

MONTGOMERY COUNTY SHERIFF



2021 Annual Report



Carl J. Rust, Undersheriff

Jeffery T. Smith, Sheriff

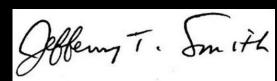
Message from the Sheriff

2020 and 2021 have been extremely challenging for all of us. The members of the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office continue to work hard and adapt in order to provide quality services to our constituents. The Criminal Justice System changes, legalization of Marihuana and the Covid Pandemic are three major examples of specific challenges affecting our staff and communities daily.

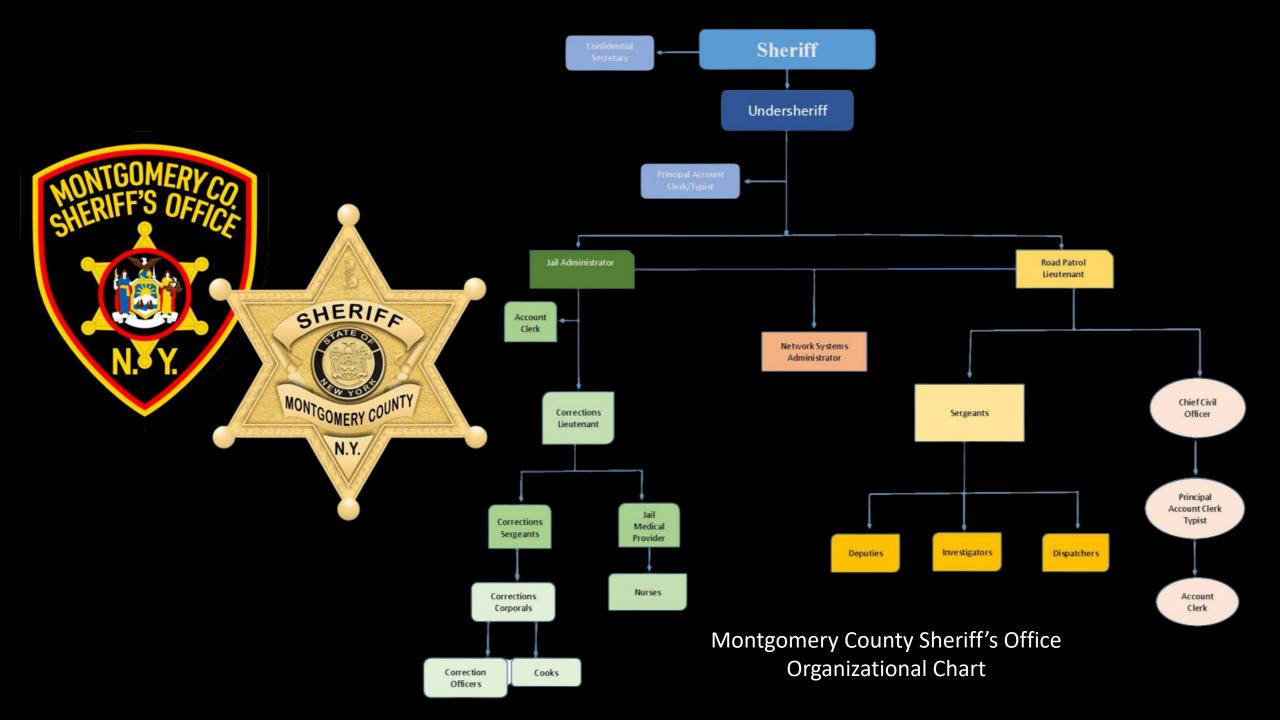
Completing goals from 2021 and establishing new goals for 2022 are essential for focusing our efforts and remaining positive. We continue to communicate with the public as much as possible, recently we rolled out a new smart phone APP and weekly reports to assist the public in understanding what your Sheriff's Office does on a regular basis. Our staffing levels are consistently good, openings do occur and so far, we have been able to fill them. Our equipment continues to improve, employee morale is good which directly results in us providing better services.

As we move forward, we will continue to work hard to serve the public. We are available 24/7 and we encourage you to contact us at any time. Please feel free to share good experiences, bad experiences and suggestions for improvement. Thank you for your support, confidence, donations, patience and understanding. Together we can make a difference.

Best wishes in 2022, thank you!







2022 Goals

- Go live with new CAD for 911 Dispatch Center
- Upgrade Dispatch Consoles with Motorola
- Complete Verizon Tower Project
- Complete security camera project new garage
- Deploy new patrol cars
- Establish Traffic Safety Unit and Welfare Fraud Investigator
- Continue partnering and open lines of communication
- Standardize our social media
- Recruit/retain and train staff

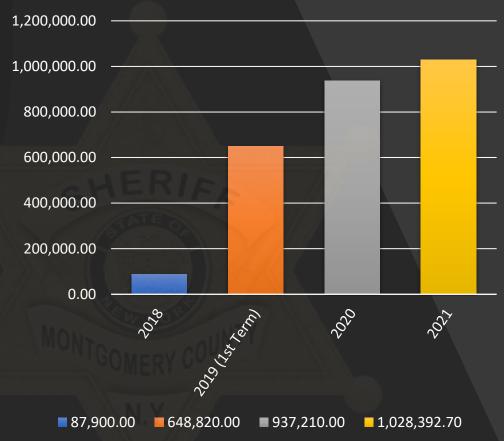


2022 Budget

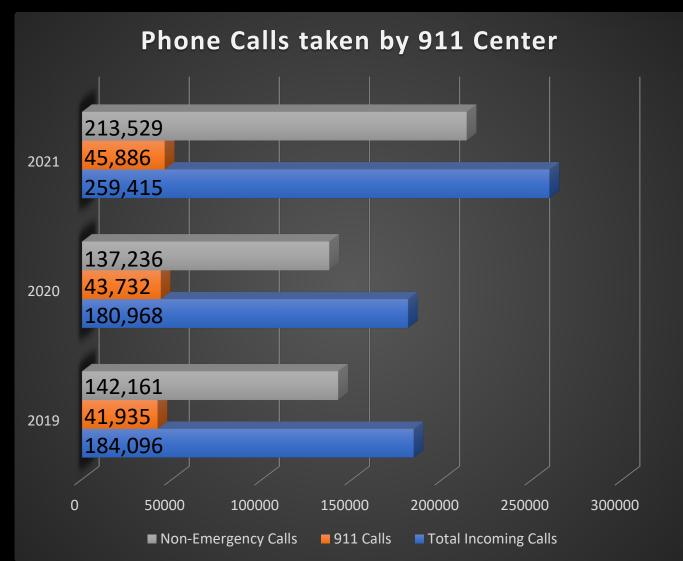
The budget for 2022 is \$8,324,786.00

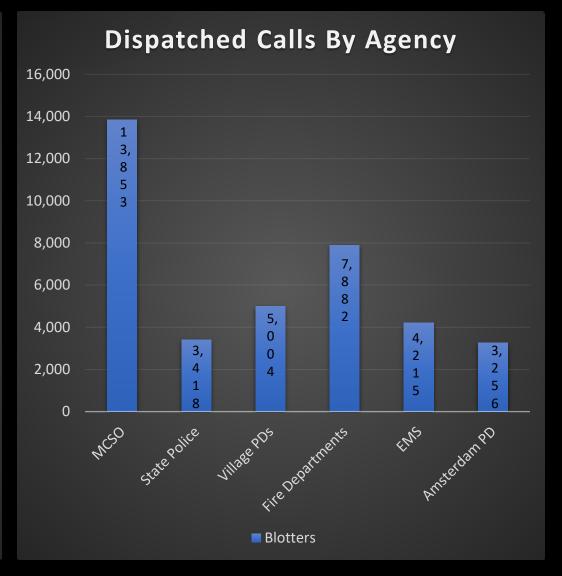
Budgets have increased over the last three years by approximately \$500,000.00. The increases are the result of increased wages, gas, food, medical bills and service contracts. All consistent with inflation

Revenue For Boarding Inmates

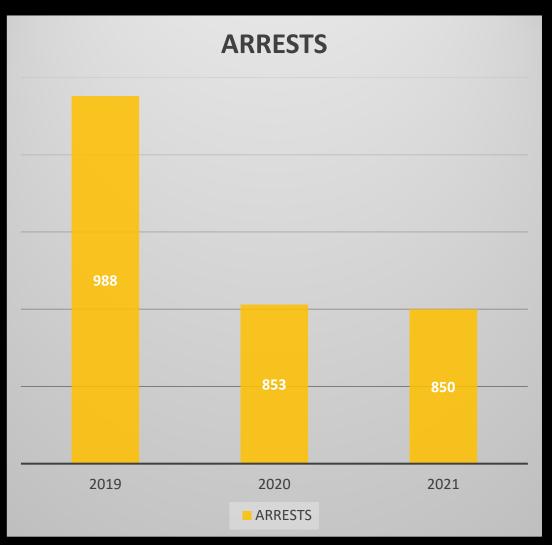


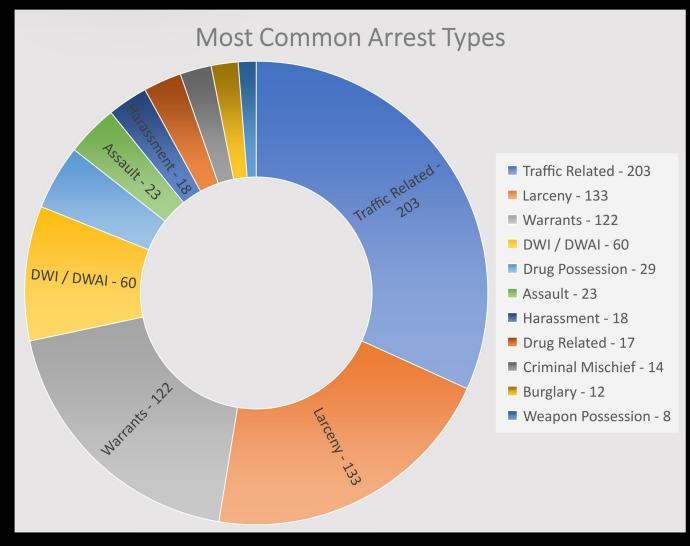




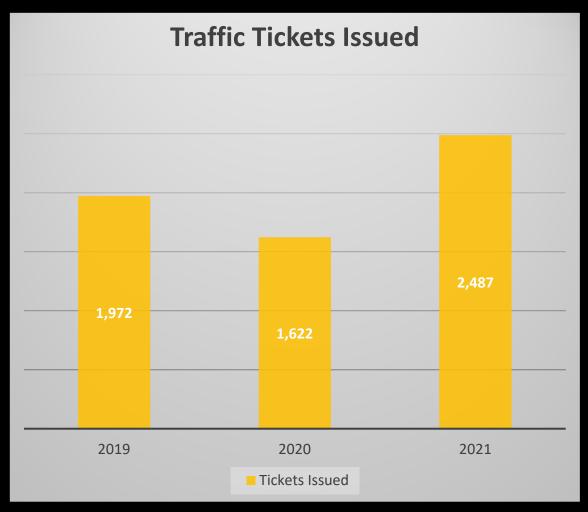












2021 Total Traffic Stops – 4,629



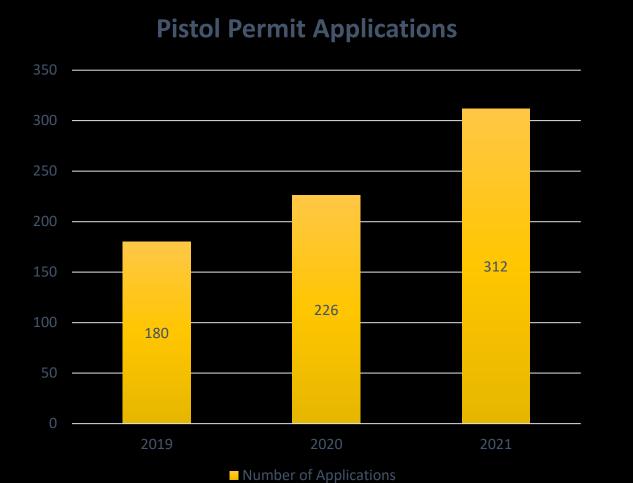


46 - K9 Responses for 2021

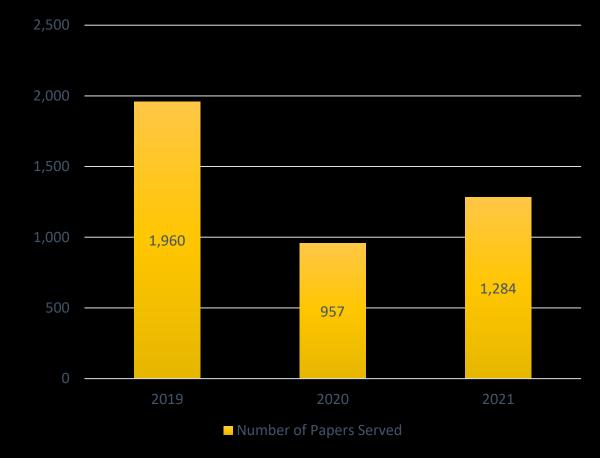
Assisted at 51 COVID Clinics



Incoming revenue averages approximately \$100,000.00 per year



Papers Served

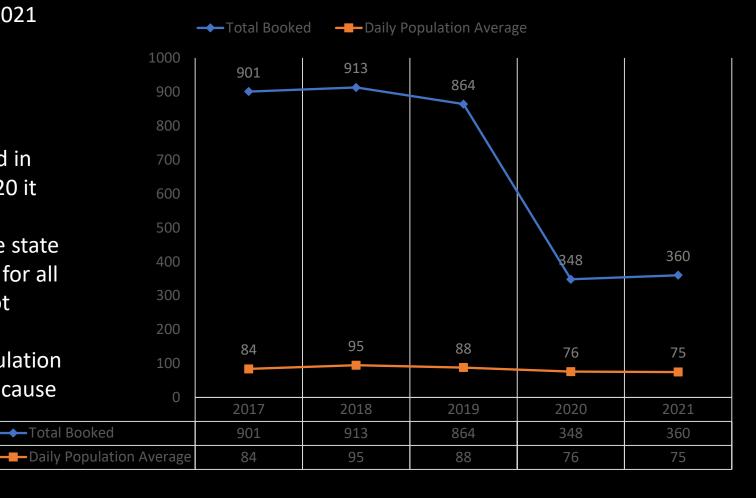




- > 59 inmates transferred to state prison in 2021
- ➤ 38 Contraband cases in 2021

As you can see from the information provided in the chart, when bail reform took effect in 2020 it drastically decreased the number of inmates booked into our facility on a yearly basis. The state still requires a specific classification standard for all inmates, so therefore our operations have not really changed, just the number of bookings. Ironically, the annual average population has not changed all that much, most likely because of the housing of Federal Inmates.

INMATE BOOKING INFORMATION





Training for corrections staff consists of Diversity, Use of Force, Suicide Prevention, Cross Gender Supervision, Firearms, Taser, Pepper Spray & Special Transports









Retirees

- Beverly Fadoir 18 Years
- Mark Vanalstine 14 Years
- Jeff Skelton 11 Years
- Virginia Ruoff-Edes 11 Years
- Pat Oeser 2 Years
- K-9 Gaj 9 years













New in 2021

- John Maher Promoted to Investigator
- 911 Dispatchers now recognized as first responders!
- New Smartphone App rolled out
- New Correction Officers & Deputy Sheriff graduations



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Special Events

- Shop with a Cop
- Salvation Army Toy Drive
- Don't Stop Believing Toy Drive
- Canajoharie Elves Night Out
- Snowmobile Operation Class
- Keep the lights on
- No Shave November
- Thanksgiving Meals Giveaway

- Traffic enforcement with school buses
- HFM Career Day
- Breast Cancer Awareness
- Trunk or Treat
- Red Cross Blood Drive
- Operation Clear Track
- 9/11 ceremonies
- Cops and Joggers 5K





More Special Events

- Amsterdam Italiafest
- Fonda Fair
- Tri-County Swiftwater team deployed to Nassau County
- Mohawk River Kayakers Event
- National Night Out
- Convoy for a Cause
- Operation Hard Hat
- Child Safety Seat Checks

- Sheriff's Summer Camp
- Wish Fest
- DARE
- High School Internships
- Blue Friday
- Venison delivery to 76 seniors
- Lasagna Love



