

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

July 13, 2015

A Personnel Committee meeting was held Thursday, July 13, 2015, at 6:00 p.m. in the County Administration Building, Quorum Court Meeting Room, 215 East Central, Bentonville, Arkansas.

Committee Members Present: Sandlin, Chiocco, J. Harrison, Leadabrand, Anglin, Shadlow

Others Present: JPs Meyers, Slinkard, Adams, K. Harrison, Human Resources Director Barbara Ludwig, Sheriff Department Staff

Media: Tom Sissom

Public Comments

None

Department 0400, Fund 1000 – Sheriff (Additional Positions) Detective II for Cybercrime Division (2) Animal Control Officer

Captain Ken Paul of the Sheriff's Office presented a request for two Detective II's in the Cybercrimes Unit. He said that one will assist in the tracking of sex offenders, and one will be specializing in chatting online to lure sex offenders.

Discussion was held regarding the recommended number of sex offender cases per officer, the methods used to track them, and the number of years spent tracking each case.

Captain Paul stated that they are also requesting an additional Animal Control Officer. He said the one officer currently employed has over 1,000 calls per year. He said they are asking for this position at this time so that the new person will have an opportunity to attend the academy and become certified by the beginning of 2016.

JP Anglin stated that she does not favor adding to the budget in the middle of the year.

JP Anglin made motion to forward the requests to the July 14, 2015 Committee of the Whole agenda, seconded by JP Chiocco.

Motion passed by unanimous show of hands vote.

Meeting adjourned at 5:32 p.m.