



2010 Recommended Budget - Public Safety a Priority
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Our 2010 budget protects public safety. We made it a priority.

The budget holds the Sheriff harmless from cuts in staffing and actually adds equipment. We maintain support for programs and services in the DA's office. And the courts maintain all of their services.

Some (in the courthouse) may be upset that we ask the county employees working in the courts (administrative staff) to take the same wage and benefit adjustments as other county workers. This will not, however, affect the number of workers.

Public safety - even in a tough budget year - is a priority and our proposal funds it.

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