

Law Enforcement Committee Minutes  
5-7-2026, 1:00p.m.  
Training Room, Jail Annex

Members present: Kim Peckenpaugh, Robert Kirby, James Cobb, Debbie Bradshaw-Hart  
Members not present: Steve Sartin, Mark Korn

Others Present: Sheriff Jeff Box, Commissioner Terry McCreight, Jeff Burns, Lt Allen Bargery, HR Director Cari Jones, Mayor David Quick, Kenny Chessor, Finance Director Amy Perkins, Erica Hogeland, Beverly Ellington

Chairman Peckenpaugh called the meeting to order and entertained a motion to approve the minutes from the 03-31-2026 meeting. Commissioner Cobb made a motion to approve. Commissioner Kirby seconded. Motion passed.

Chairman Peckenpaugh turned the meeting over to Sheriff Box to present the 202-27 Budget.

	<b>Proposed</b>	<b>Variance</b>
<b>Fund 101- 54000 – Public Safety</b>		
101-54110- Sheriff’s Department	\$4,023,449	\$40,877
Assistant Chief Deputy \$704, Deputies \$52,930, Investigator’s \$33,129, Lieutenants (\$41,281), Sergeants \$31,429, Accountants/Bookkeepers \$5106, Salary Supplements \$1,600, dispatchers \$67,560, Other Salaries/Overtime (\$27,790), Dispatcher Overtime \$7,500, Vehicle & Equipment Insurance \$17,000		
101-54210 – JAIL	\$3,375,358	\$104,467
Please see attached worksheet		
101-54220 – Jail Annex	\$589,808	(\$2,006)
101- 54230 -- Pre-Trial Grant Program	\$68,222	(\$2,000)
There is no increase in this budget. Sheriff Box moved Assistant Jeff Burns to this budget because he oversees the Pre-Trial Grant. Part of the Tier 1 pricing is to have a pre-trial budget.		
101-55720 – Sanitation Education/Information	\$125,477	\$2,837

This account is the Litter Grant and funded by the state.

	<b>Proposed</b>	<b>Variance</b>
101-54240 – Evidence Based Programming	\$217,124	(\$565,756)
This account is no cost to the county. Federal through State funded grant.		
101-54250 -- JAG RE-ENTRY GRANT	\$199,738	(\$7,530)

This is no cost to the county. Federal through State funded grant.

#### Drug Fund --#122

Circuit Court Estimated Revenue	\$66,500
Circuit Court Estimated Expenditures	\$75,035
Estimated Fund Balance June 30	\$105,500

Chairman Peckenpaugh entertained a motion to approve the Sheriff Department Budget and send forward to the Budget Committee. Commissioner Kirby made a motion to approve. Commissioner Gray seconded. Motion passed.

In other discussion, Sheriff Box presented a Resolution Authorizing the Sale of Surplus Property of K-9 dog. The sale amount of the dog will be the same amount that the Sheriff Department purchased it for. Commissioner Grey made a motion. Commissioner Cobb seconded. Motion passed.

Sheriff Box recognized Jeff Burns to present the Resolution to Authorize the Creation of a Designated Fund for the Dyer County Sheriff's Office for TCI Accreditation Tier Revenues Received through the TDOC Board Bill and to establish the distribution and use of said Funds. Commissioner Cobb made a motion to approve. Commissioner Kirby seconded. All in favor. Motion passed.

In an update on the jail, the classroom is done-ready to be used. The fire plan has to be redone and approved and the certificate of occupancy has been issued.

Meeting adjourned.