



# County of Yolo

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Via email (cgjayolo@gmail.com)

Yolo County Chapter  
California Grand Juror's Association  
Attn: James O. Painter, President

Re: 2014-15 Grand Jury Report Update

Dear Mr. Painter:

The following is in response to your letter dated July 29, 2016 in which you requested updates to the Yolo County Sheriff's Office's response to the 2014-15 Grand Jury report on the Monroe Detention and Leinberger Memorial Centers. The updates are set forth below.

R2 By June 1, 2016, the Detention Commander, in conjunction with the Chief Probation Officer, shall develop and implement a plan to track the effectiveness of discharge planning and in-house programs as they apply to inmates who successfully complete probation.

Response:

The Sheriff's Office obtained grant funding during FY 2014-2015 to hire a Social Worker whose duties are to evaluate all programs provided to inmates within the Yolo County Jail system. The Detention Commander and the Social Worker will work with Probation to implement a tracking system by June 1, 2016, for those inmates that leave custody and successfully complete their probation.

Update:

This has been completed. The Sheriff's Office tracks the total number of inmates that receive instruction in each program. We also track each inmate by name as to which programs they complete. This information is provided to Probation so that Probation can assist the inmates in any further programming needs after release from custody.

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R4 By January 1, 2016, the Detention Commander shall identify any deficiencies in the surveillance systems and, in conjunction with the Board of Supervisors, take the necessary steps to remedy the deficiencies.

Response

The Sheriff has directed the Detention Commander to correct any deficiencies in the surveillance system and other security systems within the jail. A Task Force of Correctional Officers, Correctional Sergeants and a Correctional Lieutenant was formed and have identified cameras to be replaced and those to be enhanced. This year, 18 cameras have been replaced and the installation of a Pan-Tilt-Zoom (PTZ) will be completed by 8/1/15. A complete upgrade of the system is being designed to include the additional areas affected by the upcoming remodel and expansion.

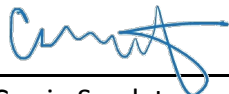
Update:

This has been completed. The Sheriff's Office has replaced all ailing cameras and others have been added. In July 2016 the Board of Supervisors approved a contract for a vendor to start on the security upgrade of the Monroe facility in preparation for and in conjunction with the remodel and addition project under AB900.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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