

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**  
**May 5, 2015**

Present: Bill Holgate, Gary Montgomery, Margaret Dunn, Bonnie Percy, Jim Multer, Tim Dennis, Dan Banach, Leslie Church, Mark Morris, Bob Clark, Connie Hayes, Brian Winslow, Jim Smith, Valerie Gardner, Sharon Dawes, Jack Gleason, Sarah Purdy, Elden Morrison, Gwen Chamberlain, Amy Miller, Doug Paddock, Lee Sackett.

Bill and Elden will do the audit this month.

Minutes of the April meeting were approved as presented.

**Probation – Sharon Dawes**

Sharon reviewed the following resolutions that would be needed. The Committee approved.

- Resolution requested authorizing for the Chairman to sign software maintenance agreement with AutoMon Corporation
- Resolution to fully fund “Raise the Age”

Sharon reported Alternatives to Incarceration Advisory Board met April 10, 2015

Sharon reviewed the following Alternatives to Incarceration quarterly report.

Pre-trial Release Program

Total number of screening interviews conducted: 10

Number of inmates who did not meet eligibility criteria; 7

Number of inmates who met eligibility criteria: 3

<u>Court</u>	<u>Outcome</u>
Village of Penn Yan	1 denied by court
Town of Potter	1 released to pre-trial
Town of Jerusalem	1 released on bail

Summary: 3 individuals were supervised by the pre-trial release program at the end of the quarter.

Electronic Monitoring

No one was on electric home monitoring during this quarter

Community Service

5 people successfully completed their community service obligation this quarter. At the end of March 2015 there were 46 active cases doing community service in 23 worksites within the county.

Sharon reviewed the following statistical report.

<u>YATES CO. PROBATION</u>	<u>14-Apr</u>	<u>14-May</u>	<u>14-Jun</u>	<u>14-Jul</u>	<u>14-Aug</u>	<u>14-Sep</u>	<u>14-Oct</u>	<u>14-Nov</u>	<u>14-Dec</u>	<u>15-Jan</u>	<u>15-Feb</u>	<u>15-Mar</u>	<u>15-Apr</u>
Probationers	266	277	278	280	276	288	275	271	264	255	250	250	247
Investigations monthly	14	8	12	20	7	20	22	25	15	14	15	23	22
investigations year to date	89	97	109	129	136	156	178	203	218	14	29	52	74

Violation of Probation	5	3	3	8	0	9	1	4	5	6	8	8	5
VOP year to date	16	19	22	30	30	39	40	44	49	6	14	22	27
Pre-Trial Release	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2
Leandra's Law													
Conditional Discharge	30/11	35/12	30/11	37/17	39/18	45/24	46/23	50/26	46/26	43/24	43/27	37/27	41/24
Probation	15/0	15/0	14/0	16/0	15/0	15/0	16/0	16/0	17/0	16/1	15/1	13/1	16/1
waiver cases	5/1	4/0	4/0	5/1	5/1	9/3	9/3	9/3	8/3	7/3	6/3	7/5	9/7
payment plan cases	2/0	3/1	4/1	5/1	5/2	6/3	7/2	7/2	7/3	5/2	7/3	7/3	7/3

**District Attorney – Valerie Gardner**

Valerie explained the statistics for April will be reported next month due to the time of the agenda numbers could not be obtained.

Valerie reported the Drug Court Graduation was held April 1<sup>st</sup>, and the Crime Victims Week Ceremony was held April 24<sup>th</sup>.

Valerie reported a new grand jury was sworn in May 1<sup>st</sup>, and they will be serving until September 10<sup>th</sup>.

Valerie reported she received the annual statistics from the state for 2014. The state had to write special code so that she could obtain the statistics from PCMS that she wanted. Valerie explained in looking at the statistics that were provided, the State did not run the right report and she will be asking them to run the correct report.

Valerie reviewed statistics for fraud cases that her office worked on during 2014. The total restitution received so far for 10 or 12 cases is approximately \$28,000. This leaves two open cases from 2014.

Valerie reported she will be attending the New York Welfare Fraud Investigators Association Conference and this year the Sheriff will have an investigator and DSS will have two caseworkers also attending.

**Emergency Management – Brian Winslow**

Brian reported on various trainings going on throughout the county.

Brian also attended and completed an Incident Command & Supervising Fire & EMS training at the National Fire Academy.

Brian reported Diane attended the Skywarn training.

Brian attended an Intelligence Liaison training, which is a training that Brian provides to Fire and EMS.

Brian reported the portable radios purchased through the Inter-Operability Grant have been received and Brian will start issuing them to the fire departments and EMS.

Brian reported he attended a four county HAZ Mat meeting. There has been one drill in Wayne County and on June 6<sup>th</sup> all four counties will be doing a joint drill which is fund through Homeland Security HAZ Mat grants.

Brain reported on the Code Enforcement recruitment. Brian is working with Schuyler County on obtaining an inter-municipal agreement for these services. The Committee approved Brain to move forward.

Brain reported the County Emergency Preparedness Assessment was completed with 25 participants. The county did well and there are a couple of things that need to be addressed in the future.

Brian reviewed the following resolution that would be needed. The Committee approved.

- Appoint member to the Yates County Fire Advisory Board

### **Sheriff – Ron Spike**

Jack reported the Sheriff is in Albany attending the New York State Police Memorial Service. 1958 Undersheriff Legg who was killed in a motor vehicle accident is being recognized.

Jack reviewed the general statistics highlights are follows:

Animal Related: 112	Domestic Violence: 23	Vehicle and Traffic Related: 50
Criminal Arrests: 33	Number of Charges: 41	Foil Requests: 77
Visitors to Courthouse: 2,261	Animal Control complaints investigated: 90	
Total Law Enforcement/ EMS; FD CFS thru 911 for April 1,621		

Jail Population:

Males admitted: 21                      Females admitted: 13

SWEAP:

There are 9 participants in the program and work was done at 10 worksites expending 184 man hours.

Elden asked that there be a 13 month rolling compilation so that comparisons could be made for example for April 2014 to April 2015 and so on.

Jack reviewed the vacancy review form for a Correction Officer position due to a lateral transfer. The Committee approved.

Jack reviewed the following resolutions that would be needed. The Committee approved.

- Authorize Sheriff To Sign Addendum To Swanson's Jail Commissary Agreement
- Recognize National Peace Officers Memorial Day

Jack reported the Annual New York State Sheriff Association K9 seminar is taking place this week. The public presentation will be tomorrow night at the Seneca Lake Ducks Hunters Club at 5:00p.m.

Jack reported there were 77 individuals that participated in the Take-Back Drug event on April 25th which yield 103 lbs. of unused/unwanted drugs.

Jack reported two Emergency Services Dispatchers are attending the basic 80 hour course mandate at Ontario County this month.

Jack reviewed the memo that the Sheriff provided on the tower transition project. The memo explained the Highway Department has started the work at the Shay site. Ron expects the project to be completed by May 20<sup>th</sup>. Ron is still waiting for the draft co-locating agreement/MOU from Ontario County.

Jack reported the Victim Impact Panel was held April 22nd at County Office Building. Approximately 50 people attended and the speaker was Justin Randall.

Jack reported Yates County Sheriff's Office received MADD and NYS Stop Foundation for our DWAI-drugs efforts

Leslie moved to enter executive session to discuss an employee performance, seconded by Dan.

Meeting adjourned at 4:05p.m.