

**Department:** Sheriff **Program Contact:** Jeffery Wheeler  
**Program Offer Type:** Existing Operating Program **Program Offer Stage:** As Requested  
**Related Programs:**  
**Program Characteristics:** In Target

**Executive Summary**

The MCSO Corrections Emergency Response Team (CERT) and Crisis Negotiations Team (CNT) respond to emergency situations that represent a potential hazard to a facility, loss of life, serious injury to staff, inmates or the public or when significant property loss is imminent. Protecting and preserving human life is the top priority for the MCSO CERT/CNT.

**Program Summary**

The mission of CERT/CNT is to deal with high risk, high liability situations in a safe and secure manner. Members receive specialized training to handle a large variety of emergencies in the safest way possible for both inmates and staff. When called upon, CERT/CNT will always strive to accomplish the stated objective through negotiations or tactical operations using only the most minimal amount of force necessary. CERT/CNT will always attempt to resolve all situations with no injuries to staff or inmates.

The MCSO CERT/CNT consists of 1 CERT/CNT Commander, 2 CERT Team Leaders, 2 CERT Assistant Team Leaders, 10 CERT members, 1 CNT Team Leader and 4 CNT members.

CERT is divided into 2 teams of 7 members each. CERT teams rotate one month on primary call-out and one month on secondary call-out. The CNT is one team and does not rotate. All members of CERT/CNT are full time MCSO employees and are on call 24/7 to respond to emergent situations. All CERT/CNT members only serve on an "On-Call" status; there are no full time CERT/CNT members. Program funding supports supplies, equipment and training exclusively.

CERT/CNT is used primarily to respond to incidents in an MCSO Corrections Facility, but may be called upon to respond to other County Facilities, such as Juvenile Detention Home, or to respond as mutual aid to another jurisdiction if requested.

**Performance Measures**

Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY16 Actual	FY17 Purchased	FY17 Estimate	FY18 Offer
Output	Number of CERT/CNT call outs	4	6	6	6
Outcome	Number of training sessions completed for CERT members	10	12	15	12
Outcome	Number of training session completed for CNT members	12	12	12	12

**Performance Measures Descriptions**

Data from TeleStaff Reports/AAR (After-Action Reports)/Outlook Calendar Notations.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2017	2017	2018	2018
Personnel	\$107,489	\$0	\$110,978	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$47,711	\$0	\$47,711	\$0
Internal Services	\$9,456	\$0	\$15,621	\$0
<b>Total GF/non-GF</b>	<b>\$164,656</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$174,310</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Program Total:</b>	<b>\$164,656</b>		<b>\$174,310</b>	
Program FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Program Revenues				
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Explanation of Revenues

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2017: 60038 CERT/CNT