

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
November 8, 2016

Present: Bill Holgate, Robert Lawton, Doug Paddock, Elden Morrison, Tim Dennis, Dan Banach, Leslie Church, Earle Gleason, Mark Morris, Terry Button, Jim Smith, Connie Hayes, Ron Spike, Sharon Dawes, Valerie Gardner, Brian Winslow.

Bill and Dan will do the audit this month.

Minutes of the October meeting were approved as presented.

Probation – Sharon Dawes

Sharon reviewed the following statistical report and the quarterly Alternatives to Incarceration report.

<u>YATES CO. PROBATION</u>	<u>15-Oct</u>	<u>15-Nov</u>	<u>15-Dec</u>	<u>16-Jan</u>	<u>16-Feb</u>	<u>16-Mar</u>	<u>16-Apr</u>	<u>16-May</u>	<u>16-Jun</u>	<u>16-Jul</u>	<u>16-Aug</u>	<u>16-Sep</u>	<u>16-Oct</u>
Probationers	241	238	242	241	238	245	244	241	233	229	222	224	232
Investigations monthly	14	12	34	24	35	14	17	25	21	23	25	15	26
investigations year to date	200	212	246	24	59	73	90	115	136	159	184	199	225
Violation of Probation	3	3	2	2	8	11	1	0	3	2	7	3	3
VOP year to date	57	60	62	2	10	21	22	22	25	27	34	37	40
Pre-Trial Release	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	2
Leandra's Law													
Conditional Discharge	40/18	38/17	38/18	42/20	40/18	42/16	40/14	45/13	43/12	44/13	41/11	42/10	43/11
Probation	24/1	24/2	27/2	27/2	29/2	30/2	28/2	25/2	24/2	26/2	20/0	21/0	20/0
waiver cases	12/6	14/8	13/8	16/10	15/9	14/8	14/7	14/6	14/6	13/6	13/6	10/5	9/4
payment plan cases	7/3	6/3	6/3	5/2	5/2	5/2	5/2	5/2	5/2	5/2	4/1	4/1	3/0

Probation Department Alternatives to Incarceration
July-September 2016

Pre-trial Release Program

Total number of screening interviews conducted: 36
Number of inmates who did not meet eligibility criteria: 28
Number of inmates who met eligibility criteria: 8

<u>Court</u>	<u>Outcome</u>
V/Penn Yan	2 released to PTR, 1 not recommended, 2 denied by court
Yates County	1 released on bail
T/Middlesex	1 refused interview
T/Italy	1 released on bail

Summary: 2 individuals were supervised by the Pre-trial Release program at the end of the quarter.

Community Service: 11 people successfully completed their community service obligation this quarter. As of September 30, 2016 there were 37 active cases doing community service in 17 worksites within the county.

District Attorney – Valerie Gardner

Valerie reviewed the following statistical report.

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Monthly Statistics						
	2016		2015		2014	
	New Arrests	Cases Closed	New Arrests	Cases Closed	New Arrests	Cases Closed
Jan	48	45	65	63	63	81
Feb	69	75	49	52	48	92
Mar	62	69	75	54	65	59
Apr	61	62	67	54	80	82
May	66	64	61	65	90	62
June	61	50	67	63	63	68
July	62	196	80	44	74	72
Aug	75	80	78	83	79	58
Sept	56	72	74	83	68	87
Oct	52	57	68	63	75	71
Nov			55	75	77	70
Dec			55	36	63	89
	612	770	794	735	845	891
TOTAL OPEN	388 Cases open in the database					
YTD Felonies Filed	65		Total 2015: 91			
Monthly Highlights						
2015 DWI RANKING: Yates is #2 in NYS with 79.73%						
Appeals: Two decisions from the 4th Dept Appellate Division, convictions and sentencing upheld on both/ Also oral argument on 1 case / We also are dealing with a speeding ticket appeal to county court						
Trial: Felony DWI Jury Trial by Lora. Refused breath test- Jury found DWAI						

Emergency Management – Brian Winslow

Brian reviewed his goals.

Brian reported a Public Officials Workshop will be held on Thursday November 17th at 6:00p.m at the Penn Yan Fire Station. There will also be a Winter Weather Spotters Class held at the Village Hall on Tuesday, November 29th from 6:30 – 8:30pm.

Brain reported on various other trainings and drills that took place.

Brain reported the EMS Coordinator has also been busy with trainings and drills.

Brian reviewed the emergency responses that he attended.

Sheriff – Ron Spike

Ron reviewed his statistical report, highlights follow:

Sex Offenders in the County: 95	Car/Deer Accidents: 42
Fraud/Bad Chk/Welfare: 22	Larceny: 25

Ron reported on the jail population there are 39, Yates County, 7 Federal for a total of 46. Of that total there are 32 males and 7 females.

Ron reviewed the revenue report which showed through September \$160,774.70 has been collected.

Ron reported the Office of Court Administration gave orders that the Judge had to have security detail on Election Day and Office of Court Administration will pay for the security detail. Also the Board of Election's has requested security at 9:00 and will stay until all the bags have arrived.

Ron reported although it has been a tradition for many years that the courts are closed on the Friday after Thanksgiving and on the Friday after Christmas. The Administrative Judge has made a decision that people need to have access to courts and so court will be open those days. This clashes with our collective bargaining agreement. Ron will have people on duty at minimum staff that will be on double time and half because of the day. The Office of Court Administration will also be paying for this.

Ron reported on a fatal accident that took place.

Ron reported with one of the grants that he has obtained he is looking into having an audit of the Forensic Evidence Room done by an independent firm.

Ron reported he is reviewing information that has been received for the SICG-5, and will be talking with the Planner on issues/equipment pertaining to fiber. Ron also reported that many times there is an issue with the internet connection going down. He is also looking at a separate internet connection for the Public Safety Building for 911. Related IT issues continue with regularity.

Ron reported he has worked with EMS coordinator on a grant for various equipment for coroners.

Meeting adjourned at 3:50p.m