

Roanoke Sheriff's Office



Annual Report
Fiscal Year 2021-2022

We Do It Better Together!

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Mission, Vision & Values

As a diverse, progressive and professional law enforcement agency, we will serve and protect every person within the City of Roanoke through quality court, correctional, law enforcement and customer-focused services.

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Letter from Sheriff Antonio D. Hash

The Roanoke City Sheriff's Office experienced a change in administration during the course of fiscal year (FY) 21-22 as acting Sheriff David Bell retired after serving a one-year term. I, Antonio Hash was elected in November 2021 and began my first term as Sheriff in January 2022.

Serving as the Sheriff of this great City is something I spoke of early in my career. Many believed I was simply speaking words, however little did they know I was speaking life into my destiny. Serving as your Sheriff is a true manifestation that if you work hard and commit to the process anything is possible. It is a great honor becoming Sheriff of this wonderful city.

Transitioning into office in the middle of a fiscal year provided some challenges however, my staff and I worked hard to ensure the agency continued to run smoothly and efficiently.

Upon taking office, I was faced with looking at all the processes, personnel, contractual relationships, etc. and learned quickly to sit in this seat you must wear many hats. During the first six months of 2022, I began restructuring by promoting many within the agency. In fact, one of the promotions made included the first African-American female Captain in the history of the department. This was done due to the hard work displayed and to support that all positions must when possible and earned, support diversity, equity, and inclusivity. Command staff was restructured to ensure solidarity and strong leadership as we move forward.

Additionally, I began to take a look at the design of the department and set about a process to have a newer, fresher, more uniform look with other agencies. This began with slowly transitioning to a black uniform, with the full transition set to take place in January 2023. I started to talk about the change in culture regarding incarceration and how it is viewed by others, as one of my commitments during my campaign was that those in our facility would return back to our community better than how they were received.

We made great improvements with internal technology; one is a system that allows us to be better stewards of the budget. I and staff remained diligent in ways to keep a safe environment in the continued midst of COVID-19 along with rising hepatitis cases within our community.

Challenges still remain in staffing; however, we continue to make sure we not only meet industry standards but exceed them. We are committed to being the Sheriff's Office the City can be proud of. As we move forward, we invite you to reflect back on our accomplishments each year and take note of the strives we have made. I am forever grateful that I have been given the opportunity to serve in this capacity and I do not take your support for granted. Our focus will remain on building the bridge between law enforcement and the community we serve, and as always: **We Do It Better Together!**

Sheriff Antonio D. Hash

Letter from Sheriff Antonio D. Hash



Created Law Enforcement Division	Created 1 st RSO Bike Patrol
Formed recruiting team for strengthened recruitment efforts	Increased number of participants allowed under Project Lifesaver
Re-opened Fingerprint Services	Enhanced community engagement
Partnered with Burton Center for Arts & Technology for 1 st RSO prescription Drug Take-Back boxes	Began steps to create a change in culture regarding incarcerated individuals
Focused on process improvement and greater accountability within roles	Strengthened and increased relationships with community partners

RSO Command Staff



Colonel
James Ferguson
Chief Deputy



Lt. Colonel
Jeff Jenkins
Assistant Chief
Deputy



Major
**Kimberly
Miniclier**
Chief Support
Services Officer



Major
Monica Perkins
Chief Correctional
Officer



Major
Brian McDaniel
Chief Court
Security Officer



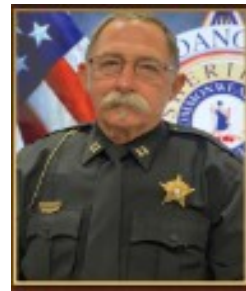
Captain
John Williams
Asst. Chief
Support



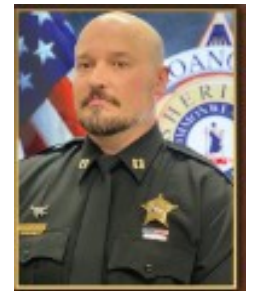
Captain
Nikki Jenkins
Asst. Chief
Correctional



Captain
Deatria Muse
Asst. Chief Court
Security Officer



Captain
Gayle Combs
Chief Law
Enforcement
Officer



Captain
Brandon Young
Chief Planning &
Research Officer



Lieutenant
Brian Geiser

Professional
Standards
Unit
Commander



Lieutenant
**Angela
Traynham**

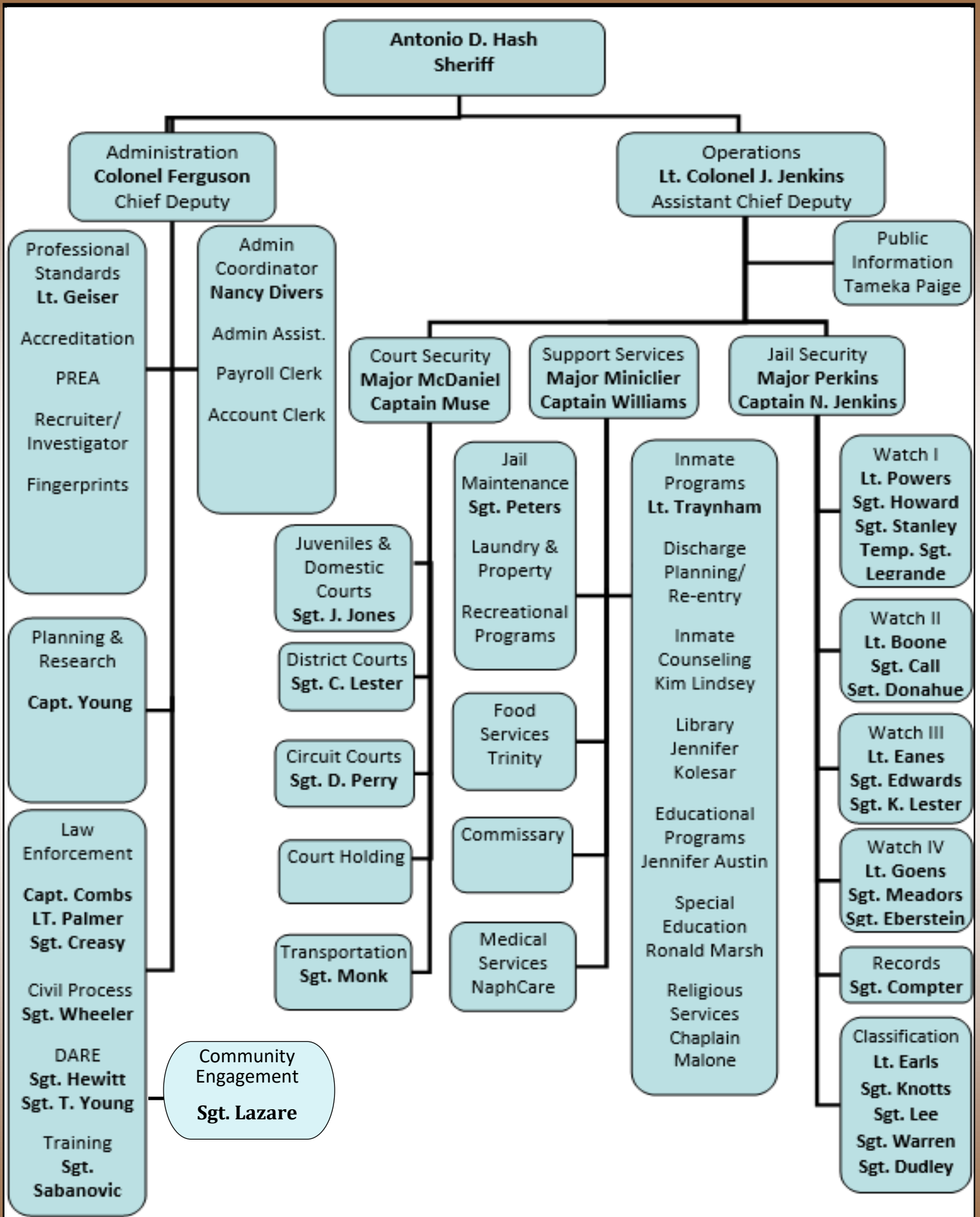
Resident
Re-Entry
Coordinator



Lieutenant
**Andrew
Palmer**

Asst. Law
Enforcement
Officer

***Leadership through YR End 22 - From Left to Right**



Planning & Research

The Planning and Research Division led by **Captain Brandon Young** has taken proactive steps to improve technology infrastructure, communication, and cyber security while optimizing resources for more efficient operations. Together, the team plans, budgets, installs, builds, and trains staff on all advancements.

The Planning and Research Division consists of a: **Captain**, acts as the Project Owner and communicates with all project stakeholders, including the Sheriff, Command Staff, City of Roanoke Information Technology, Purchasing, Networking, and Application Support.

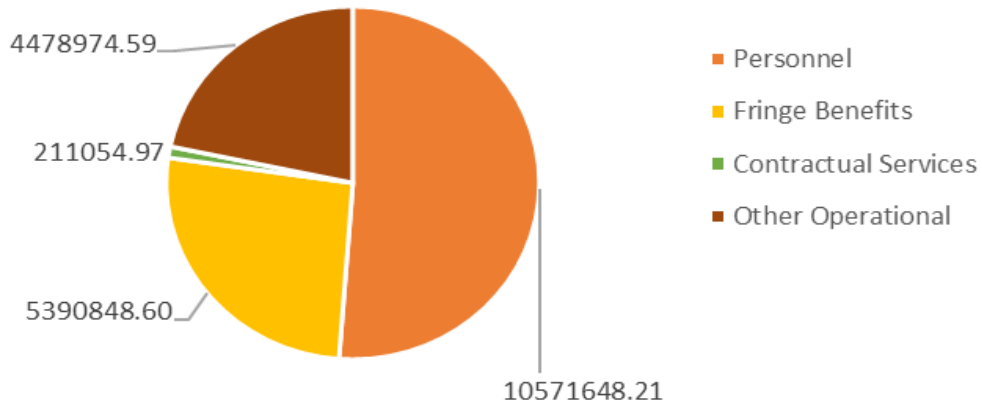
Project Manager, Responsible for day-to-day management of the project and oversees the six aspects of a project, including scope, schedule, finance, risk, quality, and resources.

Automation Coordinator: Performs administration, configuration, design, maintenance, programming, and qualification of assigned Client-Server Computer Systems, Equipment Control Systems, Process Control Systems, and Historical Data Systems.

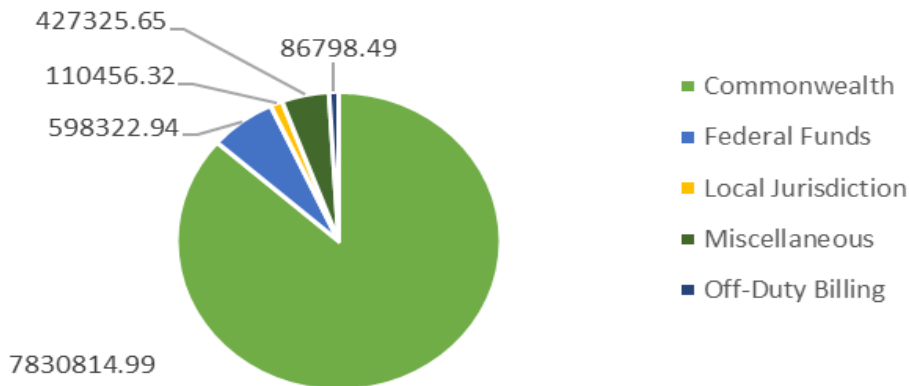
Accomplishments during FY 21-22:

- ◆ Transitioned from a one-user Access Card to an Access Fob that is reusable, making it more eco-friendly and cost-effective.
- ◆ Worked with the City of Roanoke to consolidate door access for improved security.
- ◆ Partnered with various entities to update City of Roanoke Network cabling in the facility.
- ◆ Processed the yearly COIN budget, ensuring timely budgeting and financial management.
- ◆ Joined the Ring Neighbor alert service through Amazon to expand communication with citizens.
- ◆ Created a website for the Citizens: allows for direct communication of events to the citizens of the City of Roanoke.
- ◆ Implemented a real-time tracker for departmental financial requests, improving financial management and accountability.
- ◆ Planned for migration to Google Chrome as Microsoft Edge sunsets, ensuring continuity of browser support and security for the organization.
- ◆ Partnered with the City of Roanoke to provide cyber security training and testing for staff across divisions, improving overall cyber security posture.
- ◆ Completed firewall updates based on vendor recommendations to enhance security measures.
- ◆ Implemented multiple policies and processes to facilitate the implementation of the time management system (NovaTime).
- ◆ Adopted and incorporated ResourceX as a budget preparation solution, replacing the antiquated Budgeting for Outcomes system (BFO).
- ◆ Applied for over \$75K in grant funding. We received \$32,923 from the Department of Justice SCAAP. Currently awaiting decisions from Spirit of Blue, and Firehouse Subs grant. Through funds awarded to The City of Roanoke, we received \$50K from The Department of Criminal Justice Services of the Commonwealth of VA. This was used to provide enhanced jail operations to help combat COVID-19 experienced by the inmates and by providing safety measures to protect all visitors of the Courthouse.

Roanoke Sheriff's Office
Operating Expenses
\$20,652,526.37



Roanoke Sheriff's Office
Sources of Revenue
\$9,053,718.39



The total budget for the Roanoke Sheriff's Office for FY22 was \$22.6 million, up from \$18.7 million in FY21.

Professional Standards Unit

The Professional Standards Unit, led by **Lieutenant Brian Geiser**, saw some changes during FY 21-22. He continues to oversee Internal Affairs, Applicant Background Investigations, Recruitment, Accreditation, enforcement of the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA), and Fleet Management.

Background Investigators: Previously the agency employed one full time Investigator. In February 2022, changes were made to include adding an additional part-time Background Investigator. Both Investigators, **Sergeant James Murphy and Investigator Southerland** are responsible for recruiting efforts, and promotion, volunteer, and contract staff background checks.

Collectively they performed 424 background checks for deputies, control room operators, civilians, contract employees/workers and volunteers.

During the fiscal year, the duo attended an array of job fairs and great efforts were made to help the agency stand out amongst a sea of others, due to the state wide shortage of potential candidates.

In exploring ways to market; the slogan “You Look Good in Brown” was created. The agency hired 44 employees to include 29 deputies, 7 control room operators, and 8 civilians.

Based on natural attrition, the agency continues our strong recruiting efforts.



Accreditation: This department includes two Accreditation Managers, **Sergeant Jennifer Calahan and Sergeant Katrina Morris**. In addition, **Sergeant Kevin Compter** is the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) and American Disabilities Act (ADA) Manager.

During FY 21-22, they reviewed each policy, and made changes were required to provide better service. The agency participated in several city and state internal audits. We maintained accreditation with the Virginia Department of Corrections, American Correctional Association, National Commission on Correctional Health Care, and PREA.

The Accreditation department ensures we are abreast of industry standards and changes as they occur. This ensures efficient daily operations.



Jail Security Division

Major Monica Perkins along with the assistance of **Captain Nikki Jenkins**, oversee four shifts of approximately 22 deputies/Control Room Operators (CROs).

During early 2022, Sheriff Hash restructured the Roanoke City Jail. The restructure included the reassignment of both the Intake and Classification section to the Jail Security Division. Also under this division is Records and LIDS.

There are four Security Watches and they changed their staffing to one Lieutenant and two Sergeants to oversee the floors and inmates in the jail. The primary function of deputies working in this division is to maintain proper security by executing security rounds and frequent searches of inmates. This division provides civilian Control Room Operators who assist with the security of inmates. Their sole responsibility is to monitor inmate movement, watch cameras and observe restrictive housing units while allowing access throughout the entire facility.

The Roanoke City Sheriff's Office is also responsible for security of the Roanoke Noel C. Taylor Municipal Building during regular business hours. Deputies assist patrons in locating local government services within the building, as well as provide security for the many offices inside. Two part-time deputies are employed to fulfill these duties, however, members within the agency also assist in keeping the building secure.

Intake is responsible for identifying the inmate's needs when processed into our facility. For the purpose of creating a record, inmates are photographed and fingerprinted. There are a series of rigorous questions asked to ensure we are aware of the inmates needs, including a medical and mental health assessment. As the record is created, the Records team maintains confinement information and are responsible for the correct calculation of inmate time.

Total Inmates Committed to Jail to be Held: 4035

Total Inmates Processed and Released on Recognizance: 1064

Total Inmates Processed for Fiscal Year: 5099

Total USM Prisoners Processed: 136

Total Inmates Released to Out of State Authorities/Extraditions: 27

Total Inmates Released on Furlough: 5

Total expungements: 13

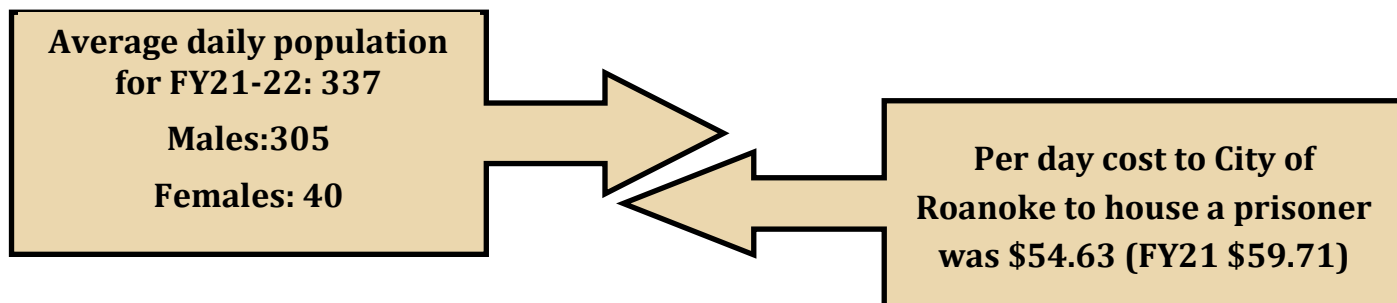
Classification determines the degree of supervision required to house each inmate to ensure the security of the facility is maintained. Classification oversees each of the processes identified below.

ACTIVITY	TOTAL
FILES PROCESSED OUT	2,019
CLASSIFIED INTO JAIL	1,862
CELL REASSIGNMENTS	372
TRUSTIES PLACED ON WORK DETAILS	232
OUTSIDE TRUSTIES ON WORK DETAILS	26
TRUSTIES REMOVED FROM WORK DETAILS	78
REQUEST SLIPS PROCESSED	5,445
CLASSIFIED FOR D.O.C.	83
REQUEST TO D.O.C. FOR TIME REDUCTION	0
120 DAYS CLASSIFICATION REVIEWS	589
DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS HELD	395
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS HELD	130
ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEWS	350
MINOR HEARINGS HELD	30
REPLACEMENT I.D. CARDS MADE	141
INFORMAL DISCIPLINARY HEARINGS	30
ALPHA IN	7
ALPHA OUT	5

FY 21-22

Jail Security Division Cont...

FY 21-22 still saw challenges with COVID-19. Sheriff Hash was diligent in the fight to keep everyone healthy. While daily temperature screenings of employees ended in May 2022, the mask requirement remained. As in-person visits still were not allowed; through contracted providers, Roanoke City Jail inmates participated in 33,476 visits with loved ones through the convenience of "at home" internet visits or by using one of the five kiosks located in our lobby. Another alternative to video visits include the ability to communicate by phone, with inmates completing 573,469 phone calls during the fiscal year. Inmates also have access to tablets to receive pictures and messages from their loved ones. Inmates received 22,331 pictures through their tablet accounts and messaging. Tablets also provide inmates the ability to contact staff members in an effort to resolve issues or ask questions. Shift supervisors answered 5,698 requests for assistance, while Records responded to 3,752 requests.



***Per day cost to house a prisoner: \$126.92
(FY21 \$129.13)**

Improvements

- ◆ Reconstruction of finance office began
- ◆ HR/Administrative area updated
- ◆ Watch Commander stations
- ◆ Created bike room
- ◆ Docket



Law Enforcement Academy Graduates

Deputy Bishop
Sergeant Howard
Sergeant Monk
Sergeant Stanley
Deputy Wickham

Jail Academy Graduates

Deputy Callahan
Deputy Campbell
Deputy Coleman
Deputy Combs
Deputy Dempsey
Deputy C. Frantz
Deputy J. Frantz
Deputy Goyne
Deputy Wentworth

Court Security & Civil Process Graduate

Deputy Sahi

Commendations - Deputy of the QTR **began 2nd QTR 22

- ◆ **Valor**—Deputy Moore, Deputy Rowell, Deputy Brown
 - ◆ **Good Samaritan**—Deputy Whitesides
 - ◆ **Trifecta**— Sergeant Dudley
 - ◆ **Community Service**—Deputy Rauchett

Life Saving

Colonel Ferguson	Sergeant Stultz	Sergeant Hewitt
Deputy Hale	Deputy Foster	Deputy Callenger



Support Services Division

The Support Services Division is commanded by **Major Kim Miniclier** and **Captain John Williams**. This division administers: Food Services, Laundry/Property, Medical & Mental Health, Education, Counseling, Religious Services, Inmate Work Programs/ Crews, Maintenance, and Recreation.

The Sheriff's Office is contracted with Trinity Services Group, Inc. for **Food Services**. An inmate kitchen crew prepares and distributes three hot meals a day to all inmates in the Roanoke City Jail (RCJ). Meals include special diets (diabetic, food allergies, religious dietary restrictions, vegetarian, etc.). Inmate kitchen workers are inspected daily to ensure they maintain the highest standard in grooming and full compliance with all applicable rules.

Total meals served FY21-22

372,491

Medical Services are provided to inmates around the clock by a contracted medical company, NaphCare, Inc. The Health Services Administrator oversees all medical staff to include; physicians, physician's assistants, nurses, mental health professionals and medical assistants. Inmates are seen by medical staff upon arrival at the facility and receive a complete physical within 14 days. Medical restrictive housing is provided for inmates who are too ill to be housed in general population. A pharmacy and medical clinic are on-site. If there is a medical need that cannot be fulfilled by NaphCare, Inc., then the inmate will be referred to an offsite specialist for further treatment. NaphCare, Inc. performed 10,424 clinical visits and 834 dental visits during this fiscal year. Additionally, multiple Covid-19 vaccine clinics were conducted to ensure that any inmate requesting to become vaccinated and/or to receive a booster shot would be given the opportunity.

FY21-22

- ◆ Revised MAT program launched 6/27/22
- ◆ New Dental Chair

Hepatitis A Vaccines	392
COVID-19 Vaccines & Boosters	255

Mental Health Professional Visits	1,593
Mental Health Provider Visits	966

Individuals arrive at the facility with a wide range of educational levels, some are unable to read and/or write, while others are just shy of completing a high school education.

Educational Programs are offered to every inmate, regardless of their previous educational experience or learning level. **Mr. Ron Marsh** administers Special Education through Roanoke City Public Schools. GED/Educational services are also offered to our inmates under the supervision of **Ms. Jennifer Hollingsworth-Austin**. 548 inmates in fiscal year 2021-2022 requested educational services. During the year, all programs were closed due to Covid-19; however, educational materials were still provided to inmates on an individual basis. In addition, many educational opportunities were expanded to engage inmates in self-development courses to include: College Level Courses (*Astronomy, Biology, British Literature, Chemistry, Contemporary Poetry, European History, Psychology, Sociology, US Government, US History, and World History*), Foreign Languages (*Latin, Spanish, French, ESL, Hebrew, and Arabic*), and Professional Studies (*Paralegal Studies, Commercial Driver's License, Certified Nursing Assistant, and Phlebotomy*).

The Library Program at the Roanoke City Jail provides the opportunity for inmates to learn, grow and imagine through literary doorways. **Ms. Jennifer Kolesar**, Jail Librarian, organizes and stores the books donated to the facility. Ms. Kolesar delivers books by a mobile cart to every inmate housing unit at least once a week. During the 2021-2022 fiscal year 14,211 reading materials were delivered to inmates. In addition, law library materials were added to the Inmate Tablet System to allow all inmates equal access at their discretion.

Recreation is provided at the facility via two indoor gyms, two outdoor gyms and cardio rooms. **Deputy Matthew Tomblin** facilitates the recreation program which includes basketball, calisthenics, aerobics and volleyball. Due to Covid-19 protocols, inmates were unable to access indoor recreation facilities until near the end of the fiscal year, when a soft reopening of programs occurred.

Inmate Programs are supported by community volunteers managed by the Jail Counselor, **Ms. Kim Lindsey**. These programs include ALPHA (therapeutic substance abuse treatment for men and women), Alcoholics Anonymous (men and women), Father's First (provided by TAP), faith-based Anger Management offerings, Pre-Release Counseling, a Chaplaincy program, and Bible Study. During the 2021-2022 fiscal year, due to Covid-19 precautions, all in person programming was suspended for the safety of staff, visitors, and the inmate population.



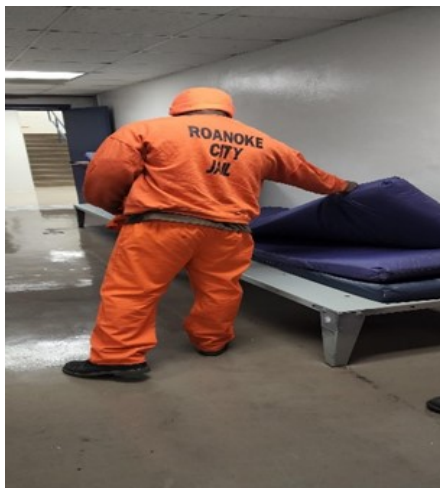
Support Services Division Cont...

The Roanoke City Jail in partnership with Naphcare, Inc. provides a full-time **Discharge Planner**, whom meets individually with inmates prior to their scheduled release. During these sessions, inmates are provided with information regarding community resources such as housing, employment, medical and mental health care. The Discharge Planner assists inmates returning to the community with resources they need to access treatment and medications.

In the Trusty Program, inmates perform daily duties within the jail, but may also perform duties outside of the facility. Areas of service include, but are not limited to, kitchen, property/laundry, maintenance, paint crew, and janitorial services. The Trusty Program provides an opportunity for inmates to develop a strong work ethic and to gain, enhance, and/or maintain work skills during the period of incarceration. Throughout fiscal year 2021-2022, there were 533 inmate workers that made up both indoor and outdoor trusty details

Inmate Work Crews are managed by **Sergeant Stacey Peters**. The Roanoke City Jail typically maintains both male and female work crews. For FY 21-22, work crews performed general labor equivalent to thousands of man hours. This includes 899 jobs benefiting the City of Roanoke and non-profit organizations. These tasks include snow removal, grass/lawn maintenance of city owned property and trash/debris removal. With the Covid-19 pandemic requiring extensive cleaning protocols, the inmate workers assisted with a considerable amount of cleaning, both in their own living areas, as well as common areas of the jail.

The City of Roanoke Wash House is also staffed by inmate workers. **Corporal Jeremy Bailey** supervises a crew of approximately 3-4 inmates which help keep the city fleet clean and maintained properly. In fiscal year 2021-2022, 1,755 City of Roanoke vehicles were washed by inmate workers at the Wash House.



Many of the jail renovations are handled by the Support Services Division in conjunction with the City of Roanoke maintenance team, as well as other outside vendors. Throughout FY 2021-2022, there were many projects completed that were necessary to maintain the safety and security of the facility. Some of the larger projects are listed below:

- Air purifiers installed in Jail, Court House, and Sheriff's Office/Civil Process.
- Jail Annex control panel upgrade – This project consisted of replacing outdated housing unit, duty post office, and control room panels with digital controls.
- Generator Fencing – This project consisted of constructing a security fence around the main outdoor facility generator.
- Hydroponic (Heating) Upgrade – This project is still ongoing; however, the 4th Floor and 3rd Floor have been fully completed.
- New dental chair purchased and installed.
- New Shower Enclosures - This project is still ongoing. However, all showers on 2nd Annex have been replaced along with one fully ADA compliant shower in the Segregation Unit and one fully ADA compliant shower in cell #2 on intake.
- New staff training room renovated on 2nd Floor of the jail.
- Third Floor Intercom Upgrade – This project consisted of replacing outdated intercoms in the housing units with a modern digital system.



Court Security Division

Major Brian McDaniel and Captain Deatria Muse lead the Court Security and Transportation Division.

The Courts division provides security for Circuit Court, General District Court, and Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court. Security extends to judges, courthouse staff, and the community.

During FY 21-22, Roanoke Sheriff's deputies screened 143,784 individuals at the two security stations of the courthouse, preventing unapproved contraband into the facility.

Courts were held cumulatively 1,602 days and there were 574 video arraignments.



One of the important functions overseen by Courts is contacting potential jurors for jury duty. Citizens are randomly selected from driver license or voter registration lists. Upon selection, the potential juror will receive a qualification questionnaire in the mail. Based on an increased number of jury scams requesting money, and not the questionnaire, the Roanoke City Sheriff's Office focused on public announcements to ensure our community was aware.

Renovations in the Courthouse began and the Juvenile Domestic Court section was refaced to include remodeling of the J & D lobby and clerk sections. Other renovations included an abatement and epoxy flooring project, installation of three video arraignment systems and the court holding desk was upgraded. The City of Roanoke began renovations on the front bailiff station working towards a more secure entry. This is expected to be complete by the end of FY 23.





Transportation: Deputies working in this capacity are responsible for transporting inmates to other facilities. As noted below, we made the following transports:

Inmates transported to correctional facilities	60
Inmates transported to local mental facilities	248
Inmates transported to out of town mental facilities	102
Mental hygiene warrants served	432
Civil Transports	20
Prisoners transported to local hospitals	80
Prisoners transported to doctors	36
Juvenile inmates transported to local juvenile facilities	38
Juvenile prisoners transported to/from out of town juvenile facilities	19
Prisoners transported to court facilities	16,612
Prisoners transported to court facilities (from other jurisdictions)	331
Prisoners transported to/from local jails	374
Prisoners transported to/from out of town jails	82
Prisoners transported from out of state facilities	2
Total inmates transported - FY 21-22	18,316
Total miles traveled - FY 21-22	148,653

Law Enforcement Division

The Law Enforcement Division is a new concept for the Roanoke City Sheriff's Office. Sheriff Hash decided to expand the capabilities of deputies to include law enforcement responsibilities within the community. Near the end of FY 22, this division was created to include restructuring of previous teams to include Civil Process, DARE, Training and Community Engagement. The Division is led by **Captain Gayle Combs** who is assisted by **Lieutenant Andrew Palmer**.

Beginning in June 2022, we began working downtown on Friday and Saturday nights, as law enforcement partners with the Roanoke City Police Department (RPD). Captain Combs, a former RPD Patrol Supervisor who is well versed in patrol procedures supervised the newly formed team to ensure training was being conducted and that procedures were followed.

As we move forward, deputies will begin to enforce traffic laws. Those within the division are excited to offer additional help to RPD and are embracing new concepts within the Sheriff's Office. The goal is to send deputies to radar school at the Roanoke Police Department Academy, which will enable us to accelerate the process of Radar certifying our School Resource Officers.

We continue to look for ways to collaborate with others and build upon our knowledge within the division. One way of doing this was working with the US Marshalls and RPD on various occasions to serve warrants.

Bike Patrol

In May 2022, seven deputies became certified cyclists through the International Police Mountain Bike Association. This was due to the cooperation received from RPD which allowed our deputies to train alongside their officers. We felt this skill set was necessary to offer coverage when needed along our greenways, parks, or downtown events.

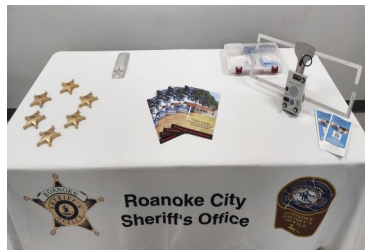


DARE/School Resource Officers (SRO's)

The Department is responsible for 17 Roanoke City Elementary schools. We take the responsibility for school safety very seriously. SRO's provide classes to help deter bullying, gangs, and explain the effects of drug and alcohol usage. The governing curriculum is Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.). This is a ten week curriculum presented to fifth grade students. COVID-19 affected our ability to teach during the fiscal year, however, SRO's handled 95 informal visits/presentations to lower grade levels, 113 conferences with parents, and 111 incidents/follow ups.



Some of the children the SRO's come in contact with may have autism or other developmental issues. Sheriff Hash ensures our agency is able to offer free access to Project Lifesaver. This international program assists in tracking and rescuing clients who have developmental or cognitive delays and may have a tendency to wander. Not only is it offered to children, but also to those suffering from Dementia and Alzheimer's. We continue to expand on the number of deputies and civilians certified as electronic search technicians as well as the number of people in the program. During FY 21-22, Roanoke City Sheriff's Office held a refresher and recertification class for our Project Lifesaver electronic search specialists and also added seven new clients.



Civil Process

Another area within the Law Enforcement division is Civil Process. This unit is responsible for proper and legal execution on all court orders, civil process, warrants, criminal and civil subpoenas, and other judicial documents in a professional and timely fashion. Civil Process deputies served civil, criminal and other warrants to those within the community. This includes 644 evictions received with 401 completed, 182 property pick-ups requests with 54 completed and 60 levies received with 47 completed. ** Uncompleted are writs deputies are in the process of executing, however the request is canceled. Ex: Deputy is at a location to uphold the processed eviction request however the landlords calls and cancels. Civil Process is also responsible for funeral processions and assisting when emergencies arise.

Law Enforcement Cont...

Tactical Team

The agencies' Tactical Team operates within this division. The specialized unit consists of 17 members responsible and equipped to respond to high risk situations, wherever they may arise. Primary coverage however is the jail and courts. The team trains for various scenarios at a minimum of 12 days a year.

Community Engagement

Prior to becoming Sheriff of Roanoke City, Sheriff Hash was known throughout the City for his community servitude. Early on, he made clear that the Sheriff's Office would work to improve the relationship with the community and expand on community service initiatives previously done at the department. To begin, this journey, the Sheriff promoted one of the School Resource Officers to Sergeant of Community Engagement. **Sergeant Brandi Lazare**, along with the **Community Relations Specialist, Tameka Paige** began to reach out to the schools, community partners and other entities to see if they were open to greater collaboration. This led to a magnitude of opportunities within the community to engage with others. One of the agencies we assisted was United Way. We were happy to go out and help clean one of our local parks.

We initiated new ways to bond with the community including a Meet & Great and Star walks.



The Sheriff hosted skate night for 100 kids to come out and enjoy food and fun.



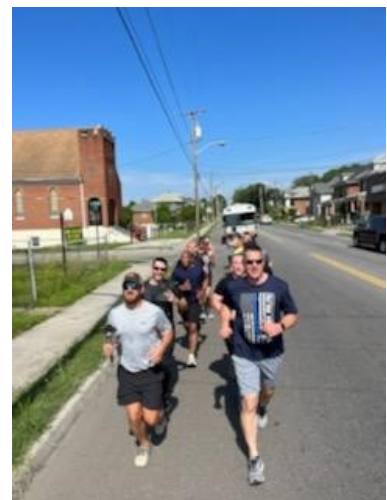
One of the free services offered to the community included our Shred event held on June 11, 2022. We also offered small businesses or community agencies the ability to setup for free to market their business or services.



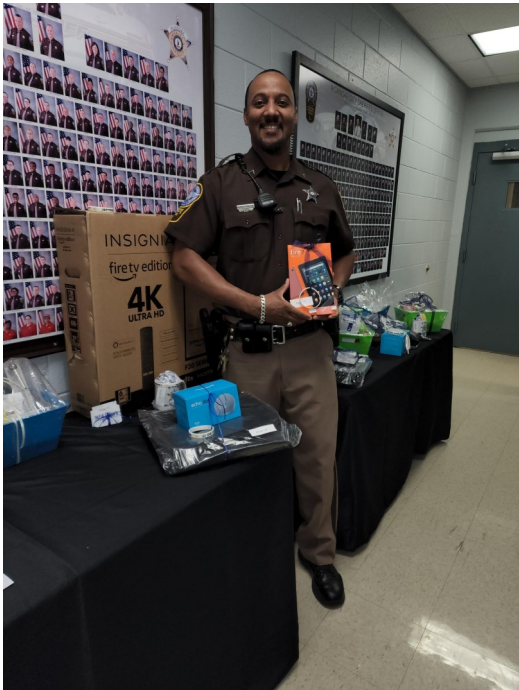
RSO is passionate about Autism Awareness. One way we support those with Autism is by offering Project Lifesaver. We attended several Autism awareness events and offer information on the program.



RSO participated in a Little Feet Meet, Cover the Cruiser, Torch Run & hosted a hot dog sale to benefit VA Special Olympics.



In May 2022, we celebrated our deputies during **Correctional Officers Week**. Our agency is appreciative of the community support and donations received. These were given to our deputies as a thank you for a job well done!



Staff Promotions



Colonel James Ferguson
 Lieutenant Colonel Jeff Jenkins
 Major Kimberly Miniclier
 Major Monica Perkins
 Major Brain McDaniel
 Captain John Williams
 Captain Nikki Jenkins
 Captain Deatria Muse
 Captain Brandon Young
 Lieutenant Jon Warren
 Lieutenant Andrew Palmer
 Lieutenant Angela Traynham
 Sergeant James Creasy
 Sergeant Timothy Young
 Sergeant David Perry
 Sergeant Brandy Lazare
 Sergeant Michael Wheeler
 Sergeant Kevin Lester
 Sergeant Crystal Dudley
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 Sergeant Stephen Whitesides
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