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LAW ENFORCEMENT, ADMINISTRATOR, LEADERSHIP, COMMUNITY SERVICE

Highly dedicated, community-focused certified law enforcement professional with over 29 years of experience as a police officer, nine of which as an SRO. Excellent public speaker and teacher. Recognized for outstanding leadership and community service. Self-starter in establishing multiple programs, including fleet maintenance, bike patrol, school liaison and community outreach. Experienced supervisor and administer both in the public and private sector.

Experience as independent business manager, overseeing daily operations, managing budget, acquiring and maintaining accounts, coordinating public relations activities and contract negotiation.

Security / Law Enforcement / Community Service Competencies

- Criminal Investigation
- Security
- Patrolling
- Crisis Negotiation
- Teaching
- Community Organization
- Conflict Resolution
- Criminal Justice
- SRO III Certified
- Tactical Driving Instruction
- Public Relations & School Liaison
- Public Speaking
- Program, Project Management
- Crisis Intervention

CAREER EXPERIENCE

GRANT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, WILLIAMSTOWN KY

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER, 08-01-23 TO PRESENT

CURRENTLY SERVING AS THE FIRST SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER AT MASON CORINTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, WILLIAMSTOWN KY. RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SAFETY OF 300 STUDENTS, STAFF AND CAMPUS VISITORS ENSURING THAT ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL SAFE SCHOOL LAWS AND POLICIES ARE FOLLOWED. CREATING AND WRITING POLICIES TO ENHANCE SCHOOL SECURITY. SERVE AN A EDUCATOR AND MENTOR TO STUDENTS ON VARIOUS TOPICS INCLUDING GUN AND INTERNET SAFETY, EMERGENCY DRILLS, AND LIFE SKILLS.

Key Contributions:

CURRENTLY SERVING AS THE STATE TRUSTEE FOR FOP 10, CHAIRMAN OF COPS AND KIDS (SHOP WITH A COP) PROGRAM RAISING OVER NEARLY A HALF MILLION DOLLARS OVER THE LAST 29 YEARS.

REGION 4 REPRESENTATIVE FOR KENTUCKY ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS. REPRESENTING OVER 100 SRO'S WITHIN THE EIGHT COUNTY NORTHERN KY REGION. CONTINUING TO WORK WITH LOCAL AND STATE LAW MAKERS TO CREATE SAFER SCHOOLS.

CITY OF TAYLOR MILL POLICE DEPARTMENT, TAYLOR MILL KY

School Resource Officer, 09-05-16 to 06-01-23

Served as the SRO at Scott High School where I was responsible for the safety and security of 1,000 students and staff members. Write and review safety plans to insure compliance with KY Safe

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School Laws. Assisted Woodland Middle School's SRO with the same as both schools share the same campus.

Key Contributions:

- Past President of the KY Association of School Resource Officers
- Past KY Center for Safe Schools Board Member
- KYASRO SRO of the Year 2019-20
- Taylor Mill KY Excellence in Service Award 2023

CITY OF BELLEVUE POLICE DEPARTMENT, Bellevue, KY

Police Officer, 1/1997 – Retirement Date 07-31-16

Oversee department's entire fleet comprising 12 motor vehicles, 6 special use vehicles and 6 police mountain bikes. Schedule fleet maintenance. Evaluate and recommend equipment for new cruisers. Serve as hostage negotiator, Certified Tactical Driving Instructor, SAVE Instructor and Active Shooting Instructor. Organize and coordinate community events. Responsible for public relations activities and school liaison officer.

Key Contributions:

- Campbell County Major Accident Reconstruction Team member.
- Northern KY Special Operations Group member.
- Elected president of the Campbell County Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 10 after serving as a member since 1989.
- Coordinated FOP Cops with Kids Program, formerly Shop with a Cop Program, and reorganized Lodge 10 making it more community oriented.
- Recognized by NKY Police Chief's Association for Charles T. Donaldson Outstanding Leadership and Community Service Award in 2005.
- Coordinated numerous educational programs both inside the local high school and elementary school.

FENDERS WRECK SERVICE INC., Newport, KY

Manager, 7/1990 – 1/1997

Supervised and managed daily operations of 24/7 towing company. Managed annual budget and public relations campaigns. Hired and trained new personnel. Scheduled and maintained tow vehicles. Worked closely with private and public sector, including police, on emergency calls.

Key Contributions:

- Organized and coordinated educational programs and events for local schools as well as police and fire departments, including Anti-DUI Driving and Guns & Bikes Safety.
- Ensured all vehicles and drivers met Federal Trucking Regulations.
- Negotiated and maintained contracts with major motor clubs.

Bachelor's Degree in Applied Administration (BTAS)

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI CLERMONT – Cincinnati, OH

Associates in Criminal Justice

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Professional Training

KY POPS and SRO III Certified

S.A.V.E Systems Instructor

F.E.M.A. Incident Command System

Criminal Justice Executive Development XIII (CJED)

Academy of Police Supervision XIII (APS)

Law Enforcement Driving Coordinator, KY and OH

Vehicle Collision, Pedestrian and Bicycle Investigation

Hostage Crisis Negotiations and Basic SWAT

Child Abuse Investigation

Crisis Intervention Certified

Over 2,300 hours of specialized training