



## Virginia Sheriffs' Institute 2024 ANNUAL REPORT

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### **Mission Statement**

**The mission of the Virginia Sheriffs' Institute is to encourage charitable and educational activities among the sheriffs and their deputies within the Commonwealth of Virginia in all phases of law enforcement practices, procedures, and techniques, to educate the public, and to do any and all things to promote the enforcement of law and order and the suppression of crime.**

**Dear Friends,**

**One of the joys of preparing an annual report is that it gives us a chance to look back and be thankful for all that has been accomplished. The past year was filled with both opportunities and challenges. Some highlights were:**

- Provided a spring educational conference for 266 sheriffs and deputies representing 90 sheriff's offices in April 2024 in Williamsburg, VA
- Awarded 49 scholarships to people throughout Virginia who are majoring in criminal justice at a Virginia college or university for a total of \$47,000.
- Provided a weekly email newsletter, the *Virginia Sheriffs Dispatch*, to sheriff and deputy members and a quarterly newsletter to VSI associate and business members
- Provided 2 lawful employment training programs for 110 sheriffs and deputies.
- Contributed to the following organizations: Virginia State Police Association Emergency Relief Fund, Virginia Coalition for the Prevention of Elder Abuse, Inc., Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. (COPS), Drive to Work, the Virginia Victim Assistance Network, Virginia Law Enforcement Accreditation Coalition and Virginia Crimes Against Children
- Provided a Virginia Law Enforcement Memorial Fund to honor Virginia officers killed in the line of duty through its Virginia license plate sales to the Roanoke City Sheriff's Office, the Fauquier County Sheriff's Office, the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund, and the Virginia Public Safety Foundation.
- Welcomed 24 new and 13 recertified VSI Certified (VSIC) sheriffs and deputies at the 2024 VSI conference.
- Held a VSI Executive Management training program on ethics for 41 sheriffs in October 2024.

The following is an overview of the Virginia Sheriffs' Institute's income and expenses for the fiscal year that ended June 30, 2024:

<b>Total revenues and support</b>	<b>\$1,417,062</b>
<b>Program service expenses</b>	<b>\$1,034,248</b>
<b>Management and general expenses</b>	<b>\$135,396</b>
<b>Fundraising expenses</b>	<b>\$121,171</b>
<b>Total expenses</b>	<b>\$1,290,815</b>
<b>Ending net asset balance</b>	<b>\$2,670,936</b>

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