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2007 SURVEY OF STATE AND LOCAL LAW

ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

Law Enforcement Management and Administrative Statistics

U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics

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SECTION I - DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

1. Enter the number of AUTHORIZED full-time paid agency positions and ACTUAL full-time and part-time paid agency employees as of September 30, 2007. Full-time employees are those regularly scheduled for 35 or more hours per week. If none, enter '0.'

		AUTHORIZED full-time paid	ACTUAL paid agency employees		
a.	Sworn	positions	Full-time	Part-time	
	personnel with general arrest powers	110	110	0	
b.	Officers/deputies with limited or no arrest powers (e.g., jail or court officers in some agencies)		0	0	
c.	Non-sworn employees		28		
d.	TOTAL (sum of lines 'a' through 'c')		38		

2. As of September 30, 2007, how many reserve/auxiliary officers did your agency have? If none, enter '0.'

		Full-time	Part-time
Reserve/auxiliary	Sworn	0	0
officers	Non-sworn	0	0

3. As of September 30, 2007, how many FULL-TIME SWORN personnel with general arrest powers (as entered in 1a, column 2) did your agency have assigned to the following multi-agency task forces? Personnel may be counted more than once. If none, enter '0.'

Multi-agency task force	Assigned full-time	Assigned part-time
a. Gangs	0	4
b. Drugs		0
c. Anti-terrorism	0	
d. Human trafficking	0	0

wit ent	the total number of FULL-TIME So th general arrest powers (as entered fer the number of each of the following counted more than once. If none, enter	in 1a, column 2), ng: (Personnel may
a.	Uniformed officers with REGULARLY ASSIGNED DUTIES that include responding to citizen calls/requests for service	
b.	Community Policing Officers, Community Relations Officers, or other sworn personnel specifically designated to engage in community policing activities	
c.	School Resource Officers, School Liaison Officers, or other sworn personnel whose primary duties are related to school safety (exclude crossing guards)	
per col PR	ter the total number of FULL-TIME connel with general arrest powers (aumn 2) who performed the following IMARY job responsibility. Count eatone, enter '0.'	as entered in 1a, g duties as their
		Number
a.	Patrol duties	,66
b.	Investigative duties (e.g., detectives).	. , 20
c.	Jail-related duties	. , 0
d.	Court security duties	
e.	Process serving duties	
are bel inc pur	ter your agency's total operating but month period that includes Septeml not available, provide an estimate and ow. Include jails administered by you lude building construction costs or matchases. Please mark here if this figure is an ter the total estimated value of money.	per 30, 2007. If data mark () the box ragency. Do NOT jor equipment
pro	operty received by your agency from ogram during calendar year 2006. I operty were received, enter '0.'	an asset forfeiture f no money, goods or
a.	Drug forfeiture program,	14,815
b.	Gambling	

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forfeiture program.

Please mark here if any of these figures are an estimation.....

c. Other forfeiture program(s).....

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6.

SECTION II - PERSONNEL

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

8a.	Indicate your agency's minimum education requirement which new (non-lateral) officer recruits must have at hiring or within two years of hiring. Mark (■) only one response.		
	Four-year college degree required	,	
	☐ Two-year college degree required	1	
	☐ Some college but no degree required		
	☐ High school diploma or equivalent required		
	☐ No formal education requirement - SKIP to Question	9	
b.	Does your agency allow any exemption(s) to this mini education requirement policy?	mum	
	☐ Yes No		
9.	Which of the following screening techniques are used your agency in selecting new officer recruits?	by	
	Background/record checks		
	Background investigation Yes	□ No	
	Credit history check	□ No	
	Criminal history check	□No	
	Driving record check Yes	□ No	
	Personal attributes		
	Personal interview Yes	□ No	
	Personality inventory Yes	□ No	
	Polygraph exam Yes	□ No	
	Psychological evaluation Yes	□ No	
	Voice stress analyzer Yes	■ No	
	Written aptitude test	□No	
	Community relations skills		
	Analytical/problem-solving ability assessment. Yes	□ No	
	Assessment of understanding of diverse cultural populations	No ·	
	Mediation/conflict management skills assessment□ Yes	■ No	
	Second language test	No No	
	Volunteer/community service history check□ Yes	🖺 No	
	Physical attributes		
	Drug test	□ No	
	Medical exam	□ No	
	Physical agility/fitness test Yes	□ No	

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traini new (traini AND	many total hours of ACADEM ng (e.g., with FTO) are required non-lateral) officer recruits? ng only. Include both State/POS agency training requirements. Include, enter '0.'	red of your agency's Include law enforcement ST training requirements If no training of that type			
Total	Academ Trainin hours of training, 48				
are re PROI	· annu	ncy's NON- icers? Include law			
Total	hours of training	68			
gener and C	12. Enter the number of FULL-TIME SWORN personnel with general arrest powers (as entered in 1a, column 2) by RACE and GENDER for the pay period that included September 30, 2007. If none, enter '0.'				
Race	4				
a. b.	origin	, 96			
c.	***	1, 112			
d.	American Indian or Alaska Native				
e.	Asian				
f.	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	,0			
g.	Two or more races	, 0			
h.	No information available	\Box , \Box			
i.	Total (sum of lines 'a' through 'h')	,110			
Gend	er				
a.	Male	,100			
. h	Female				

c. Total (sum of lines 'a' and 'b')

	Enter the number of FUI were certified as bilingua none, enter '0.'				SECTION III - OPERATIONS			
14.	a. Sworn personnelb. Non-sworn personnel.During the 12-month per	,	3 3 ther 30, 2007.	17.	***Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.*** Does your agency participate in an operational 9-1-1 emergency telephone system (i.e., your agency's units be dispatched as a result of a call to 9-1-1)? Mark (s can		
	lid your agency use any of the following for language nterpretation services?				one response.			
	Sworn personnel	■ Yes □ No			¥Yes - Enhanced 9-1-1 system ☐ Yes - Basic 9-1-1 system			
	Non-sworn personnel	■ Yes □ No			□ No - SKIP to Question 19			
	Volunteers			18.	Does your agency's 9-1-1 system have the following capabilities for incoming calls from wireless/cellular phones?			
	Other (please specify)	Yes 🗆 No			Can display phone number of wireless caller	□ No		
	NIPAS LANG	UAGE LINE -	NWCD		Can display exact location of wireless caller	□ No		
15.	Does your agency author	ize or provide any	of the		Can display general location of wireless caller.	□ No		
	a. Education incentive pa	onnel?	N o	19.	During the 12-month period ending September 30, 20 did your agency use the following types of patrol on a REGULARLY SCHEDULED basis?			
	b. Hazardous duty pay	Yes	No No		Automobile			
	c. Merit/performance pay	yYes	□ No		Motorcycle Yes □ No			
	d. Shift differential pay	Yes	No No		Foot			
	e. Special skills proficier	ncy pay□ Yes	⊠ No		Aviation Yes No			
	f. Bilingual ability pay	Yes	□ No		Marine ☐ Yes ₩ No			
	g. Tuition reimbursemen	t Yes	□ No		Horse Yes No			
	h. Military service pay	Yes	No No		Bicycle Yes No			
	i. Collective bargaining	rights Yes	□ No		Human transporter (e.g., Segway)□ Yes ■ No			
	j. Residential incentive p	pay Yes	™ No		Other (please specify) Yes No			
16.	Enter the salary schedule SWORN positions as of S does not exist on a full-tim	September 30, 2007	7. If a position					
		S	ANNUAL salary					
	Ohio Cara di Cara	Minimum	. •					
	a. Chief executive (chief director, sheriff, etc.)	f, 124656	124,656					
	b. Sergeant or equivalen	t						

(post-academy)

first-line supervisor
c. Entry-level officer or deputy

85,961

74,149

53,160

SECTION IV - COMMUNITY POLICING

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

20. During the 12-month period ending September 30, 2007, what proportion of agency personnel received at least eight hours of community policing training (problem solving, SARA, community partnerships, etc.)? Mark (■) one choice per line. If your agency did not conduct training for a particular type of employee, please mark 'None.' If your agency did not have a particular type of employee for the specified time period, please mark 'NA.'

	All	Half or more	Less than half	None	NA
New officer recruits					
In-service sworn personnel					

- 21. During the 12-month period ending September 30, 2007, which of the following did your agency do? Mark (■) all that apply.
 - Maintained an agency mission statement that included a community policing component
 - Actively encouraged patrol officers to engage in SARA-type problem-solving projects on their beats

 If YES, please specify the number of patrol officers as of September 30, 2007:
 - ☐ Conducted a citizen police academy
 - Maintained or created a formal, written community policing plan
 - Gave patrol officers responsibility for specific geographic areas/beats
 - If YES, please specify the number of patrol officers as of September 30, 2007:
 - Included collaborative problem-solving projects in the evaluation criteria of patrol officers
 - Upgraded technology to support the analysis of community problems
 - Partnered with citizen groups and included their feedback in the development of neighborhood or community policing strategies
 - Conducted or sponsored a survey of citizens on crime, fear of crime, or satisfaction with police services
 - Maintained a community policing unit with full-time personnel (ALL PATROL OFFICERS ARE ENGAGED IN COMMUNITY POLICING.
 - ☐ None of the above

22,	. During the 12-month period ending September 30, 2007,
	did your agency have a problem-solving partnership or
	written agreement with any of the following?
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	written agreement with any of the following?		
	Advocacy groups	Yes	No No
•	Business groups	Yes	□ No
	Faith-based organizations	Yes	□ No
	Local government agencies (non-law enforcement)	Yes	□ No
	Other local law enforcement agencies	Yes	□ No
	Neighborhood associations	Yes	□ No
	Senior citizen groups	Yes	□ No
	School groups	Yes	□ No
	Youth service organizations	Yes	□ No
13.	During the 12-month period ending September did your agency use technology in any of the forways to improve contact between citizens and particles.	llowin	ıg
	Agency's email address was marketed to citizens		□ No
	Agency's website provided citizens with direct access to crime maps		■ No
	Agency's website provided citizens with direct access to crime statistics	Yes	No No
	Agency hosted a listsery or other electronic means to distribute news and updates	Yes	No No
	Reverse 9-1-1 system used for emergency community notification	Yes	₩ No
	System used for non-emergency mass community notification	Yes	No No
•	3-1-1 system available to handle police non-emergency calls	Yes	No No
	Electronic crime reporting was available	Yes	No No
	Citizens received crime reports via email	Yes	No 🌇
	Other (please specify)	Yes	No No

SECTION V - EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

24. Does your agency have a written plan that specifies actions to be taken in the event of terrorist attacks? (Include emergency operation plans that would be applicable to such an attack.)

Yes No

25. Do the public safety agencies operating in or nearby your jurisdiction (including your agency) use a shared radio network infrastructure that achieves interoperability?

Yes □ No

Partnership with culturally diverse

26. In which of the following terrorism preparedness activities did your agency engage during the period ending September 30, 2007?

M No Public anti-fear campaign..... Yes No No Dissemination of information to increase citizen preparedness....... Yes Community meetings on homeland security/preparedness...... Yes □ No Increased sworn officer presence at critical areas...... Yes ☐ No Emergency preparedness exercises...... Yes □ No Other (please specify)...... Yes No.

27. Of the total number of actual FULL-TIME personnel, how many are intelligence personnel with primary duties related to terrorist activities? If none, enter '0.'

Sworn Non-sworn Intelligence personnel with primary duties related to terrorist activities.....

SECTION VI - EQUIPMENT

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

28a. Which types of sidearms are authorized for use by your agency's field/patrol officers? Mark () all that apply.

	On-duty weapons		
Semiautomatic:	Primary sidearm	Backup sidearm	
10mm	. 🔲		
9mm	. 3		
.45	. 🗆		
.40	. 🗆		
.357	. 🗆		
.380	. 🗆		
Other caliber	. 🗆		
Any semiautomatic as long as they qualify	_		
Revolver		. 🗖	
		backup sidearm is	
	trol officers	arms systems does your or authorize for their use?	
Assault weapon	(e.g., AR-15)	
Shotgun		•	
☐ Carbine			
☐ Rifle			
☐ Other (please spe	ecify)	÷	
☐ Not applicable	no secondar	y firearms systems authorized	
field? Mark (■) onl	r protective	body armor while in the	
☐ Yes, all the time			

☐ Yes, in some circumstances (e.g., serving warrants)

30. Enter the number of animals regularly maintained by your agency for use in activities related to law enforcement. If none, enter '0.'

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31. Which of the following types of less-than-lethal weapons or actions are authorized for use by your agency's field/patrol officers? Exclude weapons used only by tactical units.				33. Enter the total number of motorized vehicles operated by your agency as of September 30, 2007. Include owned, rented, leased and confiscated vehicles that your agency uses. If none,					
	a.	Impact devices		enter '0.'					
		Traditional baton	No -	Marked cars, , 2 5					
		PR-24 baton Yes	No	Other marked vehicles (SUV, truck, van, etc.),					
		Collapsible baton Yes] No	Unmarked cars					
		Soft projectile (e.g., bean-bag) Yes	No No	Other unmarked vehicles (SLIV truck					
		Blackjack/slapjack Yes	No	van, etc.) , 2					
		Rubber buliet Yes	No	Fixed-wing aircraft,,,,,					
		Other impact device (please specify)] No	Helicopters					
		BEAN BAG SHOTGUN		Don't					
	b.	Chemical agents	Boats, O						
	OC (pepper spray/foam) Yes No			Motorcycles, 2					
		Other chemical agent (please specify)	No .	34a. Does your agency allow officers to take marked vehicles home?					
	c.	Other weapons/actions		☐ Yes III No - SKIP to Question 35a					
		Conducted energy device (e.g., stun gun, Taser, Stinger)□ Yes	No	b. Does your agency allow officers to drive marked vehicles for personal use during off-duty hours?					
			No	□ Yes □ No					
		, ,	# No ■ No	c. Does your agency allow officers to drive marked vehicles outside of the jurisdiction during off-duty hours?					
				□ Yes □ No					
		of September 30, 2007, did your agency use any of the pwing technologies on a regular basis? Mark () all y.	35a. During the 12-month period ending September 30, 2007, did your agency operate video cameras on a regular basis?						
	Dig	ital imaging		☐ Yes ■ No - SKIP to Question 36					
	Fing	gerprints (e.g., AFIS) Facial recognition		b. Enter the number of video cameras operated by your agency as of September 30, 2007. If none, enter '0.'					
	Muş	g shots Digital photography		In patrol cars					
	Sus	pect composites	□	Fixed-site surveillance in public areas					
	Nig	ht vision/electro-optic		Mobile surveillance					
		ared (thermal) Night vision goggles/binoculars	<u> </u>	36. During the 12-month period ending September 30, 2007,					
	Image intensifiers			did your agency operate gunshot detection sensors on a regular basis?					
	Laser range finders								
•		electro-optic technologies		Yes If YES, how many?					
	Veh	icle stopping/tracking		No,					
	Elec	ctrical/engine disruption□ Tire deflation devices							
		len vehicle tracking None of the listed vehicle stopping/tracking technolog	gies 🌃	·					

SECTION VII - COMPUTERS AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference. 37. Does your agency use computers for any of the following functions? Mark () all that apply. ☐ In-field report writing Analysis of community problems ☐ Intelligence gathering Automated booking ☐ Inter-agency information Crime analysis sharing Crime mapping ☐ Internet access Crime investigations ☐ Personnel records Dispatch (CAD) ☐ Records management Fleet management ☐ Resource allocation ☐ Hotspot identification □ NONE of the listed functions In-field communications 38. Does your agency maintain its own computerized files with any of the following information? Mark (■) all that apply. Alarms Intelligence related to potential terrorist activity Arrests Pawn shop data ☐ Biometric data for use ☐ Protection orders with facial recognition system Stolen property Calls for service ☐ Summonses Citizen complaints against officers/agency Traffic citations ☐ Fingerprints Traffic stops Gangs Use of force incidents Incident reports Warrants ☐ Illegal attempts to ☐ NONE of the listed files purchase firearms 39. Do any of your agency's field/patrol officers use computers or terminals WHILE IN THE FIELD? Yes □ No -- SKIP to Question 41 If YES, how many of the following types of computers/terminals are available for use by your agency's field/patrol officers WHILE IN THE FIELD? If none, enter '0.' Permanent vehicle-mounted computers/terminals: Portable computers/terminals used with vehicle docking stations: Portable computers/terminals NOT used with vehicle docking stations:

40. Do any of your agency's f access to the following typ vehicle-mounted or porta	es of inf	ormation using IN-FIELD					
Motor vehicle records	Yes	. □ No					
Driving records	Yes	□ No.					
Criminal history records	Yes	□ No					
Warrants	Yes	□ No					
Protection orders	. Yes	□ No					
Inter-agency information system	.□ Yes	N o					
Address history (e.g., repeat calls for service)	.□ Yes	No No					
Internet access	.□ Yes	No No					
GIS/crime mapping	.□ Yes	Ma No					
Other (please specify)	.□ Yes	No No					
Mark (■) only one respons ■ Paper report	☐ Voice (cellphone, telephone, recording, radio) ☐ Computer/data device						
☐ Not applicable - agency	does not	handle such reports					
42. Does your agency own or have access to an Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) that includes a file of digitized prints? Mark () all that apply.							
Agency is exclusive/shar	Agency is exclusive/shared owner of an AFIS system						
☐ Agency has access to a r	☐ Agency has access to a remote AFIS system						
☐ Agency has access to AF	☐ Agency has access to AFIS through another agency						
☐ None of the above							
personnel performance m Early Warning or Early I	3. Does your agency have an operational computer-based personnel performance monitoring/assessment system (e.g., Early Warning or Early Intervention System) for monitoring or responding to problematic officer behavior patterns?						
Yes 🗆 No							

SECTION VIII - SPECIAL PROBLEMS/TASKS

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

44. How does your agency address the following problems/tasks? Mark () the appropriate box for each problem/task listed below. Mark only one box per line.

Type of problem/task		(1)	Agency DOES NOT HAVE a specialized unit with full-time personnel					
		Agency HAS specialized unit with personnel assigned FULL-TIME to address this problem/task	(2) Agency has designated personnel to address this problem/task	(3) Agency addresses this problem/task, but does not have designated personnel	(4) Agency does not formally address this problem/task			
a.	Auto theft		. 🗆					
b.	Bias/hate crime							
c.	Bomb/explosive disposal							
d.	Child abuse/ endangerment		[8]					
e,	Community crime prevention							
f.	Crime analysis							
g.	Cybercrime							
h.	Domestic violence							
i.	Drug education in schools			· 🗆				
j.	Financial crimes							
k.	Drug enforcement							
l.	Gangs				· 🗖			
m.	(DUI/DWI)							
n.	Internal affairs							
0.	Juvenile crime							
p.	Methamphetamine labs				. %			
q.	Missing children		. 🗆					
r.	Repeat offenders			8				
s.	Research and planning							
t.	School safety							
u.	Terrorism/homeland security		12	□.	□			
v.	Victim assistance							

SECTION IX - POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Unless otherwise noted, please answer all questions using September 30, 2007, as a reference.

45. Does your agency have written policy or procedural directives on the following?

Officer conduct □ No Use of deadly force/firearm discharge...... Yes Use of less-than-lethal force...... Yes ☐ No Code of conduct and appearance...... Yes ☐ No Off-duty employment...... Yes □ No Maximum work hours allowed...... Yes □ No Off-duty conduct...... Yes □ No □ No Interacting with the media...... Yes Employee counseling assistance...... Yes \square No Dealing with special populations/situations □ No Mentally ill persons...... Yes No No Domestic disputes...... Yes □ No Juveniles...... Yes □ No 🗰 No m. Persons with limited English proficiency....□ Yes **Procedural** Collection of information on in-custody ☐ No deaths......Yes Racial profiling...... Yes □ No ☐ No Citizen complaints...... Yes Checking of immigration status by patrol □ No officers...... Yes 46. Which of the following best describes your agency's written policy for pursuit driving? Mark (■) only one response. Prohibition (prohibits all pursuits) ☐ Discouragement (discourages all pursuits) Judgmental (leaves decisions to officer's discretion, such as type of offense, speed, etc.) Restrictive (restricts decisions of officers to specific criteria) ☐ Other (please specify) Agency does not have a written policy pertaining to pursuit driving

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a.		ned (Suf disciplin (s))				e [,		0
b.		disposit ated, not						, [2
c.	 Pending (Final disposition of the allegation has not been made) 							,		0
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*	Yes	□ No								
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