

WALLA WALLA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

2022 ANNUAL REPORT

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Message from the Sheriff

2022 was an extremely challenging year for the Walla Walla Sheriff's Office. Our main challenge this year was personnel related. We had two deputies retire, taking with them over 50 years of experience, and two other deputies who moved to different agencies. The County Commissioners also added two brand new positions in addition to approving a backfill for a newly established Federal Task Force position. If all that wasn't enough, we had two deputies that were out with medical issues for a large part of the year.

In a tribute to their pride and professionalism we were still able to continue to provide 24-hour service to the citizens of Walla Walla County. Your Deputies logged over 3000 hours of overtime to cover shifts and make sure we continued to provide our standard level of public safety. If you encounter a Deputy, please thank them for their service and know that they are very tired.

With that being said, we were able to hire a lateral Deputy who is passed Field Training and was out on his own mid summer. We had two Deputies attend the Basic Law Enforcement Academy (BLEA) in Burien, Washington and graduated at the end of July. One of them is working independently and the other is ready to do his check ride as I write this. We had two Deputies attend BLEA in Spokane and graduated in November. They are currently in the FTO process and should be on their own in March 2023. Additionally, we have two individuals who have passed all the requirements and will be attending BLEA in Spokane beginning in January and a lateral Deputy who should begin FTO in the next 90 days.

As you can see all our Deputies have been extremely busy and our training cadre is working extra hard to get our new Deputies on the road. We will continue to work with the County Commissioners to increase our staffing levels so we can continue to serve the citizens of Walla Walla County.

God Bless and stay safe,

Mark Crider
Sheriff, Walla Walla County

Vision

Our vision is to be amongst the finest law enforcement agencies in the State of Washington; one which consistently delivers the highest quality public service, in an effort to make Walla Walla the safest county in the nation.

Mission

Our mission is to safeguard the lives, property, and rights of the people we serve; reduce the incidence and fear of crime; and to enhance public safety while working with our community to improve their quality of life.

Our mandate is to do so with honor and integrity, while, at all times conducting ourselves with the highest ethical standards to maintain the confidence of the public we serve.

Core Values

We recognize the seven-pointed star badge of our office which we are privileged to wear as a symbol of public trust. With the heptagram being an ancient traditional symbol for warding off evil, each point of our badge represents one of our seven Core Values.

HONOR
Our daily actions shall embody our Vision, Mission, Core Values, and Code of Ethics.

INTEGRITY
We shall always do what is legally and morally right. We are honest and truthful in our words, and our actions shall match our words. Our integrity will build trust and confidence. Integrity is our moral defense against corruption.

LOYALTY
We bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America, the State of Washington, and the County of Walla Walla. We are loyal and faithful to our fellow law enforcement officers and the citizens we serve.

COURAGE
We shall have the personal courage to stand up for what is right. We will remain courageous and calm in the face of danger.

C*OMMITMENT*
We are committed to our profession, the vision and mission of the Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office, and an accountable partnership with our community.

DUTY
We will fulfill our obligations with selfless service and reverence for the law.

FAIRNESS
We will be courteous, just, and impartial in all of our interactions. We respect law and order and the individual. We will apply our knowledge and experience for the best advantage of all concerned. We will treat everyone with dignity and our decisions shall be made without personal favor.

RETIREMENTS



Chief Civil Deputy
Ron Varner
8 Years



Deputy
Jeff Jackson
29 Years



Deputy
Brad Ansorge
32 Years



Support Services Clerk II
Lloyd Redberg
6 Years

New to the Sheriff's Office

Deputies:



Tim Williams #157



Josh Parris #156



Mike Melcher #161



Allen Loe #158



Vance Boyer #160

Support Services Clerk II



Rebecca Simmons # 560

Support Services

Our friendly support services staff is available Monday through Friday during business hours of 8am – 5pm. They assist with concealed weapons permits, fingerprinting, civil paper service, special events applications, public disclosure requests, property, and crime prevention.

Our team is here to provide the best customer service to the community and is an essential to the operations of the Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office.



Sherri Krumbah

Support Services Specialist



Brandi Zimmerman

Support Services Clerk II



Rebecca Simmons

Support Services Clerk II



Lance Britain

Civil Services Process Officer

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
CPL Fingerprints Processed	445	373	312	489	293
CPL permits processed	1004	837	1043	1141	860
Pistol Transfers Process	678	880	1208	1159	997
Public Records Requests Processed	336	298	348	339	335
Protection Orders Received	99	138	132	68	100
Protection Orders Served	162	197	135	111	102
Civils Processed	222	2202	2234	1748	1120
Writs Served (or executed)	148	95	55	76	139
Sheriff Sales	7	17	3	0	2
Registered Sex Offenders	131	130	134	135	107

Patrol

Patrol Statistics, at a glance

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Arrests	284	350	387	365	257
Cases	1202	1257	1331	1093	1015
Incidents	13299	13069	11339	11452	10801
Tickets	602	569	668	728	356
Traffic Calls/Stops	3913	3244	2886	3730	2346

Crime and Trafic Statistics

Category	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Murder	1	1	1	0	1
Forcible Sex Offenses	13	7	14	6	5
Aggravated Assault	34	14	34	37	38
Simple Assault	99	71	69	54	46
Intimidation	26	26	14	7	13
Kidnapping	2	1	5	2	1
Incest	1	0	0	0	1
Non-Force Sex Offenses	1	1	1	1	1
No Contact Violations	26	42	38	25	41
Robbery	1	1	2	4	1
Burglary	80	91	108	62	68
Larceny	280	243	289	154	181
Motor Vehicle Theft	25	34	53	28	57
Arson	5	1	2	1	2
Vandalism	131	142	149	103	112
Counterfeiting/Forgery	7	8	3	3	12
Stolen Property	14	24	22	16	17
Fraud	32	33	53	30	37
Animal Cruelty	1	3	0	5	0
Drug/Narcotics Offenses	48	49	36	15	11
Weapon Violations	10	7	7	2	7
Collisions (incident or reported)	391	428	382	369	451
DUI Arrests (include Assist	28	28	30	30	29
Narcotics Arrest	33	34	38	21	3
Warrant Arrests	149	134	124	79	78
Calls For Service	**2018**	**2019**	**2020**	**2021**	**2022**
County	13277	12997	11255	11384	10801
Burbank	2345	2196	1965	2054	1794
Prescott	422	511	458	406	369
Waitsburg	775	726	913	703	597

Investigations


Detective Sergeant Mike Good #128

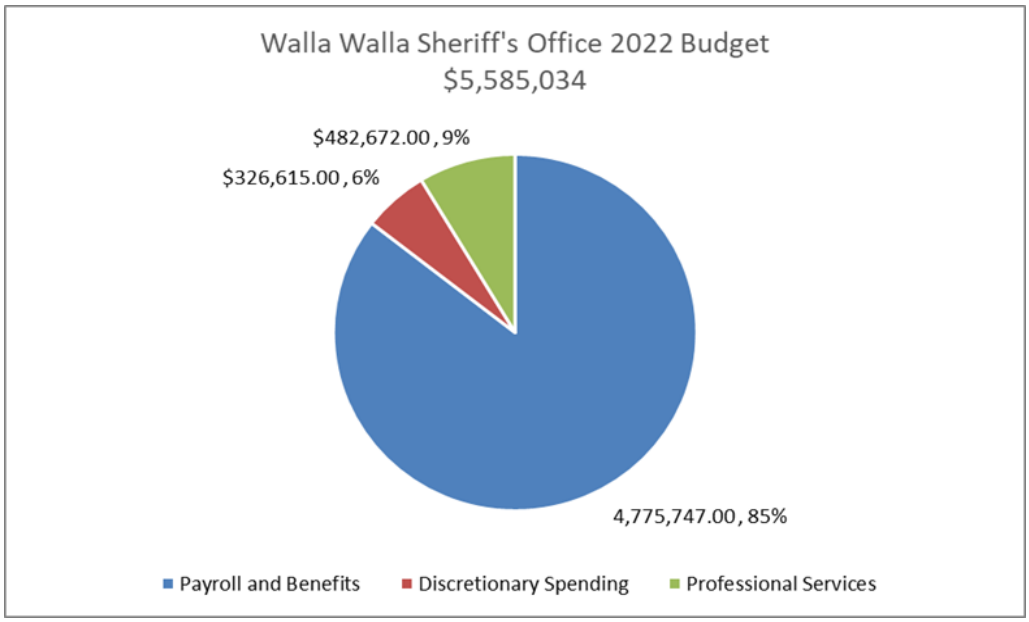

Detective James Greco #101

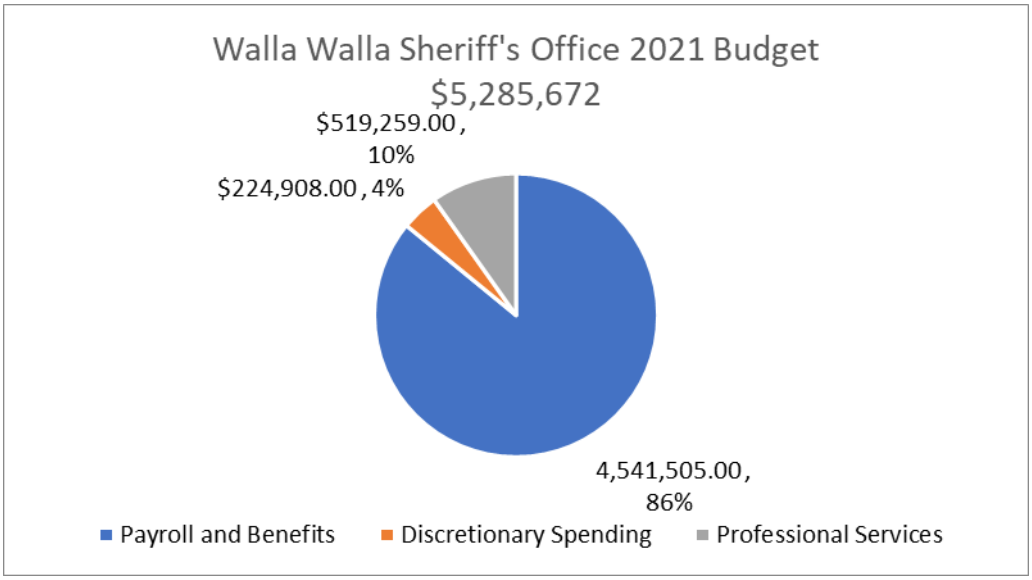

Detective Kristen Daschofsky #136

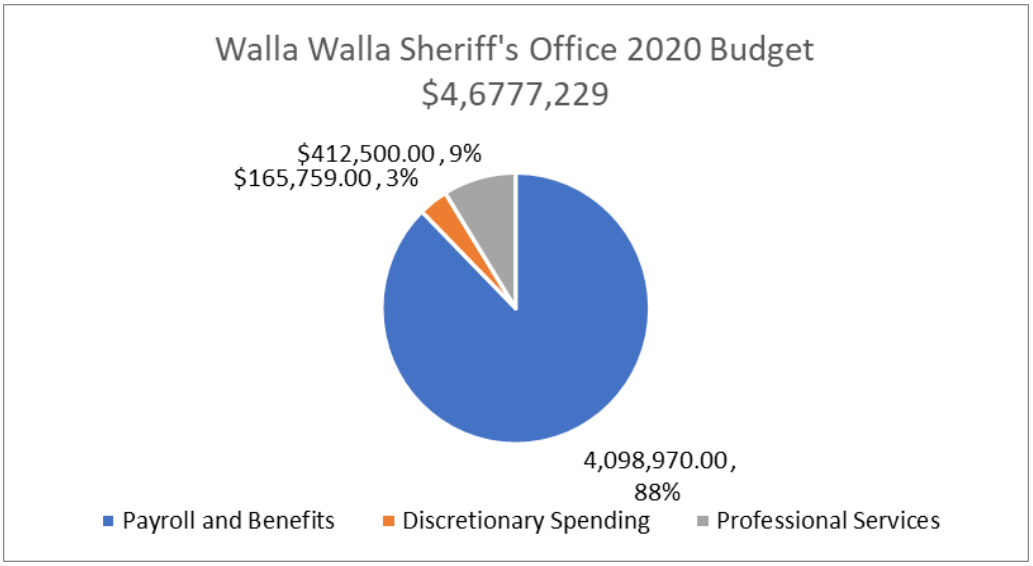
	2019	2020	2021	2022
Cases for Prosecution	23	31	12	10
Detective Investigations	90	81	62	11

Registered Sec Offender in Walla Walla County

	2018	2018	2020	2021	2022
Level 1	101	95	98	101	84
Level 2	21	22	20	19	14
Level 3	9	13	16	14	11
Transient	11	11	10	13	10


Walla Walla Sheriff's Office 2022 Budget
$5,585,034
$482,672.00, 9%
$326,615.00, 6%
4,775,747.00, 85%
Payroll and Benefits
Discretionary Spending
Professional Services


Walla Walla Sheriff's Office 2021 Budget
$5,285,672
$519,259.00, 10%
$224,908.00, 4%
4,541,505.00, 86%
Payroll and Benefits
Discretionary Spending
Professional Services


Walla Walla Sheriff's Office 2020 Budget
$4,6777,229
$412,500.00, 9%
$165,759.00, 3%
4,098,970.00, 88%
Payroll and Benefits
Discretionary Spending
Professional Services

Awards



Deputy
In Memory of
Sergeant Tom Bowman
Deputy of the Year
Brian Bush



Deputy
Top DUI Enforcement Officer
for 2022
Deputy Ashley Daschofsky



Administrative Employee of
the Year
Brandi Zimmerman

Congratulations are also in order…

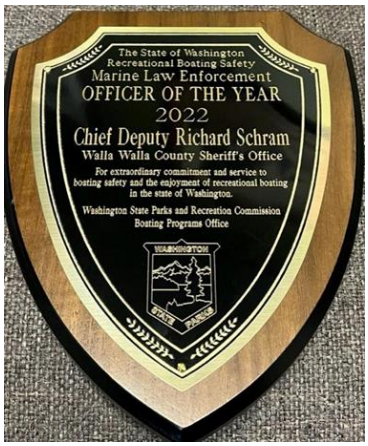


Thank you to Nancey McClenney-Walters for her 1000+ hours of volunteer time to help us prepare for Accreditation

Sheriff Crider Receiving the Defender of Freedom award from Representative Cathy McMorris Rogers.







Washington State Boating Administrator Bob Sendak presents Chief Deputy Richard Schram with the 2022 State pf Washington Boating Safety Marine Law Enforcement Officer of the Year award at the fall marine conference



Lance Britain receiving his 5-year pin from the Chief Civil Deputy and Sheriff Crider

WWSO K9 TEAM 2022 REPORT

2022 DEPLOYMENTS

01/27/2022 – 500 block Offner Rd. WWPD request article search assist for possibly tossed firearm.

02/19/2022 – Hop Thief burglary. Subject found hiding in upstairs office during search with K9 and apprehended without incident.

04/03/2022 – 200 block Wheatland Dr. Wanted vehicular homicide subject located and barricaded himself inside residence. Subject gave up immediately upon learning of K9 on scene.

05/01/2022- 400 block Chestnut St. Assisted WWPD with securing the perimeter for wanted hit and run suspect. Suspect arrested without incident.

05/15/2022 – Bicycle Barn burglary. Performed building search of Bicycle Barn following recent break in. Later review of video showed subjects left prior to LEO arrival.

06/16/2022 – Vape n Goods burglary. WWPD request track for burglary which had just occurred. Suspects were determined to be young juveniles so no track was performed.

06/22/2022 – Bi Mart burglary. Building search performed of the Bi Mart store after recent burglary. Later review of video determined subjects left prior to LEO arrival.

06/27/2022 – 16000 block Highway 12. Performed track for wanted subject who had recently eluded LEO and crashed into a house at that location before fleeing on foot. Subject was located next day when he arrived at a local store asking for water.

06/30/2022 – 1000 block Waverly St. Assisted WWPD with a building search of a residence whose front door was found open. Residence was searched and found unoccupied.

08/05/2022 – 300 block Grape St. Assist WWPD with barricaded wanted subject who had recently assaulted roommates. During K9 announcements subject exited out a side window where he was apprehended without incident.



2022 HIGHLIGHTS

- Deputy Daschofsky and K9 Murphy recertified as a patrol team passing both CJTC and WSPCA standards.
- Began talks with Port of Walla Walla for much needed K9 Training area.
- When staffing allowed, continued our monthly trainings alongside Spokane Police Departments K9 team.





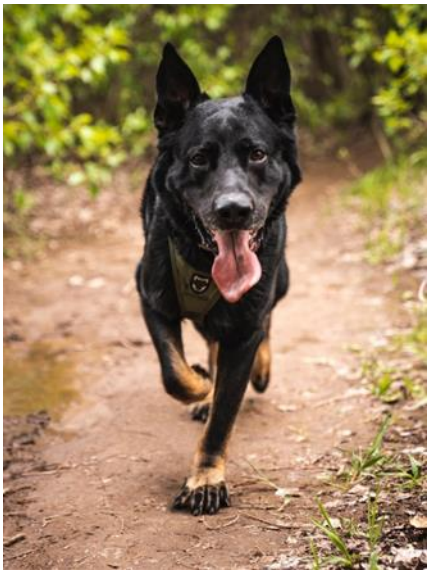
Sheriff's Office Events



Boaters Education with Deputy Brown and Deputy Bush at Berney Elementary School.



K9 Murphy on the lookout for bad guys at the office.

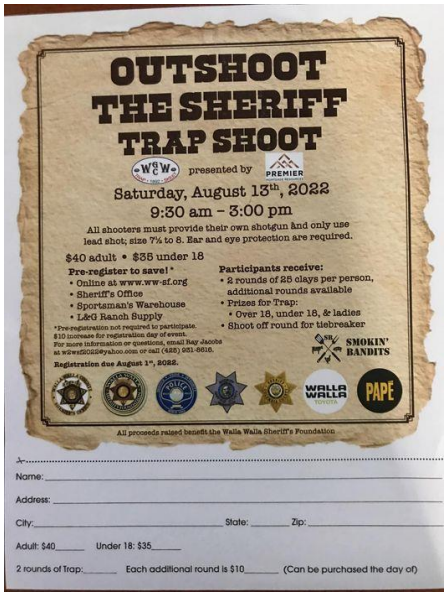


Murphy's photo shoot for 2023 Calendar



Deputy Stites, Officer Reyna of the Walla Walla Police Dept and Officer Schild of College Place Police Dept. having a little fun at the fair.

The public was invited to outshoot the Sheriff sponsored by the Walla Walla County Sheriff's Foundation.



Dare Graduations

Dare Officer Deputy Aaron Stites



Dixie Elementary School

Prescott Elementary School





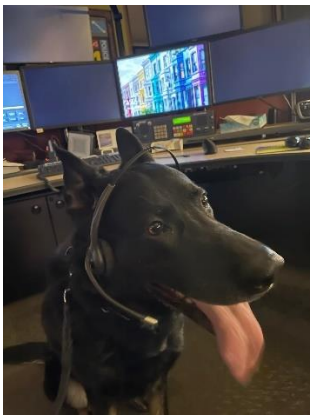
Waitsburg Elementary School



Sheriff for a Day Emma Gibbons with Sheriff Crider, Undersheriff Klundt and Sergeant Kevan Gifford (Emma's Uncle)

Fast Moving Wheat and Stubble Field fire near Valley Grove Road.





K9 Murphy visiting Dispatch 😊

Deputy Boyer and girlfriend at the Hero's run 2022 with 1st place for Top Team Participation for the 4th year



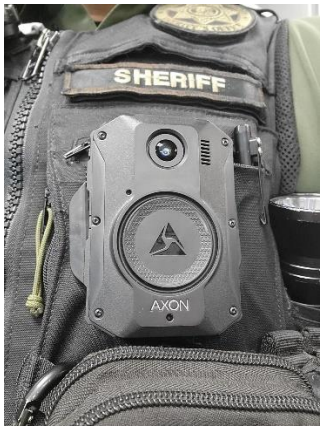
Retirement of Lloyd Redberg after 6 years of service with his wife Gayle, Sheriff Crider and Chief Civil Deputy Ron Varner





Retirement of Chief Civil Deputy Ron Varner and Undersheriff Joe Klundt.

Sheriff's Office began using body cameras on patrol increasing safety and transparency in the agency. Thank you to the County Commissioners for equipping our Deputies with this great tool for Law Enforcement



Graduates of Basic Law Enforcement Academy in 2022

Graduation of

Deputy's Josh Parris, Tim Williams, Allen Loe, and Vance Boyer









Welcoming Home a Hero!!

State Trooper Dean Atkinson



