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## **Mission**

The primary mission of the Bladen County Sheriff's Office is to provide a safe and secure environment for Bladen County residents and visitors. Our main goal is to understand the primary causes of crime in our community and to combat those causes through proactive enforcement and community involvement. It is our belief that through this collaborative effort the quality of life for all residents of Bladen County will be improved.

## **Core Values**

Our Workforce - The men and women of the Bladen County Sheriff's Office are our most valuable resource and the cornerstone upon which all services of the Sheriff's Office are built.

Community Trust – Maintaining the confidence entrusted with the Sheriff by the citizens of Bladen County is essential to the success of the Sheriff's Office.

Safe and Secure Communities – Low rates of crime and positive perceptions of safety are foundational to healthy and prosperous schools, neighborhoods, and businesses.

Professionalism – Legal, knowledgeable, respectful, and effective should characterize the work of the Sheriff's Office.

Integrity – Moral courage is the bedrock of protecting and serving the Mother County.