United States Marshals Service



FACT SHEET Facts and Figures

[fiscal 2004 statistics, unless otherwise noted]

Personnel

- 94 U.S. marshals
- 3,344 deputy marshals and criminal investigators
- 1,365 administrative employees and detention enforcement officers
- total employees: 4,803
- 94 districts; 212 sub-offices; three foreign offices

Fugitive Apprehension

- Arrested more than 36,000 federal felons, clearing 39,000 felony warrants
- Arrested more federal fugitives (55%) than all other law enforcement agencies combined
- Marshals Service-led fugitive task forces arrested more than 31,600 state/local fugitives, clearing 37,900 state and local felony warrants
- 175 15 Most Wanted fugitives have been captured since the inception of the program in 1983
- Extradited 541 fugitives from 56 different countries

Justice Prisoner and Alien Transportation System (JPATS)

- More than 290,000 federal prisoner movements
- More than 175,000 movements by air
- More than 2,300 non-federal prisoner movements

Threat Evaluation

• Evaluated 674 inappropriate communications/threats made to federal judicial employees

Judicial Security

- Senior inspectors, deputy marshals and contracted court security officers (CSOs) provide security at more than 400 facilities that house court operations
- Protect more than 2,000 federal judges
- Protect numerous other members of the federal judiciary, including U.S. attorneys, assistant U.S. attorneys and jurors
- Manage contract for 4,500 CSOs

Asset Seizure and Forfeiture

- Currently managing approximately 15,528 assets with a value of more than \$964 million
- Real property represents 24% of total value
- Cash and financial instruments represent 67% of total value
- Vehicles comprise 26% of inventory items
- Approximately \$3.53 billion has been shared with state/local agencies since fiscal 1985
- Fiscal 2004 equitable sharing payments were approximately \$268 million

Special Operations Group

- Specially trained tactical unit created in 1971
- Responds to emergencies anywhere in the United States or its territories
- Provides tactical support to district offices or as ordered by the U.S. attorney general
- Headquartered at Camp Beauregard, a Louisiana National Guard installation

Witness Security Program

- Total witness workload: 7,700
- Total participants: 17,500 (witnesses and family members)
- More than 10 witnesses per month enter the program
- Testimonies of protected witnesses have resulted in an 89% conviction rate since 1971

Fiscal 2005 Budget Information

[enacted Dec. 8, 2004]

• Salary and expenses appropriation: \$741,941,000

• Construction appropriation: \$5,657,000

Note: The above figures represent enacted funding levels with government-wide rescissions.

Prisoner Custody

Prisoners in daily custody: 49,405
Prisoners received yearly: 168,382
Prisoners produced yearly: 649,040

(excluding District of Columbia Superior Court)

Intergovernmental Agreements

Intergovernmental Agreement jails: 1,300
Average daily jail rate paid by the Marshals Service: \$61.95

Use of the Cooperative Agreement Program (CAP) by the Marshals Service

• Number of CAP agreements to date: 310

Number of CAP beds: 16,309
CAP federal court cities: 166
Districts with CAP agreements: 89

Total CAP funding to date: \$330.5 million
Average construction cost of CAP bed: \$20,262

Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) Facilities

• BOP facilities used to house Marshals Service prisoners: 25

• Number of beds allocated: 12,269

Federal Excess Property (FEP) Transfers to Contract Jails

• Jails with FEP: 564

• Marshals Service districts participating in FEP transfers: 29

• Value of property provided to date: \$86.2 million

• Accountable property: 56%