



# Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Department Newsletter

## MESSAGE FROM THE SHERIFF



Cliff Pinkney

Cuyahoga County Sheriff

Welcome to 2018! I hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and enjoyed your time with family and friends. This year will be an exciting, yet challenging one, because we are beginning to implement some changes in the way we do business. First, the County is in the process of implementing an initiative, known as *Project DRIVE*. *Project DRIVE* is a computer-based system that will help the County manage and connect information from all core areas to help improve efficiency. The system will replace/integrate several of the current County systems, such as FAMIS, OnBase, BuySpeed, and MyHR. For most county employees, the only real change will be the replacement of MyHR. For fiscal staff, the changes will be significant. There are two Phases to the implementation: 1) Fiscal changes and 2) HR changes. Phase I is projected to go live in late spring of 2018 and Phase II is estimated for spring of 2019. More information on this project is available on the County Intranet; just click on the *Project DRIVE* logo.



A *Project DRIVE Pit Crew* has been established to provide information and be available to help answer any questions. The Sheriff's *Pit Crew* is:

**Crew Chief:** Chief Deputy George Taylor

**Law Enforcement:** Cpt. Richard Peters

**Protective Services:** Sgt. Thomas Fovozzo

**Civil:** Jacquelyne White or Shaundra Howard

**Sheriff IT:** Nadine An-Noor

**Fiscal/Administration:** Laura Simms

**Jail:** Cpl. Kathy Ivey

**Jail Records:** Sgt. Kevin O'Donnell

**Jail Medical:** Gary Brack

Modernization in the use of technology is all around us.

It is occurring within Law Enforcement, with our new TAC RMS system, in which the deputies have been trained, and in the Corrections division, with the implementation of video visitation.

Also, after years of planning and negotiations in connection with the Cleveland Prisoner Project, this year we are expecting to begin the process of jail regionalization. Please stay tuned for updates to come.

## TAC RMS: MODERN POLICE TECHNOLOGY

The Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Department implemented a new comprehensive records management system (RMS) in October, 2017. TAC Public Safety Software offers cutting edge law enforcement technology, while providing user friendly interface. TAC Mobile Reporting Software will allow Deputy Sheriffs to issue electronic traffic citations and to complete reports from their patrol vehicles. Over 90% of law enforcement agencies in Cuyahoga County use the TAC Public Safety Software System. These agencies can interface and communicate information with one another in real time. For example, deputies can enter a suspect or missing persons photo into the database and in-

stantly share it with over 200 Ohio law enforcement agencies. Sheriff's dispatchers have been using the TAC Computer Aided dispatch (CAD) software, which communicates with ALL Cuyahoga County Regional Dispatch centers.

The RMS software is interfaced with many other programs. This allows our agency to electronically submit incident reports to the Prosecutor, send accident reports (OH-1) to the state, and submit our incident data to the FBI, which qualifies us for federal grant money. The electronic transfer of data is saving us countless man hours. We are also working with Porter Lee (BEAST Evidence Management Software) that will allow information to transfer from TAC to BEAST.

The Sheriff's Department has been able to eliminate many separate software programs utilized in the past, now that everything is in one central location. The TAC software allows deputies to enter their Tour of Duty Log, Ticket Citation and Tows, as well as pull detailed stats on our activity, both collectively and individually.

We are excited to experience this modernization in technology, that will ultimately save the department time, money, and man hours, while eliminating duplicate data and creating structure and efficiency.

Submitted by: Sgt. Padraig Devlin

# CCCC VIDEO VISITATION

On Monday, November 6, 2017, the Euclid Jail Annex introduced Securus Video Visitation (SVV) to the public. Inmates can now visit with friends and family from a video visitation terminal inside their housing units. Similarly, friends and family can visit on-site, without cost, from one of twenty-three (23) video visitation terminals located on the first floor of the Justice Center. Friends and family may also visit remotely from their home, office, or anywhere they have internet service for a fee.

A major benefit of the implementation of the SVV includes the expanded hours of operation for friends and family to visit, which provides the ability to have more visits at times that are more convenient. Prior to SVV, friends and family could only visit on weekends from 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM and from 2:00 PM to 5:30 PM. Now, on-site visits take place Monday thru Friday from 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM, and again from 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM. Remote visits can take place 7 days a week, including holidays, during the same time as the on-site visits, along with the addition of 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM.

Some other advantages include: the ability for inmates to interact with family members in home situations; the avoidance of family members being searched and having to wait in stressful lobby situations; and, the minimization of the costly movement of inmates within the facility, while maintaining a safe and secure method for inmate visitation.

For more information and frequently asked questions go to: <https://sheriff.cuyahogacounty.us/en-US/Euclid.aspx>

Submitted by: Sgt. Philip Christopher

# NEW HIRES

**Correction Officer:** Aliyah Amador, Ronald Clay, Eric Huff, Dajianae Johnson, Michelle Perry, Thomas Peters, Marvella Sullivan, Briona Terrell

**Security Monitor:** Ronnette Rahmon

**Security Officer 2:** Alberto Sardon, SirVon Scott Sr., Kenneth Vaughn

**Licensed Practical Nurse:** Amanda Symons

**Social Program Admin. 2:** Kathryn Guinther

# RECENT RETIREMENTS

**Correction Officer:** Thomas D'Amico, Allen Davis, Wardell Martin, James McIntyre, John Parsley

**Security Officer 2:** Kenneth Bolden

**Civil Deputy:** Carl Sims

## CCSD EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER

Sergeant Thomas A. Bradley has been with the Protective Services Division for 29 years. In December of 1997, Officer Bradley was promoted to the rank of Sergeant within the Protective Services Division. In 2010, Sergeant Bradley served as interim Lieutenant from January through July of that year. Sergeant Bradley is currently supervising the Juvenile Justice Center, Fairfax-Quincy Place Neighborhood Family Service Center, and the Metzenbaum Juvenile Court Center. Prior to being assigned to his current responsibilities, Sergeant Bradley was responsible for the security operations at the Cuyahoga County Administration Building for over 18 years.

Sergeant Bradley has received several accommodations during his tenure. He completed the FBI's Civil Rights Conference: The Cost of Human Trafficking training course in 2012 and received a Certificate of Appreciation from the U.S. Marshals Service for his hard work and dedication in making the Fugitive Safe Surrender Program a success in 2010. He recently completed a course for the Crisis Intervention Team in July, 2017.

Sergeant Bradley has had the pleasure of working with great people during his time at the Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Department. Upon retirement, he hopes to travel and plan a cruise with his family that docks all around the globe. His greatest joy, is his grandson, named Major.



Thomas Bradley  
Protective Services Sergeant