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Sheriff	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	
108-2700	Adopted	CAO	
	Budget	Recommended	Change
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries and Benefits	\$16,412,268	\$17,936,827	\$1,524,559
Services and Supplies	\$6,495,462	\$6,174,077	(\$321,385)
Other Charges	\$2,290,373	\$2,290,373	\$0
Fixed Assets	\$2,241,343	\$2,125,000	(\$116,343)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$27,439,446	\$28,526,277	\$1,086,831
REVENUE			
Fed/State	\$3,701,894	\$3,739,565	\$37,671
Grant	\$20,500	\$458,654	\$438,154
Realignment			\$0
Fees/Misc	\$9,856,346	\$8,714,718	(\$1,141,628)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$13,578,740	\$12,912,937	(\$665,803)
FUND BALANCE	\$169,438	\$1,052,425	\$882,987
NET COUNTY COST	\$13,691,268	\$14,560,915	\$869,647

Program Description

The **Operations Division** of the Yuba County Sheriff’s Department is the most diversified division within the organization, and the one that most frequently comes into contact with the public. Some of the key components are:

- Patrol Unit:** Patrol is the largest unit in the Operations Division and provides around-the-clock services to more than 65,000 residents in the unincorporated areas of Yuba County. The Patrol Unit is divided between Valley Patrol and Foothill Patrol. Valley Patrol operates from our main office in Marysville and serves the communities south and immediately north of the City of Marysville. Foothill Patrol operates primarily with Resident Deputies that work from our Brownsville Substation serving the foothill communities northeast of Marysville.
- Investigations Unit:** This unit conducts the most serious and complex criminal investigations. Detectives are specially trained at interviewing, interrogating, report writing, and crime scene processing. Most felony crimes (including homicides, robberies, burglaries, serious physical assaults, and sexual assaults) are investigated by the unit.
- Net-5 Narcotics Task Force:** The Sheriff’s Department is one of the founding member agencies of this multi-agency narcotics task force. The task force serves the Yuba-Sutter area and includes officers from the local law enforcement agencies. This combination of resources is vital in combating the most complex narcotics investigations that plague our communities.

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- **Marijuana Eradication Team (METYU):** METYU investigates the illegal cultivation and sales of marijuana. The team is comprised of Deputies from both Patrol and Investigations. METYU focuses on illegal commercial marijuana enterprises and the chemical processing of marijuana commonly known as Butane Honey-Oil labs.
- **Sex Offender Program:** The Sheriff’s Department is very proactive in its approach to monitor sex offenders who work or reside in Yuba County. Offenders are required to register with the department. Our program uses that information to diligently monitor the registrants for legal compliance.
- **Technical Search and Rescue:** This team is responsible for coordinating search and rescue operations in Yuba County as well as providing mutual aid to our region. Team members are trained in swift water rescue, underwater recovery, and land-based operations. The team is well equipped with the latest and most effective equipment to allow them to handle any type of terrain. The team deployed over a dozen times for immediate responses within Yuba County and the region.
- **Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT):** Our SWAT team serves the Yuba-Sutter area and is combined with members from the Yuba City and Marysville Police Departments. This team is highly trained to respond and assume control of any critical incident, such as active shooters, hostage situations, barricaded subjects, and the execution of dangerous arrest and search warrants. The Crisis Negotiations Team is a component of SWAT. Crisis negotiators are specially trained to negotiate highly volatile situations to a peaceful resolution. They work in tandem with the tactical component of SWAT.
- **Coroner and Public Administrator:** These functions and responsibilities are a component of the Sheriff’s Department. The Coroner has the responsibility to investigate and determine the cause and manner of death. The Public Administrator functions focus on the administration of personal estates when there is no executor or other person qualified or willing to serve as administrator of the estate.
- **Canine Program:** The canine program is a valuable part of the Patrol Unit. Canine handlers, with their canine partners, assist with building searches, criminal apprehension, search and rescue missions, crowd control, SWAT operations, article searches, community events, and personal protection. The department currently has four canines on patrol assigned to the Operations Division.
- **Field Training Program:** Newly hired Patrol Deputies are first assigned to a 16-week Field Training Program before they can work in a solo capacity. The training program is divided into four phases of increasing difficulty designed to provide instructions in all aspects of patrol work. Recruits are evaluated on a daily basis. Successful completion of the program is mandatory. The program also includes an accelerated lateral training program, which is a modified version of the full 16 week program.

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- **Crime Prevention:** We embrace the philosophy that it is better to prevent a crime than to investigate one. Crime Prevention programs are an essential component to meeting that goal. Establishing partnerships within the community and educating our citizens on the most effective ways to address crime and quality of life issues are part of our commitment towards this endeavor.
- **Property and Evidence System:** The Sheriff's Department has an extensive Property and Evidence System. Each year thousands of items pass through this system. Items are received, categorized, stored, and disposed of in accordance with the law. An accurate and legally sound chain of custody with evidence is an essential part of the criminal justice system.
- **Auxiliary Programs:** The Sheriff's Department has several programs that support our mission. They include our Sheriff's Team of Active Residents in Service (STARS), Sheriff's Reserve Programs, Sheriff's Cadet Program, Sheriff's Posse Programs, and Sheriff's Aero Squadron. Each group contributes to the department with a unique purpose. The commitment and dedication of those who serve are invaluable to the department.
- The **Communications Unit** is responsible for all emergency 911 services, non-emergency business calls and radio dispatching for the Yuba County Sheriff's Department, Wheatland Police Department, ambulance services, and four fire agencies plus the California Department of Forestry (CalFire). The unit is staffed 24/7.
- The **Records Unit** is responsible for maintaining an extensive records section, which includes criminal arrest warrants, criminal reports, permits, criminal arrest records, crime statistics, Live Scan fingerprinting, and a host of other documents. The Unit also provides mandated data collection for domestic violence restraining orders and a variety of state mandated statistics.
- The **Training Unit** manages internal training efforts through daily training bulletins, roll call training programs, and regular in-house training in perishable skills. Additionally, they manage an effective program to send personnel to specialty training using funds reimbursed by the California Peace Officer Standards and Training Program.
- Recruitment is a continuous effort as we seek the best available applicants for the Yuba County Sheriff's Department. Working alongside the County's Human Resources Department, we coordinate recruitment efforts through job fairs and other marketing programs.

The Support Services Division is one of three divisions within the Yuba County Sheriff's Department. As the name implies, the division provides support for all the Units and Divisions with the Sheriff's Department. It ensures the backbone and the infrastructure of the department is in place to allow the department to serve the public. The division is comprised of a variety of programs and services, including **Community Engagement and Services, Asset Management, Technical Support, and Grants and Special Projects.**

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Community Engagement and Services

The Sheriff's Department demonstrates a strong and deliberate bond with our community. The goal of this unit is to provide the tools and resources to help build a community that is strong, safe, and informed.

- Our ***Citizen Academy*** is a community-oriented initiative that provides citizens with an opportunity to learn about the role, responsibilities, and operations of the Sheriff's Department. The program is designed to foster better relationships between law enforcement and the community by providing citizens with a better understanding of law enforcement practices, procedures, and challenges. The Citizen Academy is an excellent opportunity for citizens to gain insight into the workings of law enforcement and to become more engaged and active in the safety and security of our community.
- The ***Sheriff's Website and Social Media*** platforms communicate our message to the public with open accessibility and honest transparency. We are proud of our community for being both engaged and actively informed, which are critical components of the culture that we have developed together. The public safety insights and information provided by our team directly support our residents' participation in such an important partnership.
- The ***Adult Offender Work Program (AOWP)*** originated from the Yuba County Probation Department after AB 109 was passed in 2011. The Sheriff's Community Services Officer (CSO) serves as the Program Coordinator and oversees the day-to-day direct supervision of the AOWP participants. The Program Coordinator ensures that participants are fulfilling their assigned tasks/work hours as ordered by the Yuba County Superior Court. The AOWP participants spend a majority of their time cleaning up public roads, parking lots and after public events.
- The ***Sheriff's Teams of Active Residents in Service (STARS)*** is a citizen volunteer group associated with the Sheriff's Department. The program consists of community members, age 18 and older, who volunteer time for the department in a variety of ways. STARS members assist with neighborhood patrol, vacation house checks, community events, traffic control, vehicle maintenance, neighborhood watch programs, animal care services, clerical support, and community outreach events.
- The ***Sheriff's Concealed Carry Weapons Permit Program (CCW)*** is our County program that allows individuals to apply for and obtain a permit to carry a concealed firearm in public. This program is designed to ensure that qualified and responsible individuals are allowed to carry concealed firearms in public, while promoting public safety and reducing the risk of gun-related incidents.

Asset Management

This unit incorporates the management of the Sheriff's Department fleet, facilities, and equipment. The goals of the unit are to effectively manage and optimize the utilization of our assets to improve operational efficiency, reduce costs, and improve safety and compliance, while providing the Department with the most effective tools required to be successful in serving our community.

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- The **Sheriff's Fleet** is comprised of vehicles and vessels for our Officer and Deputy personnel. These units require specialized service equipment based on the designation of the vehicle across various uses ranging from Animal Care Service units to our Marine units. The department utilizes a manufacturer maintenance package for the standard upkeep of the vehicles along with local community vendors for service.
- Our **Sheriff Facilities** include the County Jail, Animal Care Services Facility, Daily Reporting Center, and Brownsville Substation. These facilities are essential to the Sheriff's Department functions and the continued optimization and maintenance for safety and compliance are always a top priority.
- The **Public Safety Equipment** items are intricately managed to maximize the effectiveness and safety for our personnel. Examples of this type of specialized equipment include items ranging from encryption capable radio communication devices to training materials for our Search and Rescue team.

Technical Support Unit

Technical Support is responsible for managing and maintaining the technological systems and infrastructure for the Sheriff's Department and works in collaboration with the County Information Technology Division to support the specialized law enforcement functions. Advancements in law enforcement technology present new exciting opportunities to enhance our operational effectiveness in the community. The Sheriff's Department is actively employing several new resources and applications in order to improve response times, gather more accurate information faster and enhance public and personnel safety.

Grant and Special Projects Unit

The Sheriff's Department recognizes the need for the efficient and effective implementation of grant and project management. The goal of this unit is to leverage the collective resources and expertise from our County and strategic community partners to secure funding and implement projects that will enhance our service to the community.

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Accomplishments

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The Operations Division

- Participated in Shop with a Cop as part of our strong community outreach approach.
- Continued our crime prevention efforts through the distribution of literature, virtual community meetings, social media, and neighborhood watch.
- Continued our coordination with local farmers for crime prevention and theft awareness.
- Continued and expanded our Smart Water detection program to assist in identifying Ag Theft.
- Conducted a strong sexual offender registration and monitoring program.
- Continue to maintain strong and active auxiliary programs.
- Successful prosecution of several serious felony investigations.
- Continued to actively and aggressively enforce operations related to the opioid pandemic.
- Expanded an already strong social media platform to better communicate and interact with our community.
- Implemented a Public Safety Information Officer.
- Maintained the working relationship with the Hard Rock Casino.
- Maintained an online system for concealed weapons permits.
- Maintained a computer kiosk in the Sheriff's Department public lobby to allow public access to our online CCW permit and online crime reporting systems.
- Implemented the County ordinance to become compliant with AB 481.
- Completed the process for AB 481 for reporting and identifying designated Military Equipment.
- Continued an aggressive hiring process to fill vacancies in patrol, dispatch, and support staff.
- Recruited and hired several excellent employees. Maintained a strong presence in the Law Enforcement Academies at community colleges in Yuba and Butte.
- Sponsored several trainees through the Butte Academy, aiding in their success as full time Patrol Deputies.
- Successfully implemented the CritiCall program to expedite the testing process for dispatch applicants.
- Continued training in the K9 handler's training in a Basic SWAT school for deploying with the SWAT teams.
- Continued to maintain and complete our POST training mandates in the area of Perishable Skills, which included one additional skill added by POST.
- Updated training in the County's "CodeRED" Emergency Notification System.
- Successfully deployed and maintained the ZoneHaven evacuation software.
- Continued updating the department manual in Lexipol.
- Successfully trained and monitored the newly hired Laterals utilizing the modified Lateral Field Training Program.
- Maintained the equipment in the Command Post to include radios, cameras, and computer systems to be utilized from critical event deployments as well as special events.
- Updated, maintained, and purchased new safety equipment for DAR/SAR team.
- Provided mutual aid to outside and neighboring agencies for search and rescue and natural disasters.
- Maintained our department peer support team and Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) team.

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- Maintained our working relationship with the Sacramento Regional Terrorist Threat Assessment Center (RTAC) with our Terrorism Liaison Officer.
- All YCSO personnel continued to receive updated California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) training as required by law. This training is managed through the YCSO Dispatch staff.
- All United States Department of Justice (DOJ) required CLETS testing for Sheriff's Department personnel continued to ensure the entire department is in compliance.
- Finalized the "NG 911" (Next Generation 911) system and Text911.
- Successfully completed and passed our DOJ CLETS audit.
- Maintained a healthy Body Worn Camera (Lenslock) system.
- Continue to maintain the RIPA (Racial and Identity Profiling Act) requirements, utilizing the Lenslock portal.
- Successfully utilized the DOC at the Sheriff's Office for multiple initial critical incident responses.
- Successfully implemented an ALPR (automated license plate readers) throughout the county.
- Participated in Community Safety Fairs to educate the public on evacuation plans, early warning systems, and general public safety.
- Maintained the two Deputies integrated into Code Enforcement.
- Maintained a strong hold on the abated homeless encampments, cleaning up hazardous and blight issues on private properties as well as the waterways in the county.
- Added a second School Resource Officer assigned to the MJUSD. One is assigned directly to Lindhurst High School and the other to the rest of the schools in the district.
- Expanded and maintained the Drone program into the Sheriff's Department which is utilized for SWAT, SAR, surveillance projects, and evidence documentation.
- Maintained an active Reserve Deputy program which supplemented law enforcement capabilities, providing a safe community for the citizens.
- Maintained a four-month rotation, moving out of the previous six-month rotation, as requested by the staff to better fit their lifestyles allowing for a better life experience away from work.
- Continued our crime prevention efforts through the distribution of literature, virtual community meetings, social media, and neighborhood watch in collaboration with a media consulting firm.
- Conducted a strong sexual offender registration and monitoring program.
- Continued to maintain a strong social media presence to better communicate and interact with our community.
- Maintained and enhanced our crime analysis program.
- Added additional safety equipment to each Patrol Sergeant's unit for a safe and a rapid response to critical incidents.
- Obtained needed equipment for the multiple units within the division.
- Completed the first of many citizen's academies.
- During the past fiscal year, patrol staffing increased from 40 Deputies to 52 Deputies on patrol. Five of these Deputies were laterals from other law enforcement agencies and seven were local law enforcement academy graduates.

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The Support Services Division

Community Engagement and Services Unit

- CCW Program
 - We enhanced our concealed weapons permit program with updates to the online system and the addition of a CCW permit card system.
- Community Service / SWAP Program
 - Partnered our Alternative Offender Work Program with community groups such as the Yuba-Sutter Food Bank, Habitat for Humanity, Reclamation District #784, and SayLove.
 - This year totaled 304 participants, who expended over 12,000 hours of community service work. There were 187 total participants who successfully completed all their court assigned hours.
 - Improvement projects included Yuba County Airport grounds maintenance, business district cleanups, and landscaping at the Animal Care Services facility.
- 290 Offender Registration
 - Conducted a strong sexual offender registration and monitoring program.
 - Continued the implementation of the DOJ Appeals process for Tiered Sex Offenders (SB 384).
- STARS Volunteer Program
 - The program is comprised of more than 20 volunteers with new additions as recently as February of this year. These volunteers contributed more than 2,500 hours this year and over 280,000 hours since the program began in 1997.
- Citizen Academy
 - The Yuba County Citizen Academy has been a great success with two separate courses in the Fall of 2022 and Spring of this year. Attendance at the Spring Academy doubled, with over 30 participants between the two sessions.
- Sheriff Website / Social Media
 - The Sheriff-Coroner website has been updated and migrated to the County platform for enhanced security and functionality to the public.
- Participated in Shop with a Cop as part of our strong community outreach approach.
- Continued our crime prevention efforts through the distribution of literature, virtual community meetings, social media, and neighborhood watch in collaboration with a media consulting firm.

Asset Management Unit

- The fleet transitioned to FirstNet services for improved communications on a dedicated network for public safety.
- Continued to maintain the vehicle fleet through a strong maintenance program while adding vehicles to multiple divisions.
- Completed the build-out of the newly purchased vehicles while establishing a long-term procurement process for law enforcement vehicle equipment.
- The installation of initial Mobile Pyramid Repeaters, which enhanced communication connection in our Foothill patrol.
- Developed new fleet management policies and procedures to extend the life of the vehicles and effectiveness in the field.

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- A comprehensive five-year plan to upgrade the fleet was developed in collaboration with Administrative Services to provide our Deputies with safe and reliable vehicles to help protect and serve our community.
- Implemented security cameras with enhanced monitoring capabilities at the Animal Care Facility to improve the safety and security of the facility, which can be monitored from our Dispatch Center.
- Completed security upgrades for our Daily Reporting Center and preparations for the new security camera system.
- Completed the installation of a fenced expansion at the ACS facility, providing more usable space for housing animals and mitigating emergency evacuations.
- The Sheriff's Building had a new roof installation completed as part of the preventive maintenance and long-term capital improvement plan initiatives.
- The Jail Administration office expansion was completed, incorporating the much-needed space that was previously vacant and unutilized.
- The Jail Facility underwent extensive plumbing improvements and upgrades that will better serve the housing units and prevent severe impediments to operations.
- The Ligature-free project was completed at the jail with specialized renovations with enhanced safety features.

Technical Support Unit

- Our update of NetMotion Server provides added security for our Deputies in the mobile units for the vehicles to access operational information faster and over a secured network.
- Portable Harris Radios with P25 Encryption capabilities have been configured and distributed to Patrol Deputies in compliance with DOJ requirements.
- Pyramid Repeaters have been in our Foothill Patrol vehicles to enhance communications in rural areas of the County.
- Additional FirstNet devices installed in our Command Vehicle and Dispatch Center to prevent interruptions to call-taking operations in the event of network outages.

Grant and Special Projects

- **Public Safety Software System Upgrade** – We are in the process of upgrading our public safety software, which includes our Computer Aided Dispatch and Records Management systems. The new system will provide for more efficient and effective organization of data and records through a comprehensive application dedicated to the specialized needs of public safety.

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- **Flock Automatic License Plate Recognition System**- The newly implemented system is a powerful resource for the Sheriff’s Department which provides real-time, actionable data to our operations division. Our strategic placement of 30 cameras throughout the county has led to several arrests and resolutions for our community with improved response and investigative capabilities. The Flock network provides for collaborative information sharing between other law enforcement agencies in the area to form a regional network in addition to a transparency portal for the public understand exactly how this tool is used to make our community safer.
- **Medical and Mental Health Facility** – Construction commenced on the new facility that will have 12 beds dedicated to medical and mental health treatment needs of inmates in Yuba County Jail. A radiology and dental clinic will also be included, in addition to program and group treatment areas.
- **School Violence Prevention Program Grant** - The development of an MOU and procurement plan was completed in conjunction with Marysville Unified School District through a Community Oriented Policing Services Grant. The School Violence Prevention Program awarded the grant in the amount of \$425,704. This project will significantly enhance the security systems of the schools in our community.
- **Homeland Security Grant Program** – The 2020 HSGP provides for multiple projects including enhancements for cybersecurity and the protection of soft targets in the business and entertainment districts.
- **Public Safety Power Shutoff** – A PG&E funded program working in collaboration with our Office of Emergency Services. The project includes a new backup generator for our Animal Care Services facility.
- **Board of State and Community Corrections Officer Wellness and Mental Health Grant** - Awarded in the amount of \$73,016.60 for establishing wellness and mental health initiatives including peer support and professional services.

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Performance Measures

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Tables/Charts/Graphs

2022 Part 1 Crimes with Historical Comparisons

YEAR	VIOLENT CRIMES					PROPERTY CRIME				ARSON	TOTAL VIOLENT	TOTAL PROPERTY	TOTAL PART 1 UCR	POPULATION (CA DEPT. OF FINANCE ESTIMATES)	VIOL RATE PER 10,000	PROP RATE PER 10,000	TOTAL PART 1 CRIME RATE PER 10,000
	TOTAL VIOLENT	HOMICIDE & NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER	FORCIBLE RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	TOTAL PROPERTY	BURGLARY	LARCENY - THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT**								
2022	200	11	23	20	146	652	267	520	31	15	200	652	852	82,275	24	79	104
2021	217	6	15	40	156	692	158	513	21	18	217	692	909	63596	34	109	143
2020	309	2	18	41	248	895	251	620	24	26	309	895	1204	62822	49	142	192
2019	207	5	21	38	143	856	317	528	11	11	207	856	1063	61586	34	139	173
2018	225	7	28	45	145	912	338	560	14	21	225	912	1137	60929	37	150	187
2017	228	4	18	37	169	1180	439	735	6	17	228	1180	1408	59095	39	200	238
2016	210	3	11	32	164	1086	335	744	7	18	210	1086	1296	58816	36	185	220
2015	227	3	19	40	165	1223	417	799	7	11	227	1223	1450	58588	39	209	247
2014	205	1	17	40	147	1298	425	861	12	14	205	1298	1503	57921	35	224	259
2013	185	3	22	24	136	1303	457	839	7	13	185	1303	1488	57696	32	227	259
2012	193	6	17	20	150	1307	429	873	5	14	193	1307	1500	57042	34	229	263

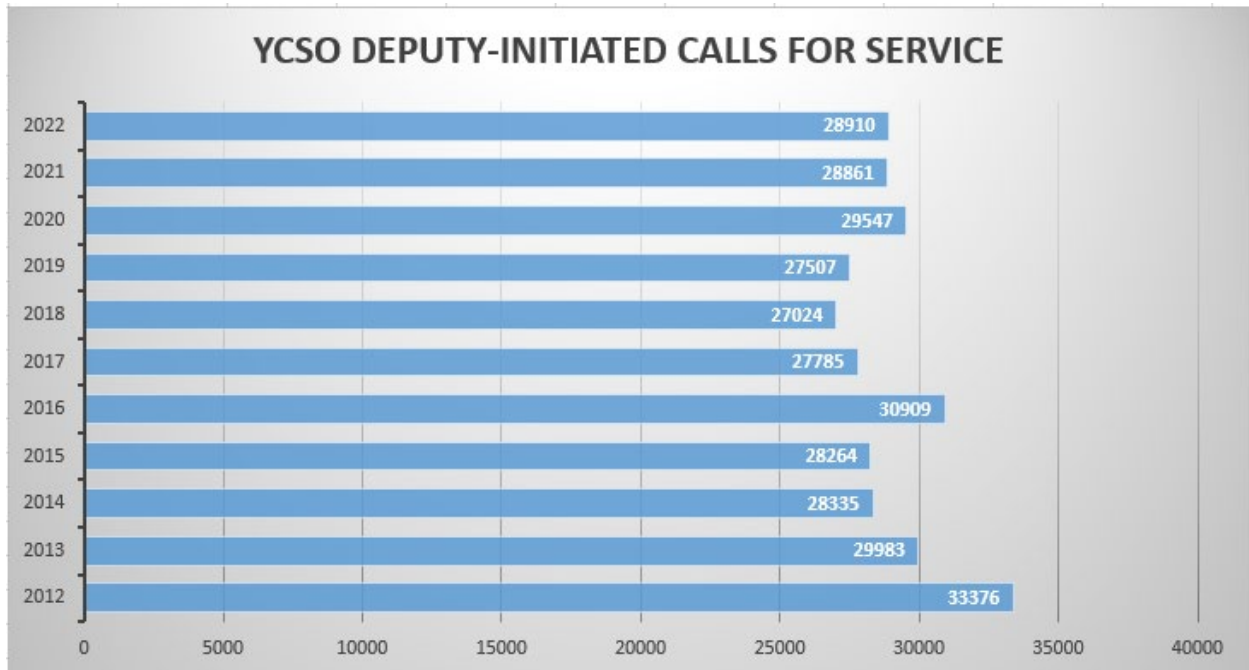
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UCR Category	2022	2021	% change
Property Crime	652	739	-12%
Violent Crime	200	225	-11%
Total UCR Crime	852	964	-12%

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Yuba County Sheriff Operations Division Calls for Service and Deputy Initiated Calls



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Goals and Objectives

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- Continue to improve safety and security throughout our business districts to enhance growth and business partnerships.
- Develop and participate in ROP Public Safety Course through MJUSD to educate youth on function and career opportunities in the Law Enforcement field.
- Maintain in-house training, which meets the POST compliant objectives wherever possible.
- Continued compliance with POST perishable skills training.
- Add needed staffing, as approved by the Board of Supervisors, to keep up with projected growth within the county.
- Identify and apply for grant opportunities.
- Continue to improve the use of crime analysis by working with the Patrol and Detective Units to develop and to provide even more timely and pertinent information on crime trends and patterns.
- Continue to work with the Crime Analysis Unit to develop as much information and statistical data as possible which will help identify the criminal element and possible methods of operation.
- Continue to work with Deltawrx to purchase and implement new CAD, JMS, and RMS systems.
- Implement LPR (License Plate Readers) into the surrounding community.
- Maintain the RIPA (Racial and Identity Profiling Act) reporting process to comply with DOJ standards.
- Continue our intergraded Code Enforcement/YCSO team enforcement plan to address homeless encampments, blight, and marijuana eradication.
- Maintain the abated locations to prevent blight issues within the county.
- Maintain the tiered appeals process for 290 registrants (SB 384).
- Continue to build on and provide the community with the ZoneHaven public-facing sight, which allows for expedited warnings during emergency events. It is also an information platform for PSPS (Public Safety Power Shutoff) events (Flood, Fire and PSPS) fire mitigation programs and safety preparedness through established links.
- Continue to advance our relationship with Beale Air Force Base to have joint trainings.
- Update MOU's and contracts with other agencies, departments, and private groups.
- Fill all allocated positions within the department.
- Implement and maintain a dual training program between the Operations and Jail Divisions.
- Continue to support role for allied agencies in times of natural disaster needs and/or search and rescue incidents.
- Complete a DOC protocol for critical incidents that will be able to be maintained a minimum of 48 hours, until an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) can be established.
- Maintain specialized proگرامing for the health and wellness of the entire department through grant sourcing and local community partnerships.
- To inspire more volunteers to engage with the Sheriff's Department for purposeful action that serves the community.
- To facilitate interactions with the community that promote our values of safety and security.

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- To participate in crime prevention through environmental design strategies with new housing developments in the county.
- Develop systems that will allow for electronic payment of fees and services to the public.
- Continue to improve the use of crime analysis by working with the Patrol and Detective Units to develop and to provide even more timely and pertinent information on crime trends and patterns.
- For the Crime Analysis Unit to continue working closely with the Administration and Operations Staff to develop as much information and statistical data as possible which will help identify the criminal element and possible methods of operation.
- To develop a more expansive social media program with a dedicated Social Media Coordinator to include videos, such as Facebook Live and information videos, for public and recruitment purposes.
- Implement the new Crime Analysis section on the department intranet.
- Create a grant oversight function within Support Services to facilitate and expand the ability to source and receive grant funding and awards.
- Develop resources and implement specialized programming for the health and wellness of the entire department through grant sourcing and local community partnerships.
- Create a functional space that can be dedicated to training and wellness with the versatility to allow multiple forms of peer support programming.
- Enhance the Adult Work Program with a renewed focus on improvements to public amenities through additional community partnerships.
- Establish a preventive plumbing maintenance plan for Sheriff's facilities that will prevent constant calls for servicing.
- Optimize the utilization of our fleet and public safety equipment to improve operational efficiency, reduce costs, and improve safety and compliance, while providing the department with the most effective tools required to be successful in serving our community.
- Inspire more members of the community to join our STARS volunteer team through our department programs and community functions such as our Citizen Academy and ACS events.

Sheriff Boat Grant

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Sheriff Boat 101-2701	FY 22/23 Adopted Budget	FY 23/24 CAO Recommended	Change
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries and Benefits	\$335,468	\$376,049	\$40,581
Services and Supplies	\$43,553	\$43,701	\$148
Other Charges	\$7,281	\$7,281	\$0
Fixed Assets			\$0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$386,302	\$427,031	\$40,729
REVENUE			
Fed/State Grant	\$166,131	\$166,131	\$0
Realignment			\$0
Fees/Misc	\$109,513	\$109,800	\$287
TOTAL REVENUE	\$275,644	\$275,931	\$287
FUND BALANCE			\$0
NET COUNTY COST	\$110,658	\$151,100	\$40,442

Program Description

The **Marine Enforcement Detail**, or Boat Patrol as it is more commonly known, patrols the waterways of Yuba County. The unit is staffed year-round with two Deputies and a third is added during peak boating season. The Sheriff’s Department is responsible for patrolling Bullards Bar Reservoir, Camp Far West Lake, Englebright Lake, Collins Lake, Lake of the Pines, and the Yuba and Feather rivers. The unit enforces boating laws and provides assistance and boating education to those who use our waterways.

Boat Patrol is an integral part of our Technical Rescue Team (TRT), as a majority of our rescues and recoveries involve our waterways. The following is an overview of our rescue team.

The team consists of eight paid members (six Deputies and two Community Services Officers), who respond to rescue calls that include Swift Water, Search and Rescue, Rope Rescue, and Drowning Recovery. The team conducts monthly trainings throughout the year.

To assist the TRT in the performance of its duties, boat patrol maintains a variety of specialty equipment. The department has two aluminum river jet boats, two personal water craft vessels, an eight wheel Argo amphibious vehicle with removable snow tracks, two quad runners, a two-seat side-by-side ATV, a 27’ custom pontoon boat for our side scan sonar/drowning recovery and an underwater remote camera. In addition to these equipment items, the team maintains a variety of scuba dive, swift water rescue, and rappelling equipment.

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Accomplishments

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The team responds to missions as requested for in and out of county mutual aid requests.

- Completed numerous public education presentations.
- Continued staff training to enhance our technical skills.
- Provided patrols to the river bottom areas within the County.
- Continued education and safety violation enforcement by utilizing warnings and citations.
- Trained in conjunction with the department's Technical Search and Rescue Team.
- Participated in Homeless Consortium projects.
- Members attended Advanced Boating Operations Training.
- Conducted boat inspections at Bullards for safety equipment and invasive muscles on the hull of boats.
- Staffed seasonal position at Bullards.
- Repaired our underwater camera and side scan sonar.

Performance Measures

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Conducted patrols on the following waterways:

- Englebright Reservoir
- Feather River
- Camp Far West Reservoir
- Collins Lake
- Yuba River
- Bullards Bar Reservoir

Boating Accident Investigations/ 0

Boating Citations Issued/ 6

Drowning Investigations/ 0

During the 2022-2023 boating year there were safety contacts with approximately 130 boaters where verbal warnings were completed. There were an additional 51 safety inspections. There were 5 search and rescue missions related to boats and waterways. There were approximately 30 vessels and 230 people assisted while on the waterways.

Goals and Objectives

FY 2023-2024

- Continue training for mutual aid requests.
- Continue meeting California Boating and Waterways training requirements.
- Provide ongoing community safety inspections and trainings for safe water recreation.
- Maintain extra weekend patrols on Bullards Bar Reservoir.

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Sheriff Jail 108-2900	FY 22/23 Adopted Budget	FY 23/24 CAO Recommended	Change
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries and Benefits	\$10,089,836	\$10,253,103	\$163,267
Services and Supplies	\$9,907,010	\$9,680,495	(\$226,515)
Other Charges	\$1,064,558	\$1,064,558	\$0
Fixed Assets	\$339,100	\$51,357	(\$287,743)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$21,400,504	\$21,049,513	(\$350,991)
REVENUE			
Fed/State			\$0
Grant			\$0
Realignment			\$0
Fees/Misc	\$13,915,561	\$10,758,748	(\$3,156,813)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$13,915,561	\$10,758,748	(\$3,156,813)
FUND BALANCE	\$266,255	\$861,075	\$594,820
NET COUNTY COST	\$7,218,688	\$9,429,690	\$2,211,002

Program Description

The Yuba County Jail is comprised of highly trained and professional employees whose job it is to provide for the safe, efficient, humane, and secure custody of those housed in our facility. The Jail provides a variety of programs designed to reduce recidivism upon release from custody. The Jail provides custody and care for pre-sentenced inmates, sentenced inmates, and US Marshal Detainees.

Accomplishments

FY 2022-2023

Groundbreaking has occurred on the 863 Jail Medical Expansion project. The 863 Grant awarded to the County is helping to build a new two-story building with a state of the art medical, dental, and mental health facility. The building will also include additional exercise space, program space, and a laundry facility. The estimated completion date is eighteen-months.

On August 2, 2022, Yuba County entered into a contract with the U.S. Marshal Service to house prisoners who are in U.S. Marshal Custody. Yuba County Jail is currently housing 68 US Marshal Prisoners.

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On February 8, 2023, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) ended its contract with Yuba County. The loss of the ICE contract created a significant budgetary impact for the jail.

The Jail continues to contract with WellPath for jail medical and mental health services. WellPath continues to be responsible for handling all medical and mental health issues at the point of intake for the jail. WellPath provides medical and mental health care coverage 24/7 to all inmates. The partnership with WellPath was a good decision and the benefits continue to be noticeable in the level of care provided to the inmates. Between July 1, 2022 and February 22, 2023, WellPath handled approximately 7,248 sick calls.

The Sheriff's Work Alternative Program (SWAP) continues to be a positive program for inmates and court assigned persons who qualify for work detail. Inmates and court appointed persons work in a variety of areas around the courthouse, at Animal Care Services, and assist Code Enforcement with community cleanups, as well as help community based programs.

Despite the COVID-19 restrictions on in-person programs, the jail continued its partnership with the Yuba County Office of Education by providing general education classes for inmates using the inmate tablet program. Despite these COVID-19 restrictions, 60 inmates earned their GED during this fiscal year.

Beginning February 1, 2023, California Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) lifted all COVID-19 restrictions for in-person programs. As a result, the jail has collaborated with Chaplin Kerry Brown and is providing in-person programs such as addiction recovery classes and church services to inmates several days a week.

The jail implemented video visitation for inmates using the inmate tablet program. This allows the inmates additional visitation with their friends and family, in addition to their scheduled in-person visiting.

The jail worked with Wellpath and the California Department of State Hospitals to implement an Early Access and Stabilization Services (EASS) program at Yuba County Jail. This program is intended to minimize delays for inmates awaiting competency restoration services, by beginning competency restoration as soon as the court determines the inmate is Incompetent to Stand Trial (ITS). This program runs 5-days a week and requires an officer for security of the civilian staff.

The jail worked closely with Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) and implemented a CAL-aim program. This program ensures timely assessment of Medi-Cal eligibility and enrollment for those deemed eligible.

The jail also entered into an Opt-Out Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) agreement with Yuba County Health and Human Services Department and Wellpath. With the Opt-Out STD program, Wellpath staff attempts to conduct routine universal opt-out testing for gonorrhea, chlamydia, and syphilis among inmates within a timeframe as close to their booking date as possible.

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The administration side of the jail was remodeled, including adding a new gym, a women’s changing room, and new office space. Part of this remodel included moving Civil from the third floor of the courthouse to the newly remodeled administration side. This allowed for better security for civilian staff working in Civil.

The jail purchased and implemented a body scanner, which has aided in the prevention of contraband being introduced into the jail, thus creating a safer environment for staff and inmates.

All correctional officers have been issued Tasers. Tasers are a “less lethal” use of force option that may be used when dealing with someone who is combative, violent, or aggressive. Issuing Tasers to Officers helps create a safer and more secure environment by providing our officers with a force option that may be used, reducing the risk of injury to the officers, other inmates, or members of the public.

Testing was conducted and Officers have been selected to be part of the newly formed Sheriff’s Emergency Response Team (SERT). This team is comprised of Correctional Officers who will receive specialized training to respond to critical incidents such as riots, cell extractions, mass searches, and disturbances involving uncooperative or violent inmates. This position is a collateral assignment for those selected.

A Jail Investigation Team was implemented in the jail. This team consists of Correctional Officers who are trained to investigate crimes that have occurred inside the jail, including assaults and contraband possession, as well as destruction of jail property. Officers assigned to the Jail Investigation team conduct interviews with suspects, victims, and witnesses, investigate leads, collect and document evidence, and prepare and submit criminal reports for prosecution. This assignment is a collateral assignment to their correctional officer assignment.

On January 30, 2019, the Sheriff’s Department entered into an Amended Consent Decree (ACD), which focused on items including ADA accessibility, inmate discipline, inmate recreation, administrative segregation, medical care, and mental health care. The ACD had a 4-year term, and because of the hard work of the facility staff we have been in substantial compliance with the Amended Consent Decree. Therefore, the Amended Consent Decree is being modified in Federal Court and most of the original ACD is being removed. The Second Amended Consent Decree will only focus on mental health.

Over the past fiscal year, we have increased staffing in the jail by seven (7) Officers. These additional officers include one lateral from Butte County, and one Officer with previous experience in Corrections in the State of Alabama.

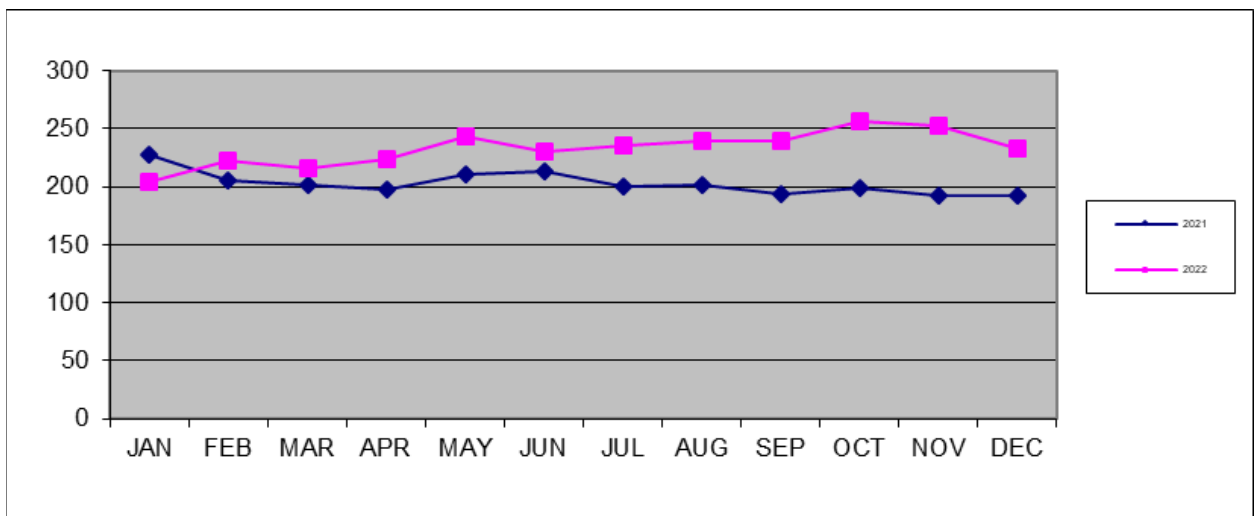
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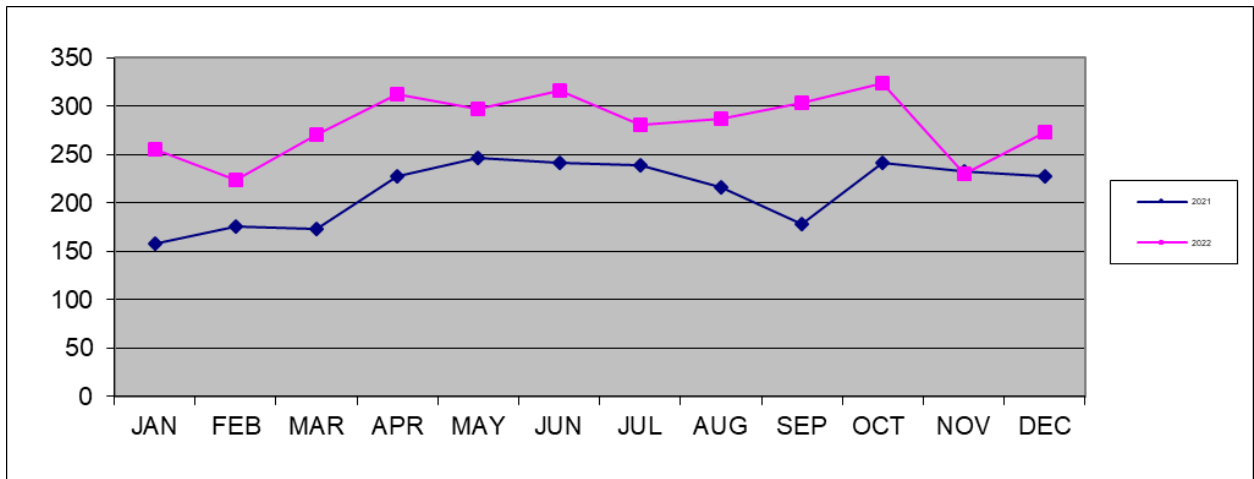
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AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION COMPARISON FROM 2021 TO 2022													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2021	228	205	202	198	211	213	200	202	194	199	192	193	203.0833
2022	204	223	216	224	243	230	236	239	239	256	252	233	232.9167
Difference	-24	18	14	26	32	17	36	37	45	57	60	40	

2022 Average Daily Population Males v Females													
Males	174	191	185	188	204	191	196	199	204	217	215	195	196.5833
Females	30	32	31	36	39	39	40	40	35	40	37	38	36.41667



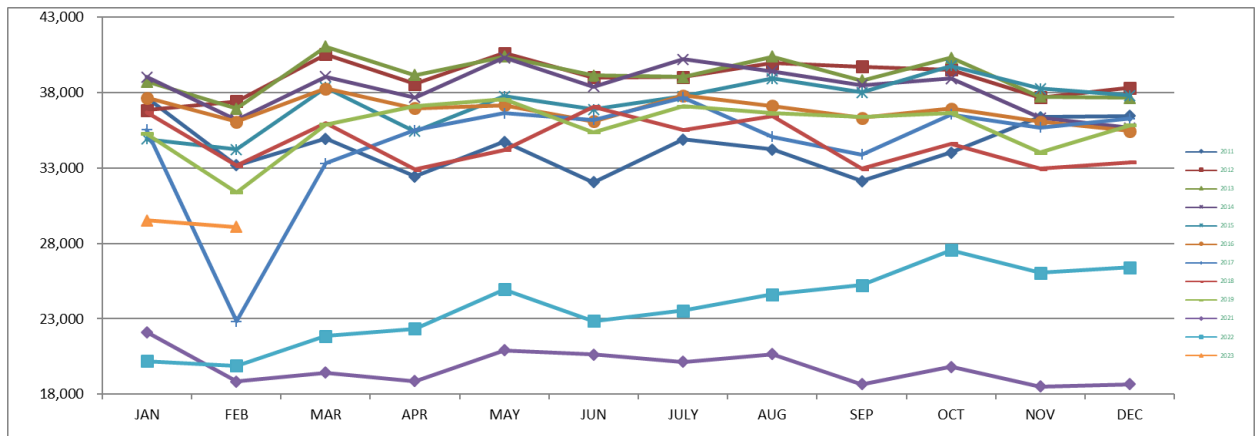
BOOKING COMPARISON FROM 2021 TO 2022													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
2021	158	176	173	227	246	241	239	216	178	241	233	228	2556
2022	256	224	270	312	297	316	281	287	304	324	230	273	3374



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MEALS SERVED COMPARISON CALENDAR FOR YEARS 2011 TO 2023													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
2011	37,657	33,191	34,945	32,429	34,751	32,058	34,901	34,221	32,141	34,032	36,373	36,447	413,146
2012	36,828	37,432	40,532	38,563	40,614	39,017	39,043	39,957	39,733	39,518	37,673	38,326	467,236
2013	38,722	36,940	41,055	39,162	40,383	39,133	39,043	40,380	38,801	40,309	37,720	37,644	469,292
2014	39,026	36,194	39,059	37,681	40,321	38,393	40,213	39,418	38,499	38,935	36,326	35,649	459,714
2015	34,912	34,216	38,348	35,430	37,759	36,885	37,760	38,936	38,021	39,768	38,261	37,811	448,107
2016	37,660	36,072	38,263	36,956	37,171	36,101	37,819	37,130	36,315	36,950	36,068	35,445	441,950
2017	35,521	22,831	33,297	35,514	36,625	36,189	37,690	35,078	33,904	36,546	35,689	36,267	415,151
2018	36,683	33,155	35,965	32,907	34,215	37,060	35,524	36,450	32,963	34,624	32,958	33,397	415,901
2019	35,271	31,386	35,881	37,088	37,564	35,381	37,090	36,635	36,397	36,663	34,026	35,849	429,231
2020	37,069	35,051	36,204	26,499	21,862	18,027	21,754	23,271	21,726	22,656	20,614	22,593	307,326
2021	22,099	18,830	19,425	18,858	20,919	20,625	20,147	20,645	18,658	19,815	18,503	18,665	237,189
2022	20,187	19,887	21,852	22,334	24,956	22,844	23,535	24,623	25,229	27,552	26,039	26,417	285,455
2023	29,530	29,089											58,619



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Goals and Objectives

FY 2023-2024

- Complete the Jail Booking Counter Replacement project.
- Fully implement all in-person programs for jail inmates.
- Add nine (9) new jail-monitoring cameras, strategically placed in inmate housing units. This will increase the security and safety of the facility, benefiting both the inmates and staff.
- Obtain body worn cameras (BWC) for all correctional officers.
- Implement Guardian RFID software. We have completed the RFP and selected Guardian RFID. We are now in the process of working with IT to interface the Guardian RFID software with our AS-400 system.
- Outsource jail commissary with Keefe.
- Install stainless steel shower enclosures in inmate housing units. This will reduce the amount of preventative maintenance required to maintain sanitation.

Pending Issues/Policy Considerations

FY 2023-2024

- We are in the process of removing all ICE National Detention Standards from all Jail policies.
- We are updating all Jail policies to reflect the updated Title 15 and Title 24 (Minimum Standards for Local Detention Facilities) Board and State of Community Corrections (BSCC) standards.
- Additionally, we are updating our jail policies to reflect the US Marshal Performance-Based Detention Standards.

Court Bailiffs

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Sheriff Bailiffs 108-7400	FY 22/23 Adopted Budget	FY 23/24 CAO Recommended	Change
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries and Benefits	\$676,350	\$753,531	\$77,181
Services and Supplies	\$41,712	\$41,910	\$198
Other Charges	(\$6,170)	(\$6,170)	\$0
Fixed Assets			\$0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$711,892	\$789,271	\$77,379
REVENUE			
Fed/State			\$0
Grant			\$0
Realignment			\$0
Fees/Misc	\$688,455	\$702,825	\$14,370
TOTAL REVENUE	\$688,455	\$702,825	\$14,370
FUND BALANCE	\$23,437	\$86,446	\$63,009
NET COUNTY COST	\$0	\$0	\$0

Program Description

The Civil Office is currently located on the first floor of the courthouse in close proximity to the courts. The Civil Unit is comprised of a Civil Supervising Sergeant, five Bailiffs, one Sheriff’s Civil Services Associate, and one Office Specialist. The unit has the responsibility to serve a variety of civil processes and to execute civil actions within the jurisdictional boundaries of Yuba County, which includes the Cities of Marysville and Wheatland. There are a wide variety of processes served, from criminal subpoenas to complex civil actions such as garnishments, evictions, bank levies, personal property levies, till tap levies, and real property levies. The Civil Office serves or enforces, on average, approximately 4,000 processes or actions per year.

The Civil personnel take in civil actions and processes at the public office counter or via mail. They enter and track each service via a specialized civil computer system. The system also tracks monies held in trust or collected as fees. The members of the unit serve the majority of the various processes. Patrol personnel will assist with process service on occasion, such as with restraining orders and other subpoenas that require weekend or night service. Civil functions are governed by law established in the California Civil Code and the California Code of Civil Procedures. The California State Sheriff’s Association also publishes a comprehensive Sheriff’s Civil Procedures Guide (CPG), which serves as an instruction for how to properly perform these duties in compliance with the law.

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The Civil Sergeant is also responsible for the overall security of the Yuba County Superior Courthouse. The five Bailiffs handle courtroom security and oversee the movement and safety of any jail custodies required to appear in court, as well as jury trials and other public hearings.

Accomplishments FY 2022-2023

The Civil Unit maintained an acceptable level of public service in 2022-2023. Turnaround times on civil processes continue to be acceptable. Many of the delays and legal hurdles, such as the Covid-era moratorium on eviction services, have been resolved as the pandemic restrictions have loosened with time. The staff remained responsive to those members of the public requiring civil process service. The Civil Unit received and processed a number of complex levies during this time period, and they are preparing a Sheriff's Sale of Real Property, pursuant to a real property levy, within the next 30 days. This is the most complex levy handled by the Sheriff's Civil Unit.

The Civil Unit also oversaw the security procedures on multiple high-risk jury trials. The trials that were held this year were conducted without delay or negative impacts. Again, due to the pandemic-related restrictions being loosened this year, the Superior Court has returned to pre-Covid efficiency as far as the ability to conduct jury trials and other important court actions.

The staff of the Civil Unit were able to attend a variety of pertinent trainings during the 2022-2023 fiscal year. The Sheriff's Civil Associate attended a 40-hour Basic Civil Procedures Forum, a Civil Symposium, and a 24-hour Intermediate Civil Procedures Course.

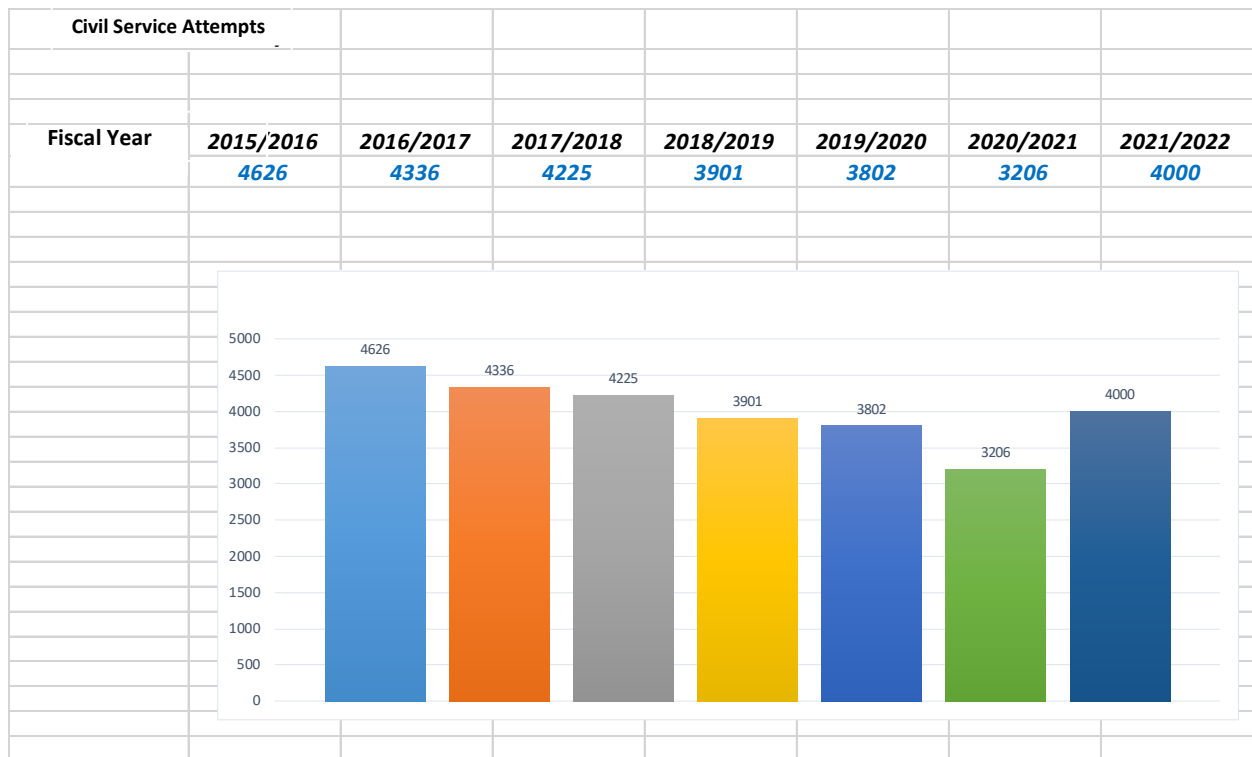
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Performance Measures FY 2022-2023

The Civil Unit completed approximately 342 financial disbursements totaling in the amount of \$94,213.95.

The number of services totaled approximately 3,421 thus far for the fiscal year 2022-2023.



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Goals and Objectives

FY 2023-2024

The civil office completed the move from the second floor of the courthouse to the first floor in August, 2022. The higher level of security provides for a safer workspace for the civilian staff.

Strategic Priorities:

- The Civil Unit purchased a new Civil Software System “CountySuite” from Teleosoft and went live with the new software in the first week of May 2021. The software has allowed the Civil staff to maximize their efficiency with data entry and customer service. A new “Public Portal” element was also implemented, and this allows customers and attorneys to check the status of their pending service through the online portal instead of utilizing the phone system.
- The sergeant assigned to Civil will attend additional trainings this coming year. The new office specialist will attend a basic civil procedure course.

Animal Care Services

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Sheriff Animal Care Services 101-4400	FY 22/23 Adopted Budget	FY 23/24 CAO Recommended	Change
EXPENDITURES			
Salaries and Benefits	\$979,978	\$1,056,864	\$76,886
Services and Supplies	\$904,995	\$516,733	(\$388,262)
Other Charges	\$175,720	\$175,720	\$0
Fixed Assets	\$305,000		(\$305,000)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$2,365,693	\$1,749,317	(\$616,376)
REVENUE			
Fed/State			\$0
Grant			\$0
Realignment			\$0
Fees/Misc	\$1,162,960	\$546,584	(\$616,376)
TOTAL REVENUE	\$1,162,960	\$546,584	(\$616,376)
FUND BALANCE			\$0
NET COUNTY COST	\$1,202,733	\$1,202,733	\$0

Program Description

Animal Care Services (ACS) is responsible for the regulation and enforcement of laws dealing with domesticated animals in the unincorporated areas of Yuba County. The Animal Shelter is located at 5245 Feather River Boulevard in Linda. ACS focuses on two main areas: assisting citizens who visit the shelter or who call for assistance and require an officer response, and the care of any and all animals that must be housed in the shelter. ACS also provides a very effective animal adoption program, as well as public outreach programs designed to improve animal care and to find “forever” homes for animals.

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Accomplishments

FY 2022-2023

- Assisted Posse in identifying the need and executing the construction of the large animal evacuation center at the Yuba County Posse Arena.
- Continue expanding our pet adoptions outreach to include breed-specific rescues.
- Issued 3,729 licenses.
- Submitted 50 specimens for Rabies Testing, of which 4 Rabid Bats were detected.
- Investigated 219 dog bites and 35 cat bites.
- Issued 1,223 Notices of Complaints.
- Issued 300 Fix It Notices.
- Issued 261 citation violations.
- Responded to 3,124 calls for service.
- The continued services of our staff veterinarian expanded coverage within the facility for better care.
- Successfully prosecuted the large animal neglect case from January 2022 that ultimately resulted in the suspect's conviction. The care and treatment of these animals was ongoing at the ACS facility the majority of the year. The sheer number of seized animals, ranging from ducks and rabbits to pigs, cows and horses, required the retrofitting of already limited space to accommodate the added animals.
- Purchased livestock trailer and vehicle for livestock rescues with Measure K funding.
- Updated and repaired fencing around ACS facility to allow for exercising of the shelter animals.
- Added fencing to the grazing area north of the existing livestock pens to allow for more space to house livestock.
- Installed security cameras inside and outside of the ACS facility with monitoring equipment to ensure added safety of our ACS staff.

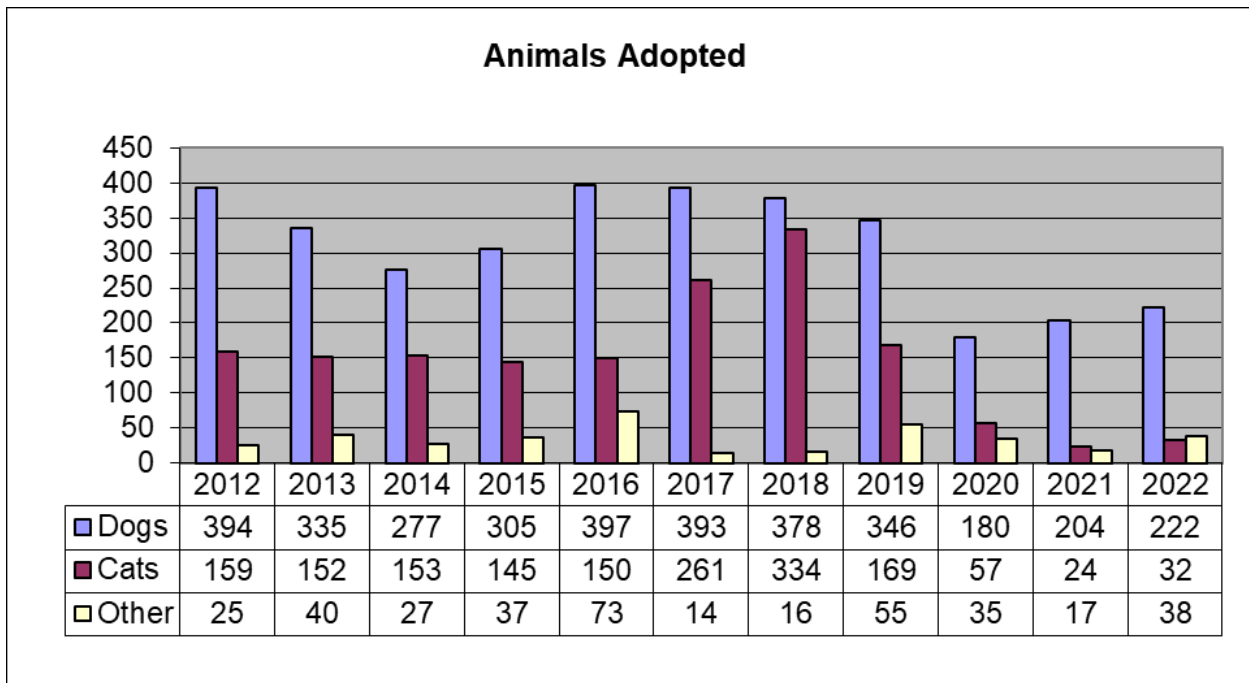
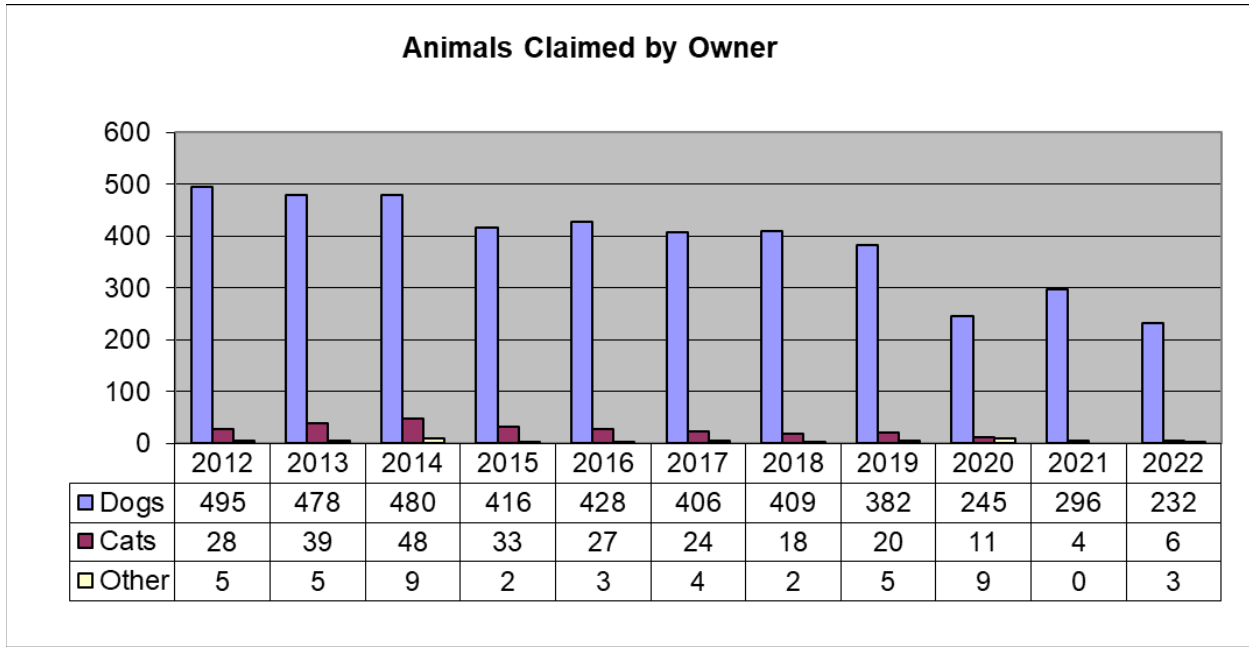
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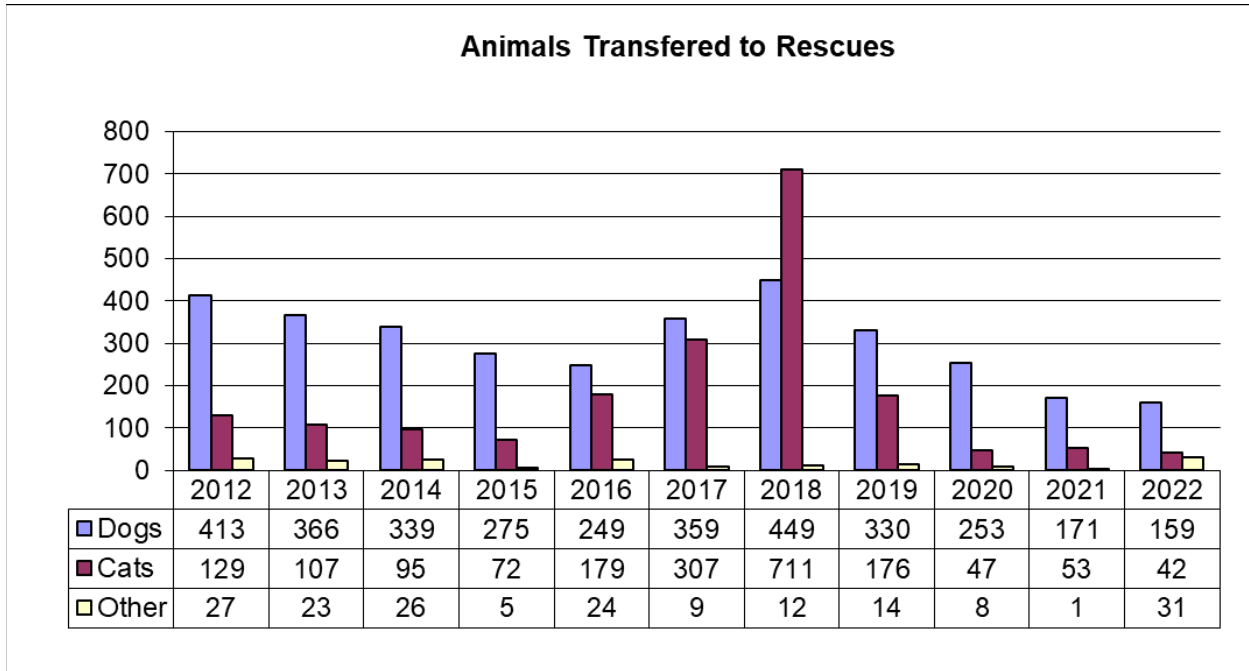
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Goals and Objectives

FY 2023-2024

- Fill current staff vacancies.
- Continue partnership with our posse groups for disaster animal rescue/evacuations.
- Equip field units with computer connectivity to the shelter software and YCSO CAD program.
- Continue holding low cost rabies clinics in the county.
- Implement low cost microchips, vaccinations, and heartworm testing at our Rabies clinics in the county.
- Implement volunteers through the County’s volunteer program.
- Continue shelter programs that benefit the health and well-being of animals.
- Focus on staff development and formal education.
- Update and improve the policy manual for employees.
- Update and restructure Animal Care Services Officer (ACSO) training program utilizing updated policy manual.
- Add temporary shelter structure at Posse Arena for evacuated animals and overflow seized animals at ACS.

Pending Issues/Policy Considerations

FY 2023-2024

- Calls for service continue to remain high for current staff levels.
- Shelter space maintains constant attention due to intake numbers remaining high. Creative space management is continually applied.
- Consider an expansion of ACS building to include both more office space for staff and more indoor space for treatment and isolation of injured and sick animals.
- Explore a kennel expansion to include another wing of outdoor kennels due to the shelter’s constant maximum capacity.
- Consider expanding the existing ACS footprint adding acreage to allow for expansion.
- Consider adding a barn and additional grazing areas to the northeast of the existing livestock pens to allow for more space of stray/imponded livestock, as well as overflow pens for small animals during natural disasters or during max capacity levels.
- Continue to work with IT to improve computer and telephone functions.
- Work toward getting electronic payments approved for the animal shelter.
- Implement an in house surgery program to facilitate spay/neuters and care for injured animals.