

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
February 5, 2019

Committee members present: Leslie Church Chair, Bonnie Percy, Vice Chair, Tim Cutler, Tim Dennis, Bill Holgate, Elden Morrison.

Others Present: Jim Multer, Terry Button Ed Bronson, Connie Hayes, Dan Banach, Earle Gleason, Brian Winslow, Rick Willson, Sharon Dawes, Nonie Flynn, Todd Casella, Ron Spike, Carlie Chilson, Doug Paddock.

Leslie and Bonnie will sign the audit.

Minutes of the January meeting were approved as presented.

District Attorney – Todd Casella

Todd reviewed his statistical report which showed 283 open cases as of the end of 2018 and 309 cases were closed for that same period.

Todd reviewed legislation that is currently beginning considered.

Probation – Sharon Dawes

Sharon reported the LDC MOU has now been signed by all 11 counties for specialized secure detention facility that is needed for the Raise the Age of Criminal Responsibility. Also, on November 7, 2018 the final version of Yates County’s Raise the Age Implementation Planning instrument was submitted to NYS OCFS and has since been approved. Sharon explained that a site for the facility is still being researched.

Sharon reviewed the following statistical report.

<u>YATES CO. PROBATION</u>	<u>18-Jan</u>	<u>18-Feb</u>	<u>18-Mar</u>	<u>18-Apr</u>	<u>18-May</u>	<u>18-Jun</u>	<u>18-Jul</u>	<u>18-Aug</u>	<u>18-Sep</u>	<u>18-Oct</u>	<u>18-Nov</u>	<u>18-Dec</u>	<u>19-Jan</u>
Probationers	243	245	249	250	244	249	254	253	243	237	241	249	245
Investigations monthly	9	11	17	25	25	23	13	14	24	38	11	19	17
investigations year to date	9	20	37	62	87	110	123	137	161	199	210	229	17
Violation of Probation	0	2	6	6	1	4	8	8	5	2	3	2	5
VOP year to date	0	2	8	14	15	19	27	35	40	42	45	47	5
Pre-Trial Release	6	5	4	3	2	2	3	5	6	7	5	3	4
Leandra's Law													
Conditional Discharge	53/28	58/30	52/25	52/20	49/20	48/21	51/17	43/18	41/16	36/13	41/14	39/14	41/15
Probation	18/1	17/1	17/1	19/1	22/2	23/2	27/1	23/3	21/3	22/2	24/2	27/3	30/3
waiver cases	8/5	8/5	7/2	7/2	8/2	7/2	7/2	7/2	7/2	7/1	7/1	7/1	6/0
payment plan cases	4/3	4/3	5/4	5/4	4/3	5/3	5/2	5/2	4/1	4/1	4/1	4/2	4/2

Sharon reviewed the following Alternative to Incarceration report.

Pre-trial Release Program

Total number of screening interviews conducted: 4

Number of inmates who did not meet eligibility criteria: 3

Number of inmates who met eligibility criteria: 1

<u>Court</u>	<u>Outcome</u>
V/Penn Yan	1 released to PTR
Yates County	1 released to PTR
Yates County Family	1 released to PTR

**1 individual was placed on PTR by Yates County Court who was previously denied by a lower court

**1 individual was placed on PTR by Yates County Family Court who was not screened by this department

Summary: 3 individuals were supervised by the Pre-trial Release program at the end of the quarter. 1 of those individuals is currently being supervised by Ontario County PTR. There were 5 successful completions during the quarter and 4 of those individuals were placed on probation. There was 1 PTR violation filed with the Yates County Court and that individual was remanded to the Yates County Jail.

Community Service

Four people successfully completed their community service obligation this quarter. As of December 31, 2018 there were 35 active cases doing community service in 17 worksites within the county.

Emergency Management – Brian Winslow

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

- Appoint Members To The Yates County Fire Advisory Board

Brian reported he assisted with the interviews for a NYS Fire Instructor and an individual has been hired.

Brian stated the he expects the Box Alarm assignments are just about ready to go. Brian hopes to have them online this month.

Brain reviewed emergency responses.

Brain updated the Committee on various meetings and trainings that he attended.

Brian reviewed a position review form for a part-time EMS Coordinator. The Committee approved.

Sheriff – Ron Spike

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

- Authorize Chairman to sign renewal intermunicipal agreement with Monroe County Medical Examiner for coroner services
- Create Deputy Sheriff Position for timely training academy assignment to address a future vacancy for efficiency and future cost avoidance.

Ron reviewed the statistical report, highlights follow:

Car Deer: 41	Animal Related: 63	Mentally Ill person: 12
Vehicle & Traffic related: 60	Vehicle & Traffic UTT's: 94	FOIL: 88
Evictions: 3	Cent. Arraignments: 14	Jail incidents: 17
SWEAP: 10		

Total Law Enforcement/EMS/Fire Department calls for service through E911 are 1,420.

Ron reported the jail population report: Yates County: 36, Federals: 4, boarded in from Genesee County: 2 for a total of 42. Of those there are 34 males and 8 females. Also, the weekend SWEAP program has 4 and 2 intermittent for an additional 6 total.

Ron reported "C" Block is currently closed for repairs, painting and new shower install. Ron thanked Joe Reed and his crew for the outstanding work they are doing with shower replacement.

Ron reported the basement dorm is now reopened after a complete cleaning and painting.

Ron reviewed the following end of year regional jail information.

END OF YEAR JAIL POPULATIONS (LAST WEEK SPOT CHECK 2018)

COUNTY	POP.	FEDS?
Schuyler	17	0
Schoharie	18	0
Lewis	26	0
Wyoming	35	0
Yates	39	6
Orleans	48	0
Seneca	57	12
Steuben	184	25
Ontario	133	0
Livingston	114	34
Wayne	80	0

Ron reviewed the revenue reported as of the end of 2018 which showed \$409,610.57 received and \$303,500.00 budgeted.

Ron explained mental health issues effect the jail and road patrol. Ron continues to work with George Roets on the mental health issues. Ron explained he cannot get a psychiatrist to come into the jail and he cannot get anyone from Finger Lakes Health. As far as the Sheriff is concerned, Finger Lakes Health has already shut down. Road patrol was told to take mental health cases to Clifton Springs and when they cannot take an individual then the individual has to be taken to Newark. Ron continues to look at options to rectify the issues.

Ron explained that extra winter gear had to be purchased due to the cool weather.

Ron reported Midstate Communications is doing a site plan study to see if there is a path to the other towers to determine the feasibility of leasing a tower site or own a tower site.

Ron reviewed various resolutions that were approved by the NYSAC Public Safety Committee at the recent conference.

Acting County Administrator – Nonie Flynn

Nonie reviewed the project status of various items as they relate to public safety.

Meeting adjourned at 2:53p.m.