

San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Advisory Foundation (SAF)

Funding Accomplishments for Year 2021

During the Year 2021, the Sheriff's Advisory Foundation made payments for community events and Requests for Funds received from the Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units, and local law enforcement agencies and local law enforcement support organizations in San Luis Obispo County:

ORGANIZATION/PROGRAM	AMOUNT	UTILIZATION OF FUNDS:
San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units		
Administration	\$588	Purchased an HDMI capture device to augment the Sheriff's Office current sound system with additional options for press conferences and occasions where sound is needed. The HDMI capture device will allow for higher broadcast quality video and audio for press conferences or live video and sound applications
Cannabis Enforcement Unit	\$4,150	The Sheriff's Office Cannabis Enforcement Unit was in need of a new, modern dump trailer for use in Cannabis Eradication. The current trailer is a decades old tow behind trailer which is open with 4 foot side rails which makes it difficult to tie down large quantities of cannabis for transportation. It also requires manual unloading at the dump which increases the risk of injury to Sheriff's Office personnel. Last year, this trailer was used to transport approximately 10,000 pounds of abated cannabis to the landfill from various locations in the county and it is anticipated higher numbers this year. The new dump trailer with higher walls and cover was \$8,300.04; 50% deposit was paid in Year 2020.
Cessna Aircraft	\$282	Postage for Mailing Plaques to Donors.
County Mobile Field Force (MFFT)	\$5,213	Purchase of a 2021 Look 6' x 12' "Element" Single Axle Enhanced Trailer W/Interior Wall Upgrade. The Sheriff approved the formation of a County Mobile Field Force (MFFT). The MFFT will have 54 members. Equipment utilized by the MFFT needs to be stored in a central area and easily accessed for rapid deployment. The most efficient, practical, and functional way of storing the equipment is a trailer. This trailer will support in the effort to help keep San Luis Obispo County a safe and peaceful community.
Crime Lab - Forensic Specialist	\$969	Purchase of a high-quality camera to be used in the field by Sheriff's Forensic Specialist. The current camera used by one of the Sheriff's Office Forensic Specialists was outdated and needed to be replaced. This camera is used for crime scene photography and will typically be used in high profile and major cases. This updated camera system will provide better evidence in the form of pictures for the investigation and presentation in court proceedings.
Coroner's Office	\$1,239	Purchased a high-quality camera and flash for the Coroner's Office. This camera will be used specifically for autopsies and will not be taken into the field. Photos used to document specific conditions during the autopsy is extremely important. These photos are used to assist the Pathologist when she is completing her reports and also can be evidence in criminal cases (usually homicide cases). Currently, detectives use their cameras in autopsy and then put them back into their field kits. By having a separate camera, it ensures it is cleaned on a regular basis and since it stays in the autopsy suite, we limit contamination from fluids or substances that could carry.

Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Seminar Classes	\$2,400	Payment of \$2,400.00 for the May 2021 CIT Training classes to Joshua Todt for \$2,000.00, CIT Assistance Speaker, and \$400.00 to four CIT Specialty Assistance-Actors. The Andrew Holland Foundation made a commitment to pay for all of the CIT classes by making donations to SAF. Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) training is a specialized police curriculum that aims to reduce the risk of serious injury or death during an emergency interaction between persons with mental illness and police officers. CIT has been implemented widely both nationally and internationally.
Explorer Post #781 Explorer Competition	\$2,792	\$1,594 Items purchased for new and current Explorers: Uniform Long Sleeve Shirts (12) Polo Shirts (6) Pants (6) Embroidery for LS Shirts and Polos Belts (6) Ties (14) & Tie Bars (14) Captain Bars (1), Sgt. Chevrons (2), & Corporal Chevrons (3) \$623.00 Purchased shirts and hats for the Explorer Competition \$575.00 Purchased Equipment for Explorer Color Guard
GREAT Program/Summer Youth Camp	\$340	Purchased Gift Cards for Camp Leaders
Mounted Posse	\$600	\$260 Annual Captain's Recognition & \$340 Posse Annual Event expense
Special Enforcement Detail	\$220	Purchased a Special Enforcement Detail Magpul Sling and Weapon Light.
SLSO K-9 Unit	\$990	\$183 Purchased K9 Dog House for K9 Ripley. \$807 Currently the Sheriff's Office Canine Unit has (6) K9's. K9 DJ our most senior K9, has a Sheriff's Office K9 badge, but he is the only K9 currently that has a K9 badge. This funding request is for the purchase of (6) K9 badges. (5) of the badges will be personalized to the specific K9. One of the badges will be a "blank" K9 badge to ensure that we always have a K9 badge on-hand for the Canine,
Local Law Enforcement Support Organizations		
Cattleman/Cattlemoman	\$689	Purchased two Commemorative Belt Buckles which were presented to the Cattleman and Cattlemoman of the Year at the Mid-State Fair. Presentation builds stronger working relationships between the Sheriff's Office and our rural community partners.
Community Emergency Response Team -Estero Bay 2379 (CERT)	\$1,160	\$417.00 Funds expended to purchase 30 NIOSH approved Face Masks for COVID -19 and annual web site fee. \$743.00 Purchased traffic cones for Flu COVID-19 Shot Clinics and purchased 100 "Challenge Coins" for members who participated In COVID RUOK calling program.
Community Emergency Response Team - North County (CERT)	\$15,026	Expenditures for the development of a CERT/Listos Class for North County CERT. This class is funded by an approved California State Grant. Funds will be forth coming to the SAF from the state. This grant was made through the SAF.

Crime Stoppers San Luis Obispo	\$3,000	Funds were provided to pay for operating and administration expenses. Crime Stoppers encourages members of the community to assist local law enforcement agencies in the fight against crime by overcoming the two key elements that inhibit community involvement: fear and apathy. Crime Stoppers provides a telephone number and Web Tips to encourage citizens in the community to volunteer vital information helpful to law enforcement agencies to fight against crime. Crime Stoppers is a partnership of the public, police and media which provides the community with a proactive program to anonymously assist in solving crime and contributing to an improved quality of life.
Total Funding for Year 2021	\$39,658	