazardous materials and created five new plans.

Outreach

KSDEM participates in several Kenosha County and SE Wisconsin events while developing preparedness presentations for assisted living facilities, local hospitals, churches, elementary, secondary, and post-secondary schools.

The KSDEM coordinated the National Weather Service Severe Weather Presentation at Gateway Technical College (Kenosha-Campus), with an attendance of ninety-seven (97), compared with approximately seventy (70) attendees in 2017.

Kenosha Sheriff's EM Director Lt. Horace Staples conducted active shooter presentations at houses of worship at St. Peter Catholic Church, Bethany Lutheran Church, Friedens Lutheran Church, and St. Mark Catholic Parish in Kenosha, Wisconsin. The presentation generated discussions regarding emergency action plans, facility recommendations, and establishing points of contact before disasters rather than during a critical incident.

The KSDEM assisted in the Wisconsin Department of Justice regarding the 2017 Wisconsin Act 143, which created school safety grants and appropriated \$100 million in funding. The Act requires DOJ (Department of Justice) to award the grants for expenditures related to improving school safety. The Act requires public and private schools to conduct an on-site safety assessment, in consultation with a local law enforcement agency, of each school building, site, and facility that is regularly occupied by students.

Kenosha County Sheriff David G. Beth encouraged patrol deputies to visit Kenosha County Public and Private Schools during their patrol shifts to become familiar with students, staff, and teachers. Sheriff David G. Beth assigned sheriff deputies to each school's School Safety Initiative Teams.

Kenosha County Public-Private Partners program provides ten workshops during a calendar designed for public and private sector organizations to attend presentations and workshops from local and regional experts sharing their knowledge and experiences in their various professions.

Exercises

On June 5, 2018, 1000 hours, KSDEM participated in a Closed Point Dispensing exercise sponsored by Southeast Wisconsin HERC (Healthcare Emergency readiness Coalition) Region 7. Closed Point Dispensing is a program where local government agencies and large private organizations can pick up or receive medications and vaccinations for Anthrax, Small Pox, or other bio-terrorist attacks. Open Point Dispensing is "Open" to the public at an accessible location for the citizens to receive medication.

On September 27, 2018, KSDEM hosted a Table Top Exercise (TTX) in the Kenosha Sheriff's Emergency Operations Center. Fifty-seven contributors took part in the school-related cyber-attack exercise, which morphed into a bomb threat in which the perpetrator committed suicide during a high school-wide testing session.

On November 17, 2018, KSDM conducted its first test of "IPAWS (Integrated Public Alert Wireless System)." An IPAWS mass notification alert is used to warn the public when there are hazardous situations that require the public to take immediate action or poses a severe threat to life or property. The IPAWS Test, AlertSense Public Subscriber Notification, and monthly tornado sirens test occurs on the third Saturday of the month.

Grants

KSDM secured grant-funded money EPCRA Computer HazMat Equipment Grants specifically for the Kenosha County Hazardous Materials Team. KSDM acquired grant-fund monies for the Kenosha Sheriff's Mobile Field Forces, Bomb Squad, and Kenosha Fire Chiefs and Captains Association.

Honor Guard

The Kenosha County Sheriff's Department takes great pride in our community, our department, and our deputies. Regularly, the Sheriff's Department is called on to have representation at various events. The Kenosha County Sheriff's Honor Guard represents the department at events such as local parades, the Law Enforcement Memorial Ceremony, and other engagements. The Honor Guard also attends funerals for fallen officers throughout the State of Wisconsin, as well as funerals for employees and retirees of the Sheriff's Department.

In 2018, The Kenosha County Sheriff's Honor Guard attended multiple events, ceremonies, and funerals. Including the funeral of retired Deputy Sheriff Howard Wohlgemuth, and fallen Milwaukee Police Department Officer Michael Michalski.

DETENTIONS DIVISION

The Detentions Division of the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department is responsible for the operation of the county jail system and its supporting functions. Under the auspices of the Sheriff of Kenosha County, the Detentions Division controls the operation of the Adult Pre-Trial Detention Center and the Kenosha County Detention Center providing safe and secure housing to all persons remanded to the custody of the Kenosha County Sheriff.

Average Daily Population

- Average Daily Population: 774
- Total Number of Bookings 7,863
- Total Number of Releases: 7,945

2018 Average Monthly Populations for BICE /USM

	BICE	USM	Monthly Total
January	185	68	253
February	185	74	259
March	179	71	250
April	170	68	238
May	166	64	230
June	164	74	238
July	176	70	246
August	171	59	230
September	167	60	227
October	157	60	217
November	175	60	235
December	180	52	232
Average population per day			238

Detentions Programs

The Detentions Division of the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department services the secure detention needs of the criminal justice community, together with the public safety needs of the citizens of Kenosha County. This is accomplished by providing housing for pretrial detainees in a system of modern linear confinement, and sentenced persons in a direct supervision environment. All incarceration is managed

by policies that hold inmates accountable for their behavior. This system of safe and appropriate housing of detainees is the product of Objective Inmate Classification, which determines risk levels. This safe and secure confinement includes responsible management, aided by community-based programming providing practical life skills exposure. This creates a perpetual goal of releasing persons from confinement back into the community in a condition no worse than when they first arrived.

Electronic Monitoring

The Electronic Monitoring program is used to track and supervise the locations of individuals who have been released to home confinement.

2018 Electronic Monitoring Average Daily Population	
January	17
February	18
March	17
April	20
May	20
June	19
July	20
August	23
September	22
October	19
November	22
December	20
Average Daily Population	20

Work Crew Program

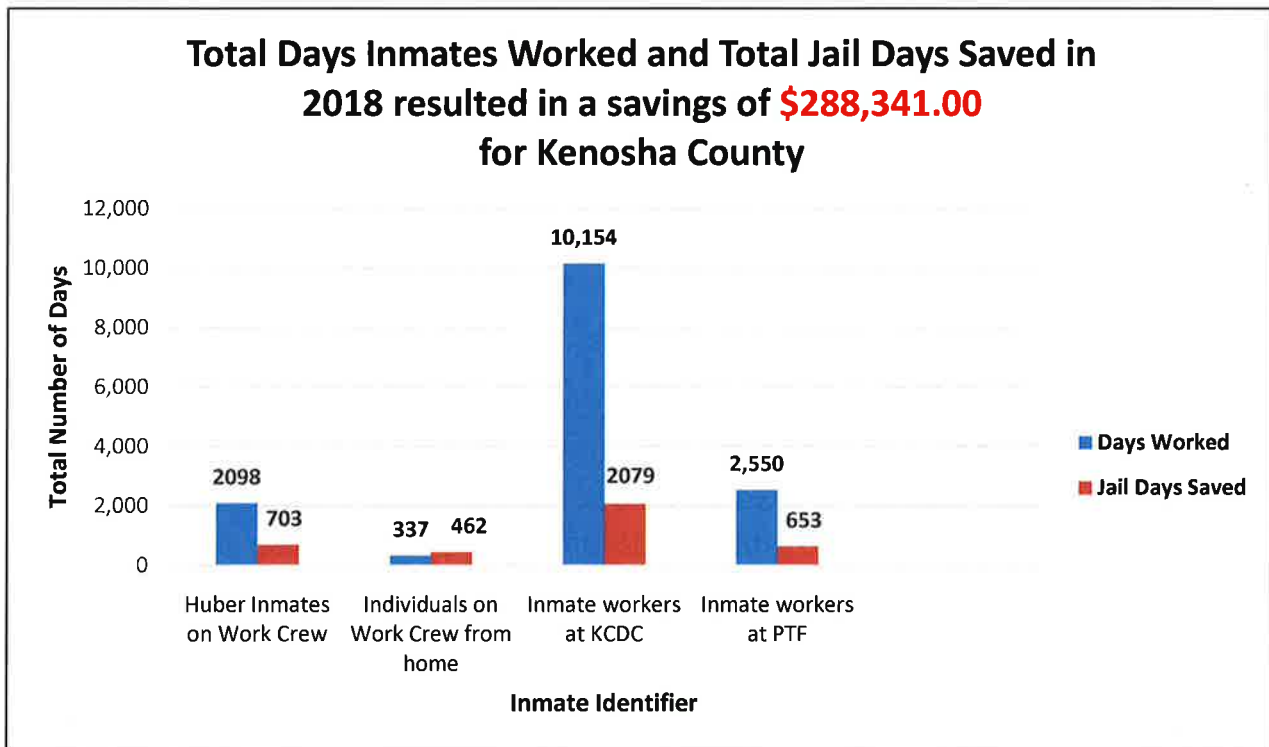
Primary Purpose of The Community Service Work Crew Program is to alleviate overcrowding in the County Jail, while at the same time, serving the community.

To have a successful program there has to be 100% cooperation with Circuit Court Judges, District Attorney's office, Clerk of Courts, Municipality Courts and Jail staff. The program also relies upon non-profit locations with supervisors and two Direct Supervision Officers to enforce the program rules.

There are four types of people who participate in the work crew program.

1. Huber inmates who are unemployed;
2. Non- Huber sentenced inmates (used only inside for inmate workers);
3. People who are unable to pay a fine (person convicted of a forfeiture in which they were given time to pay a fine by the courts and the alternative would be serving County Jail time); and
4. Probation referrals.

The individuals that are assigned to outside non-profit organizations are given the opportunity to work at no cost to the community while working towards repaying the debt accessed by the courts. The current jail days/workdays ratio used by the courts is ten days in the County Jail would be five days served on the work crew.



Living Free 2018

The Living Free Program is an 84-day intensive educational/group therapy program directed to 36 Males and 15 Females at a time. The program is available to all inmates on a volunteer basis. The Program is also offered to some inmates as an Alternative to Revocation (ATR) of Probation. Participants have three two-hour classes daily and homework that must be completed in order to graduate. All participants are expected

to follow Kenosha County Detention Center and Program rules. Instruction is provided by the following community agencies: Women and Children's Horizons, Moore and Associates, Hope Council, Kenosha County Job Center, Kenosha County Health Department, and Walkin' in My Shoes. The type of instruction provided includes Life Skills, Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault Education, Job Readiness, Anger Management AODA, Parenting, Maleness to Manhood, Criminal Thinking, Overcoming Problems Effectively, Employment Skills, and Health classes. Also provided are AA, NA and Bible study groups.

	Total Participants
Males participating in the Living Free Program <i>Graduated—85</i>	144
Male ATR's in the Living Free Program	28
Females participating in the Living Free Program <i>Graduated—44</i>	50
'Female ATR's in the Living Free Program	10
Total Participants	194

Educational Services

Kenosha County Detention Center provides classes for Kenosha Unified School students by providing a classroom as well as two KUSD teachers. One of the teachers is a Special Education teacher and the other is a General Education teacher. Students participate in classes from 8:45 to 11:00 am and 1:00 to 3:15 pm daily. Teachers also visit students weekly at KCJ. They work with students up to the age of 21. They also run a summer school class with one teacher position. Inmate students are provided the same curriculum as regular KUSD students. Upon entry to the program, students' transcripts are assessed and a graduation plan is put into action. Students may graduate by earning traditional credits or the ITED alternative diploma. If students will not be returning to KUSD, they provide GED preparation but do not administer any GED testing.

Kenosha Unified School Male & Female 2018	81 Participants
Graduated KUSD 2018	15 Graduated

**This number does not include students that were in the KUSD program at KCDC but were released to their schools and graduated from there.*

Wisconsin Community Services

The Kenosha Intoxicated Driver Intervention Program provides supervision for persons charged with a first OWI with injury, homicide by OWI, and/or a second or subsequent Operating While Intoxicated (OWI) offense. The program is an effort to get the offender into treatment as soon as possible after an arrest. Compliance with the program requirements and treatment may result in a reduced jail sentence. The Kenosha Intoxicated Driver Intervention Program is aimed at reducing the rate of recidivism for repeat drunk drivers.

Program Statistics

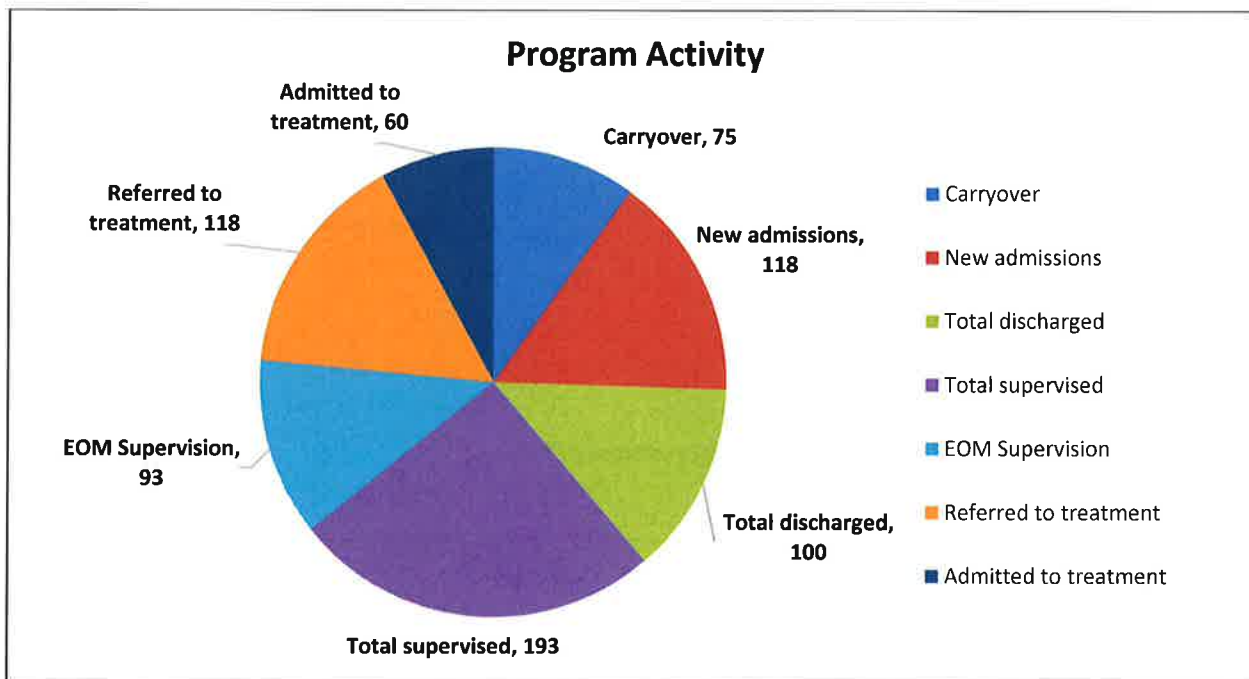
There are numerous statistics available on the OWI Program, below are those of most frequent inquiry:

Recidivism rates:

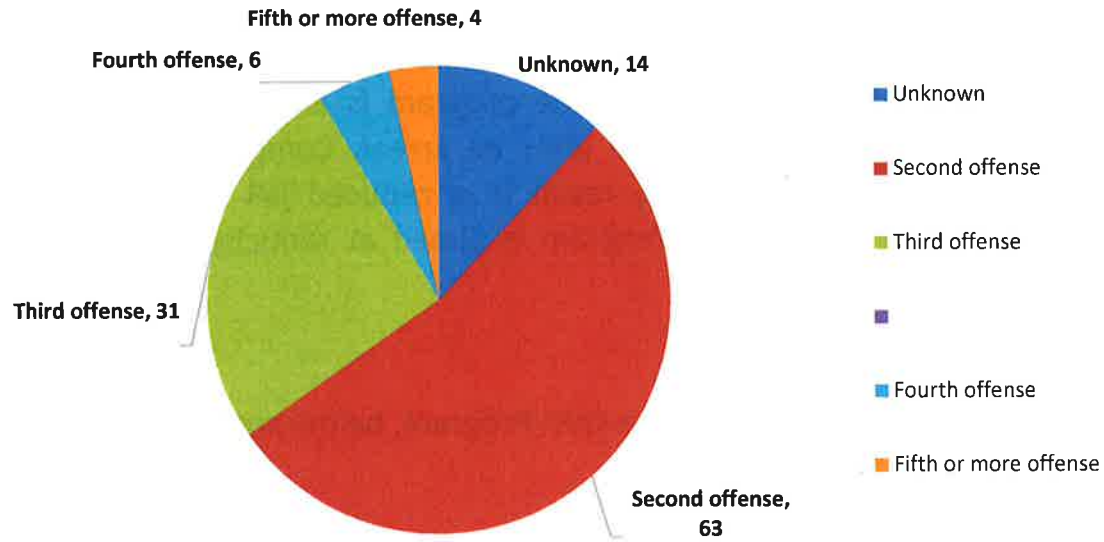
- Re-arrested during supervision—0
- Re-arrested after supervision completed (within the same county)—0

Gender

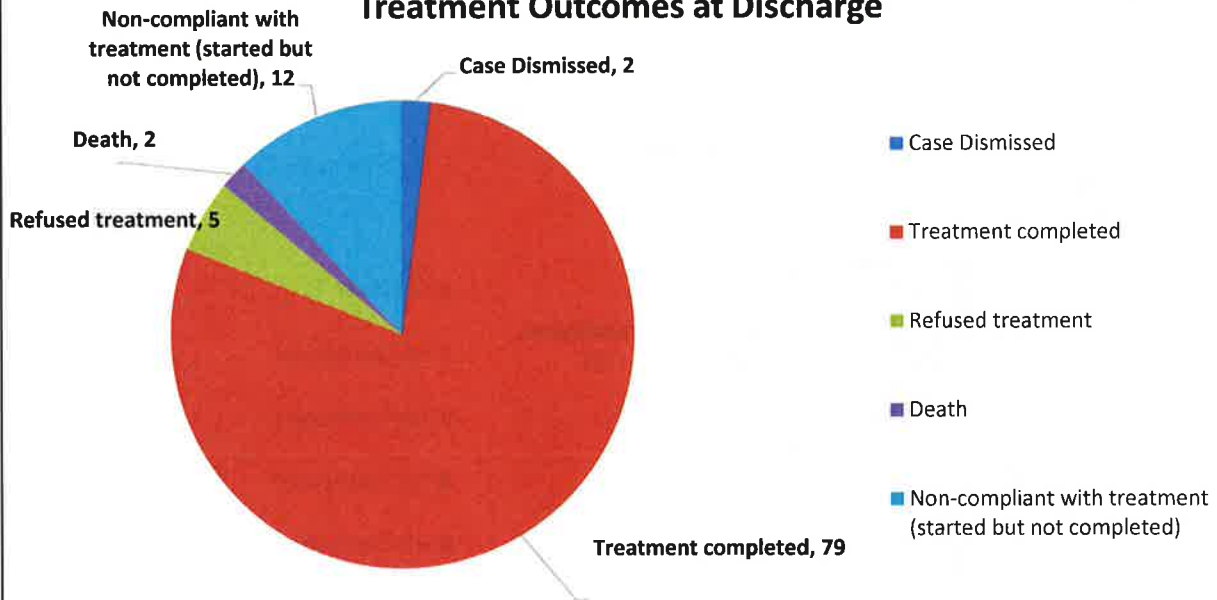
- Male—87
- Female—33



Offenses at Time of Admission



Treatment Outcomes at Discharge



OPERATIONS DIVISION

Bomb Squad

The Kenosha County Bomb Squad is made up of members from the Sheriff's Department (3 FBI certified bomb technicians) and Kenosha Police Department (2 FBI certified bomb technicians). The bomb technicians are all graduates of the FBI Hazardous Devices School located at Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Alabama, with the two most recent graduates completing the certification course in 2018. Our bomb squad is one of six, FBI certified bomb squads in the State of Wisconsin. The Bomb Squad maintains its skills with monthly training and advanced annual training put on by the FBI, ATF, and the IABTI (International Association of Bomb Technician and Investigators).

The bomb squad was awarded a 2018 Homeland Security grant and was able to purchase an \$80,000 portable x-ray system.

The Bomb Squad had 24 call out/activations in 2018. The Bomb Squad did also respond to calls for service in both Racine and Walworth Counties. The calls in 2018 involved a variety of calls ranging from homemade IED's, suspicious packages, recovery of military ordinances, fireworks, SWAT team assists, and dignitary protection.

There were two notable calls in 2018 presenting significant hazardous conditions to first responders. One bomb squad activation involved a dynamite disposal operation in the Village of Salem Lakes. A caretaker for a property found several pieces of old dynamite in a garage. The bomb squad remotely moved the dynamite to a safe area for disposal. The dynamite was disposed of without incident.

A second notable call was for a potentially booby-trapped residence in the City of Kenosha. Police had responded for a death investigation and learned the house may contain several hazards and booby traps, possibly targeting law enforcement. Bomb squad members successfully mitigated the hazards and the residence was released to law enforcement to continue the investigation.

The Bomb Squad was tasked with dignitary protection for the President of the United States during his visit to FOXCONN in Mt. Pleasant. The Bomb Squad also provided dignitary protection for several area visits by the Speaker of the House.

The Kenosha County Bomb Squad put on numerous demonstrations for the public which include the National Night Out, the Kenosha County Fair, Salem Lakes Pumpkin Days, and the Kenosha Safety Fair.

Detective Bureau

The Kenosha County Sheriff's Department Detective Bureau is a part of the Operations Division of the Sheriff's Department. It is comprised of eleven detectives and one Lieutenant. Detectives are trained in a wide variety of specialties to include: fraud/white collar crimes, fire investigation, accident investigation/reconstruction, death investigations, burglary, robbery, and theft. Detectives are assigned to major cases as well as assisting patrol deputies with investigations utilizing a variety of databases, resources, contacts, and techniques. Here are a few of the major cases handled by the Detective Bureau in 2018.

On January 1, 2018, KSD detectives were contacted and asked to respond to a fatal injury crash involving two vehicles in the 12300 block of CTH K. When they arrived at the scene, a vehicle pulled up behind the squad and two males subjects got out and asked if the crash involved a certain vehicle which was at a tavern the two males were at previously. They told the detective an intoxicated patron at the bar had left after other patrons tried to stop him from leaving. After further investigation, it was determined to be the intoxicated subject's vehicle that was involved in the crash. The detective was informed that a female driver of a second vehicle was deceased and there was a seven-year-old passenger who was injured in the vehicle. The detectives examined the scene and determined that both vehicles had significant front end damage. With the assistance of the Wisconsin State Patrol, detectives were able to download the vehicle's computer to obtain information related to the crash. The man was convicted of Homicide by Intoxicated Use of Motor Vehicle, he was sentenced to 26 years in Wisconsin State Prison: 13 years incarcerated, 13 years extended supervision.

On February 2, 2018, detectives were contacted in reference to sex crimes. A male reported he purchased a cell phone from a male on a phone app and it contained illicit photos and videos of children. He had met the male he contacted through the app at a gas station in Silver Lake to purchase the phone for \$100.00. The caller was

cleaning out the phone to give to a relative and came across images of nude young girls and video of sex crimes against young girls. The male said he recognized the voice on the video of the person who he purchased the phone from. The male reported it to the Kenosha Sheriff's Department. The phone was taken for evidence and the male was identified. The case is under further investigation.

On May 12, 2017 detectives were contacted to assist in the investigation of a stolen vehicle complaint. The complainant reported that his gold 1985 Chevrolet Silverado was stolen from his driveway in the 22000 block of 116th Street in the Town of Bristol. The complainant reported there is only one set of keys for the vehicle and he has them in his possession. The complainant reported he posted the information regarding his stolen vehicle on Facebook. The vehicle was found parked outside of an airplane hangar at a local airport. A search warrant was executed and there were other stolen items located on the premises. A male subject was located on the property at the time and taken into custody. After the investigation, the male subject was charged with two counts of Receiving Stolen Property.

On May 21, 2018, detectives were contacted to investigate a sexual assault that occurred on the bike trail in Pleasant Prairie. A female subject saw a male subject walking to his vehicle which was parked close to her vehicle in the parking lot. She got out of her car and began walking. She looked back and noticed the same male walking on the trail towards her. The male then asked if he could use her phone which she replied no and she continued to walk. The male then grabbed her and sexually assaulted her. He then ran from the scene. The incident also was related to a sexual assault that had occurred months earlier. There was a DNA match from the evidence provided and a suspect was identified as the male subject in this case. He was found guilty on two counts of 2nd Degree Sexual Assault/Use of Force. He was sentenced to 50 years in Wisconsin State Prison.

On August 14, 2018, detectives assisted patrol with a report of sexual assault which occurred at the Bluebird Motel in July 2018. The female reported she resides in Illinois and had recently come in contact with an old friend from school. They hung out together daily and she was introduced to a male subject who was her friend's stepfather that resides in Wisconsin. He would take them out to eat and pay for the food. They would drive the male to work and he would allow her friend to drive his vehicle. In July 2018, they were going to drive the male to work and go get their nails done. Her friend told her that he would pick her up first. The male called her on her

phone and told her he was on his way to pick her up. Once in the vehicle, he told her he needed to stop back at his room because he had some clothing for her and her friend. They exited the vehicle and entered the room, he closed the door shut. He wanted her to take her clothes off to try on the clothes he had for her. She said no and he forcefully grabbed her and sexually assaulted her. He told her not to tell anyone. The suspect had linked their cell phone numbers together and he was located in Illinois. The detectives proceeded to scan her phone for any evidence. He was arrested and charged with 2nd Degree Sexual Assault and Physical Abuse of a Child.

On September 9, 2018, detectives assisted Mt. Pleasant Police Department on Armed Robbery where they had a suspect in custody. The male suspect had tried to break into a home in the area of CTH C and I94 and was shot by the homeowner. The male suspect was transported to the hospital and released. The investigation determined another male suspect was also involved. The detectives collected the evidence and provided it to the Mt. Pleasant Police Department. The two male suspects were taken into custody and transported to the Racine County Jail on their charges.

On October 19, 2018, the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department assisted the Department of Criminal Investigations (DCI) with a shooting incident that occurred in Walworth County. The Kenosha County Sheriff's Department supported the lead agency, DCI, with the on-scene investigation and later conducted interviews with along with DCI in Milwaukee.

On November 14, 2018, KSD detectives were investigating multiple burglaries that occurred at 14300 block of 128th Street over a span of several days during late October and early November 2018. Detectives learned that a female was burglarizing the property several times and transported all the property taken from the burglary inside her vehicle and dropped it off at a male subject's home. The female suspect along with the male suspect appeared to be directly involved with the theft of numerous property taken from the location. They both have been charged with PTAC Receiving Stolen Property.

On November 15, 2018, detectives assisted patrol with a shooting involving multiple victims at 31500 block of 71st Street in the Town of Wheatland. A male subject was deceased at the residence with multiple gunshot wounds. Four suspects were subsequently identified as being responsible for breaking into the home to rob the

male subject when they exchanged gunfire. The investigation determined a female was going to set up the male to be robbed in the home where she would be purchasing marijuana. She would enter the house and whomever she brought with would wait outside. Gunshots were heard when one of the suspects from outside kicked open the door. The male in the house was shot along with two of the suspects. The male in the house was pronounced deceased. The four suspects took off running to the vehicle waiting outside and as they were driving, they threw the guns out the window. The driver dropped off his two passengers that were shot at a gas station and advised them to call 911. After he dropped off his two passengers, the suspect dumped the car and reported it stolen. The four suspects are awaiting sentencing on Intentional Homicide, Armed Robbery, and other felony charges.

The listed cases serve to highlight the investigations conducted by the Detective Bureau in 2018. The detective bureau has accomplished numerous investigations that have not been listed. The Kenosha Sheriff's Department Detective Bureau continues to train in current technology, techniques, and resources to better serve the community in regards to the investigation of crimes.

The Detective Bureau received over one thousand cases to conduct follow-up on during 2018. The Detective Bureau was also responsible for over three hundred electronic assistance related cases that do not result in arrests. They encompass producing CD's for interviews that are made from suspects being questioned by various officers and departments; downloading and archiving department related photographs from incidents that occur; providing copies of squad videos to various entities and also providing assistance to other agencies as well as the Kenosha Sheriff's Department itself with Jail Related Global Tel Link phone calls

Kenosha Drug Operations Group

In 2018, the Kenosha Drug Operations Group (KDOG) continues to target mid-to-high level drug trafficking organizations operating around the Kenosha and southeastern Wisconsin area. In addition to the heroin/opioid problem in our area, KDOG also continues to identify and target large-scale marijuana traffickers. KDOG continues to work with other agencies in southeastern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois on several joint investigations of large Drug Trafficking Organizations (DTO's). KDOG also continues to share drug-related intelligence with other agencies outside of Kenosha.

In 2018, the Kenosha Drug Operations Group (KDOG) initiated 169 drug cases. These cases resulted in 166 felony arrests and 15 misdemeanor arrests. KDOG conducted 39 search warrants and 139 controlled purchases of drugs. KDOG investigations resulted in the seizure of approximately \$125,394.00 of drugs and cash. The numbers above are a bit down from 2017 due to the fact that KDOG has been investigating larger cases and DTO's take more time.

In February of 2018, KDOG was contacted by the FBI-TFO Milwaukee office in reference to a case they were working on in the illegal sales of firearms. The target was identified as Tyrone Webster Sr. who was living here in the City of Kenosha. FBI asked if we would take over the investigation due to the fact that their firearms case was rivaling the sale of illegal narcotics.

KDOG Detectives picked up the investigation and started to conduct surveillance and controlled drug buys for heroin into Mr. Webster. The heroin was also mixed with fentanyl. Detectives were able to obtain enough information during the course of the investigation to write a search warrant for Mr. Webster's residence. With the assist of KSD TRT and KPD Patrol, the search warrant was served and Mr. Webster was taken into custody. A search of his residence revealed 60.3 grams of heroin, 90.2 grams of cocaine, 19.4 grams of marijuana and 1 firearm. KDOG Detectives also recovered \$28,000.00 in USC.

After the arrest of Mr. Webster, KDOG was contacted by the FBI field office out of Chicago. They were very interested in talking to Mr. Webster due to the fact that he was identified by them to be a high ranking member of the Black Disciples gang/crime organization group out of Chicago. FBI agents interviewed Mr. Webster while in custody and obtained helpful information into their open investigation.

In June of 2018, KDOG received a crime stoppers tip on an individual who would be driving into the city of Kenosha with possibly a large amount of illegal narcotics in his vehicle. KDOG members set up surveillance and were able to locate the suspect vehicle driving into the city. A traffic stop was conducted and three subjects were identified as the occupants. At this time narcotics were located in their possession and they were taken into custody.

Upon interviewing the occupants of the vehicle it was discovered the James Allen was also affiliated with Mr. Webster. This was confirmed by Mr. Webster who was re-interviewed by Detectives. Mr. Webster indicated that Mr. Allen was to take over his drug-selling business here in the Kenosha for the Black Disciples out of Chicago. KDOG started surveillance on Mr. Allen upon his release from custody. KDOG was able to build a case on Mr. Allen for drug selling and delivery here in the Kenosha Area. Upon the 2nd arrest of Mr. Allen, he then started working with KDOG Detectives, FBI field office from Milwaukee and Chicago to identify a heroin supplier out of Chicago. It was believed to be that this supplier in Chicago had direct contact with the drug cartel out of Mexico. FBI Milwaukee and Chicago field offices are still currently working on this investigation.

Marine Unit

In 2019, the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department had 15 active members in the Marine Unit. Our vessels include a 25-foot SAFE Boat and a 17-foot Lund. We accumulated 240.75 patrol hours in our area waterways. The Marine Unit issued 19 citations and 7 warnings for various violations including slow no-wake violations, PFD violations, and operating without a valid safety certificate violations. We conducted 45 safety inspections while on patrol. Our primary operation was on Lake Michigan, but we also patrolled Lake Shangri-La and several lakes in the Village of Salem Lakes. The Kenosha Sheriff's Marine Unit does receive some reimbursement for expenses related to the water patrol.

Patrol

The Patrol Division for the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department had 58 deputy sheriffs assigned to three shifts in 2018. The department has a Traffic Interdiction Unit (TIU) which allows deputies to concentrate enforcement in specific areas.

- 23 Deputies Assigned to 1st Shift
- 22 Deputies Assigned to 2nd Shift
- 13 Deputies Assigned to 3rd Shift

This staffing level not only covered all six districts of the county, but also covered the contracted municipalities for the Villages of Bristol, Somers, Salem Lakes, and Paddock Lake. Deputies responded to 61,384 calls throughout the year.

In 2018, the three patrol shifts made a total of 19,378 arrests. A total of 13,456 traffic citations were issued and a total of 578 county ordinance violations were written. On the criminal side, 747 felony arrests were made and 1893 misdemeanor arrests were made.

Contracted Law Enforcement Services

The Villages of Bristol, Paddock Lake, and Salem Lakes contract their Law Enforcement services through the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department for the protection of the village residents and businesses. The deputies are able to patrol all sections of the villages and maintain high visibility which works as a deterrent of crime for the community. Each of the village halls provides office facilities for the deputy's use. Deputies are committed to policing the community and having a positive impact on residents and businesses alike.

Village of Bristol

Deputies have been providing contracted patrol services for the village since June 2008. During 2018, deputies responded to 5,708 calls for service and issued 1,126 citations which encompass various traffic violations. Deputies also issue Village Ordinance violations that occur within the village and enforce parking violations. All criminal violations are handled through Kenosha County Circuit Court.

Village of Paddock Lake

Deputies have been providing contracted patrol services for the village since 1981. In 2018, deputies responded to 3,091 calls for service and issued 708 citations which encompass various traffic violations. Deputies also issue Village Ordinance violations that occur within the village and enforce parking violations. All criminal violations are handled through Kenosha County Circuit Court.

Village of Salem Lakes

Deputies have been providing contracted patrol services for the village since 2017. During 2018 deputies responded to a total of 8,303 calls for service and issued 995 citations which encompass various traffic violations. They also issue Village Ordinance violations and enforce parking violations. All criminal violations are handled through Kenosha County Circuit Court.

Village of Somers

In 2016 Somers incorporated as a Village. At the end of the year, they contracted with the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department for law enforcement needs. During 2018 deputies responded to a total of 13, 776 calls for service and issued 729 citations which encompass various traffic violations. They also issue Village Ordinance violations and enforce parking violations. All criminal violations are handled through Kenosha County Circuit Court.

Sworn Staffing

KENOSHA SHERIFF ANNUAL SWORN STAFFING								
	Deputies	Detectives	Sergeants	Lieutenants	Captains	Chief Deputy	Sheriff	TOTAL
2010	76	14	12	8	2	1	1	114
2011	76	14	12	9	2	1	1	115
2012	76	14	12	9	2	1	1	115
2013	76	14	12	8	3	1	1	115
2014	76	14	12	8	3	1	1	115
2015	79	14	12	8	3	1	1	118
2016	79	14	12	8	3	1	1	118
2017	81	14	14	8	3	1	1	122
2018	84	14	14	8	3	1	1	125

K-9 Units

The K9 units are responsible for assisting the Patrol Division and other Police Agencies in the county with narcotic sniffs, tracking of wanted and missing persons, protecting their handlers and many public demonstrations each year. The unit has been in existence since it was re-introduced in 2005. The community engagement of this unit is immeasurably valuable.

The members of the K9 units are Deputy Tifft with K9 Riggs, Deputy Lanctot with K9 Fritz, and Deputy Kasulke with K9 Arlo. These teams continue to provide faithful service to the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department and the citizens of Kenosha County now and for years to come.

Tactical Response Team

The Kenosha County Sheriff's Department Tactical Response Team is a 26 man team consisting of:

- One tactical commander
- One assistant commander
- Four team leaders
- 5 man Sniper element (including 1 sniper team leader)
- 6 man TEMS (Tactical Emergency Medical Services) element
- 12 man entry element.

Under the supervision of the Sheriff's Department, it is comprised of officers from the Kenosha Sheriff's Department, the Kenosha Police Department, and the Village of Pleasant Prairie Police Department. The TEMS group is comprised of paramedics from the Village of Bristol Fire Department, Village of Salem Lakes Fire Department, and the Village of Pleasant Prairie Fire Dept. TEMS is under the direction of Kenosha EMS Medical Director Benjamin Feinzimer and Assistant Kenosha EMS Medical Director Benjamin Kessel. The Tactical Response Team trains a minimum of 8 hours per month in various tactical specialties. Members are also required to qualify once per month with their primary rifle and handgun. The Tactical Response Team is tasked with supporting the patrol division, conducting high-risk warrants, dignitary protection, barricaded gunmen, rural operations, hostage situations, and active shooter incidents

In 2018, the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department Tactical Response Team continued the major task of training Kenosha Sheriff's Department Deputies and Kenosha Police Department Officers in Rescue Task Force techniques.

In addition to training law enforcement the basics of Active Shooter Response, the Tactical Response Team expanded its training to County Fire Departments to include the Bristol Fire Department and the Village of Salem Lakes Fire Department. This training allowed fire department personnel to work with members of the team and critique the unified response to an active shooter event. The Team also trained with the City of Kenosha Fire Department to perfect our skills in handling Officer Down/Citizen Rescue incidents.

For the year of 2018, the Tactical Response Team conducted a total of nine high-risk search warrants. Five warrants were on behalf of the Kenosha Drug Operations Group, and four warrants were on behalf of the Kenosha Police Department.

The Tactical Response Team responded to five tactical incidents.

On July 5, 2018, the Tactical Response Team was activated at the request of the Kenosha Police Department to assist with shooting investigation at 1815-61st Street. Information obtained by KPD on the scene indicated that the shooting suspect was believed to be inside the residence. Team members took positions around the house while KPD obtained a signed search warrant for the residence. Once the warrant was obtained, Team members made entry and conducted a search of the entire residence. The suspect was not located.

On August 14, 2018, the Tactical Response Team was activated at the request of the Kenosha County Bomb Squad to assist with a death investigation/suspicious call at 7424-15th Ave. KPD had initiated a death investigation involving a possible suicide. Statements from area residents advised that the subject was disgruntled and made comments about booby-trapping his residence. The Tactical Response Team was activated to provide specialized equipment and TEMS staff to support the Bomb Squad. The combined effort of the teams resulted in the safe clearing of the residence.

On September 26, 2018, members of the Tactical Response Team were activated by the Kenosha Sheriff's Department Patrol Division to assist with a manhunt operation in the area of Highway C and Highway MB. Suspects involved in an armed robbery in the City of Racine were pursued into Kenosha County. During the pursuit, the vehicle crashed into a ditch on the north side of Highway C east of Highway MB. After the crash, two suspects fled into the farm fields north of this location. Patrol established a perimeter and TRT members were utilized as a quick reaction team and search team. Specialized equipment to include: night vision, FLIR, armored Bearcat, and a drone was utilized to search for the suspects. Both suspects were later apprehended.

On October 23, 2018, the Village of Pleasant Prairie Police Department requested the assistance of the Tactical Response Team for a suspect wanted in regards to a shooting investigation. The suspect was believed to be located at Westwood Estates (7801-88th Ave). TRT Command Staff responded to the scene and while coordinating the tactical response, the suspect exited his residence and was taken into custody.

On December 17, 2018, the Village of Pleasant Prairie Police Department requested the Tactical Response Team to respond to 8550-48th Ave in regards to shots fired investigation. Information received from PPPD was that an individual was randomly exiting his residence and firing a high powered semi-automatic rifle into the neighborhood. TRT responded and took command of the tactical incident. A perimeter was established and when the suspect exited his house he was confronted by TRT members who were protected in the armored Bearcat. The suspect failed to comply with the verbal commands of officers. Less lethal munitions were deployed and the suspect was taken into custody.

In 2018, the Tactical Response Team assisted in two dignitary protection events. The first event occurred on March 16, 2018, in which members of the Tactical Response Team conducted security and response preparedness for the 2018 Lincoln Day, presented by the Republican Party of Kenosha County. The second event occurred on June 28, 2018, in which the Tactical Response Team was requested to assist the Racine County Sheriff's Department SWAT Team with the security and response preparedness for President Donald Trump's visit to the Foxconn construction site.

The Tactical Response Team also took part in several public presentations in 2018. These events included Run with Cops – Special Olympics Event, National Night Out, Twin Lakes Liberty Fest, local parades, Kenosha County Fair, Kenosha County Safety Fair, and the Boys and Girls Club "Back to School" backpack giveaway.

These events allowed the citizens of Kenosha County the opportunity to see the equipment utilized by the Tactical Response Team, ask questions of TRT members, and have a positive interaction with the team.

The Tactical Response Team continues to expand its capabilities through relationships with other agencies, Memorandums of Understanding with surrounding agencies, and training through such organizations as the Wisconsin Association of SWAT Personnel and the National Tactical Officers Association.

Personnel

<i>New Employees</i>	
Deputy Sheriff	Correctional Officers
Kyle Stich Natasha Wagner Brandon Weiland Benjamin Lyyski Christopher Nicla Eric Vincentsen Joshua Wilson Rolando Ortiz	Megan Kurth Robert Boston Adam McKnight James Bosas Justice Waddell Tiketa Briscoe Melanie Puder Jordan Shulski Devine Jackson Lateasha Wiley Michael Talley Trevor Smith
Direct Supervision Officers	Casual Corrections Officers
Jay Sturycz Devan Swank Christopher Pumala Mario Aranda III Ewura Amonoo Avery Scopp Delerece Walters Kerrisha McWhorter Courtney Graves Erick Quintana Tyler Brady Moniquea Evans Macquell Brown Alexis Austin	Jacob Dicello-PTF Brandie Franklin-PTF Maxine Delabrue-PTF Robert Cis-KCDC Frances Manley-KCDC
Admissions Release Specialists	Financial Assistant
Cheryl Radulovic Courtney Nelson Yesca Olson Cindy Salvidar Brittany Matley Jenelle Price	Jennifer Johnson

Promotions

Sergeant Bryan Easter
 Sergeant David Wright
 Corrections Sergeant Jeremy May
 Corrections Sergeant Lashonda Gray
 Corrections Corporal David Stauche
 Office Manager Michelle Hicks
 Admissions/Release Supervisor Brittney Stamborski

Retirements

Sergeant Douglas Bourdo
 Deputy Charles Harwell
 Direct Supervision Officer Frances Manley
 Office Manager Donna DeBree
 Admission/Release Specialist Margaret Brown