



# Sheriff's

Volusia

County

**Ben F. Johnson, Sheriff**

## Law Enforcement Services Staff Meeting

### Attending:

Major Jones  
Capt. Mandizha  
Lt. Lambert  
Lt. Quigley  
Lt. Hughes  
Capt. Dietrich  
Capt. Newman  
Lt. Bosco  
Lt. Kelley  
Capt. Bonnevier

### Notes:

**A.E.D.'s** - In 2009 there was a recall to address battery issues with the device. In April 2011, the A.E.D. manufacturer notified the agency of more battery issues. Currently everyone has been directed to inspect the A.E.D.'s assigned to their A.O.R.'s and ensure the green check is activated and the pads are up to date. Inspections of the A.E.D.'s should further be documented in the Quarterly line inspections.

**Reassignments** - The following transfers will take place on Saturday, August 6, 2011:

D/S Cobb from District 2 Patrol to District 2 Investigations  
D/S Maxwell from District 4 Patrol to District 4 Investigations  
Inv. J. McDonald from W.V.N.T.F. to District 4 Patrol  
D/S Nunn from District 6 Patrol to J.S.D.  
Inv. Raible from District 2 Patrol to W.V.N.T.F.  
D/S Carlson from Special Services/Motors to District 2 Patrol

**Signal 4's** - Remind Supervisors that while it is appropriate to investigate minor crashes involving V.C.S.O. personnel, citations are discouraged.

**K-9 Handler (Bloodhound/Tracker)** - D/S Tim McGuire has resigned from the agency. The position has been advertised and a full time, and possibly a part time, replacement will be selected.

**Photo lineups** - the presentation of photo lineups was discussed due to pending legislation that may change how lineups can be presented to victims and witnesses. More to come.

**Paperwork** - a reminder that all paperwork being submitted should be scrutinized at the Sergeant's level before being approved and forwarded via the C.O.C.

## **Round Robin:**

District 2 – talked about a recent incident involving D/S Roy Galarza having to go “hands on” to fight for his life with a drunken, mentally incapacitated suspect, Eric Johnson, who made prior threats to kill a L.E.O. (11-22114).

District 3 – working on increasing DNA submissions. Also, encouraging deputies to get consent to obtain standards from suspects to compare against samples currently in database.

District 4 – deputies continue to work the local pill mill on Saxon Blvd. While doing great police work, the level of activity has generated several citizens’ complaints.

District 5 – briefed everyone on the missing Animal Control Officer, Toni Contarino.

District 6 – Debary Golf and Country Club has experienced several burglaries in the area.

Special Services – 3<sup>rd</sup> helicopter still currently out of service for maintenance.

Community Services – School starts back on Monday, August 22, 2011. (The Major requested that a school bus operation be conducted during the first month of school). National Night Out is Tuesday, August 2, 2011.

Operation BOLO – V.C.S.O. will be coordinating with local groups such as Bright House and Waste Management, to act as additional eyes and ears on the road. Contacts will be developed in an effort to pass along real time info on BOLO’s and other info that can be passed along to the community.

Executive Officer - Gun buy-back program – An upcoming operation to buy back guns from citizens will be held at the Fair Grounds. COP’s and Special Services personnel will be used for the op. Date to be announced.

Reminder from Capt. Mandizha - notifications should be clear and concise and to “tell it like it is”.