



Marshal Maria McKee



# Fulton County Marshal's Department 2022 ANNUAL REPORT

# About Us And Our Mission

The Fulton County Marshal's Department was established by an act of the Georgia Legislature in 1913 to serve the public by enforcing the Orders, Writs and Precepts of the State and Magistrate Courts of Fulton County and other Courts of competent judicial authority, in a responsible, efficient, and cost-effective manner. The Marshal's Department service areas are within the boundaries of Fulton county which includes 15 municipalities.

The department performs the following functions within the 3 Bureaus: North, South and Internal Services which encompasses the following services: Civil Process, Probation & Criminal Warrants/Georgia Crime Information Center (GCIC), Enforcement of Dispossession Actions, Writ of Possession and Writs of Feiri Facias (FIFA), Marshal Sales, Court Security, Training, DUI and Mental Health Court Support, enforcing traffic law, protecting life, property and preserving the peace.



**FULTON COUNTY MARSHAL'S DEPARTMENT**



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# Message from the Marshal

Greetings fellow citizens, county officials, and employees:

I am honored to serve as your Fulton County Marshal, and I am pleased to provide the 2022 Annual Report. This report documents the agency's activities, initiatives, and accomplishments.

Successfully, we have come to the end of this year. I must thank you all for your continued support of this agency. I also especially thank the women and men of the Fulton County Marshal's Department who employed commitment and dedication daily to make 2022 a successful year for our team.

While this has been a busy year for us as we worked through the backlog that manifested post pandemic; we stood the test and managed to accomplish much more. In addition to our primary functions in securing the courts, enforcing the orders of the courts, and enforcing the laws of the state of Georgia, we effectively moved forward with other goals and obligations as such:

- Recruited and hired 18 new employees.
- Expanded our outreach activities to include partnering with Atlanta Public Schools Police Department in their Books and Badges reading program. In this program we read a book each month to a different grade level of students.
- Continued our homeless initiative for the 2nd year, where we made interactions with more than 200 individuals providing personal hygiene items and cold weather clothing.
- Resumed the Junior Deputy Program that promotes good character, self-respect, leadership, and citizenship skills. This program targets ages 12-16. We worked with 12 participants this program year.



- Equipped students with the necessary supplies to promote a successful school year through our 2nd annual "Book Bag and School Supplies Giveaway." Through this initiative we provided over 200 students with book bags and a variety of required school supplies.
- Participated and contributed donations to the American Cancer Society's – Breast Cancer Awareness fundraiser walk.
- Assisted families in need by providing handsomely filled Thanksgiving Baskets with complete meals to 30 families.

As we embrace the new year, we are committed to maintaining the high standards we have set for our agency by frequently making self-assessments and improving in our service delivery. We will continue exploring new and better ways to provide optimal services to our customers and meet the expectations of our internal and external partners.

Looking forward to the future!

Cordially,

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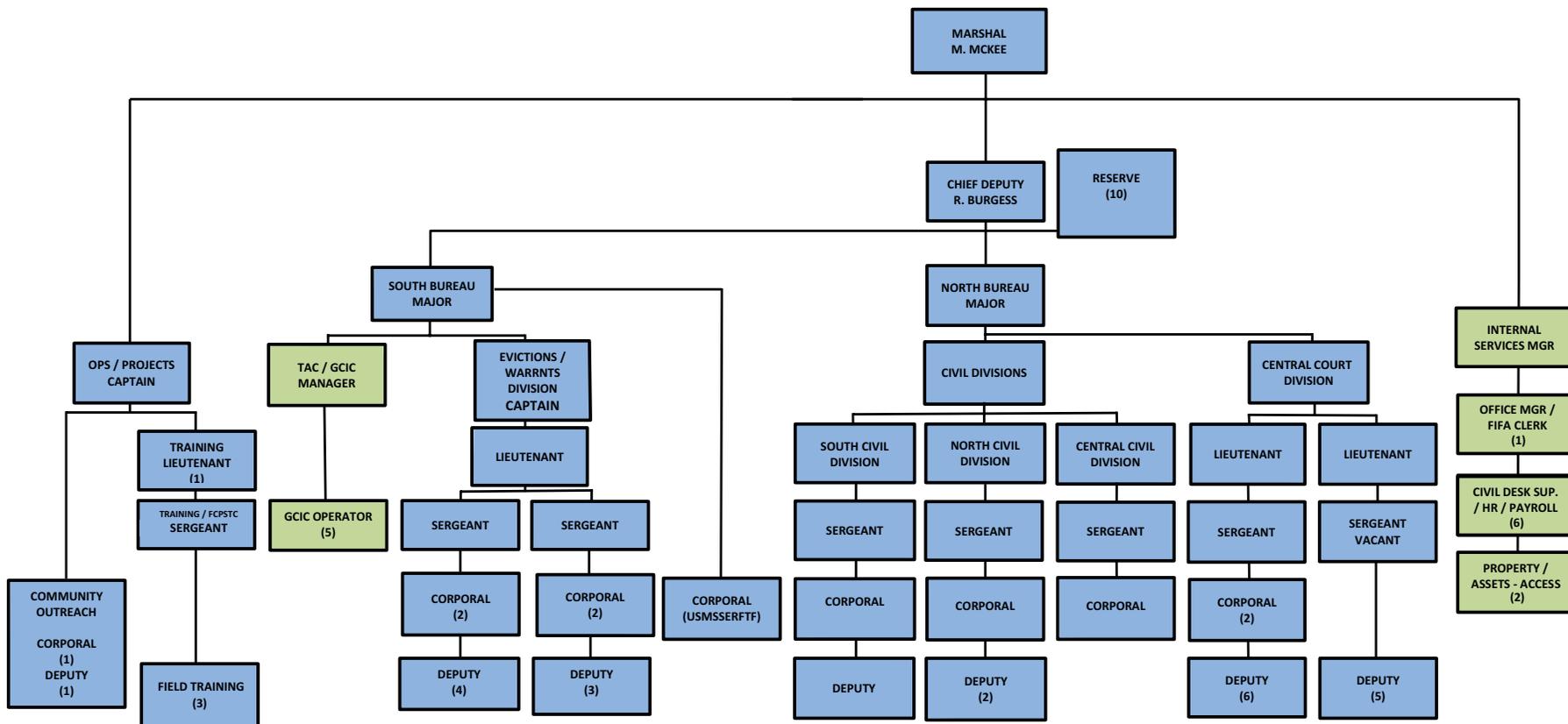
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# Fulton County Marshal's Department

71 EMPLOYEES  
 56 Sworn (Blue)  
 15 Non-Sworn (Green)  
 As of DECEMBER 2022



## Marshal Maria McKee

Maria McKee was appointed by the Fulton County State Court Bench to officially begin a term as Fulton County Marshal on January 1, 2020.

A native of Atlanta, she grew up on the southwest side of the city and attended school in the Atlanta Public School System and graduated from Booker T. Washington High School.

Marshal McKee began her law enforcement career at the Fulton County Sheriff's Office in 1988 as a Deputy Sheriff. She worked throughout the sheriff's office and held many leadership positions while ascending through the ranks. She reached the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and became the commander of the Court Services Division. She was the highest-ranking female in the organization at that time.

Marshal McKee holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Integrative Studies: Management/Criminal Justice from Clayton State University, and a Master of Public Administration Degree from Columbus State University. She is also a graduate of the Georgia Law Enforcement Command College and the Georgia Chief Executive Training Program.

Marshal McKee is a Georgia Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) certified senior instructor, and a Registered Neutral Mediator under the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution. In addition, she is a member of the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives and holds a seat on the executive board for the Georgia Chapter, Georgia Chiefs of Police Association member, Atlanta Metropol Inc. member, and member of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women Inc.-MECCA Chapter.

In her role as Marshal of Fulton County, she leads an agency of Georgia POST certified sworn peace officers and civilian personnel. She is dedicated to improving relationships between law enforcement and the communities we serve through various outreach opportunities and preparing staff for future leadership roles.

Maria McKee is proud to be the 14th Marshal of Fulton County and 2nd female to hold this position in the department's 109-year history.





# Leadership Team



## Chief Deputy Ronald Burgess

Chief Burgess began his law enforcement career with the Fulton County Marshal's Department in 1997 as a Deputy Marshal. He previously worked in the Courts Division, Civil Division, and Evictions Division. One of his most noted job assignments was serving as the Internal Affairs (IA) Commander. He has received numerous commendations throughout his career, and promotions up to his present rank as Chief Deputy. He holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice and is a member of the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police and the Fraternal Order of Police.



## Major Nicholas Mulcare

Major Mulcare began his law enforcement career as a Deputy with the Fulton County Marshal's Department in 1996. Since then, he has served in the Civil Process, Court Security, and Evictions Divisions while being promoted numerous times and eventually achieving his current rank of Major. Major Mulcare currently serves as the Bureau Commander over both the Civil Process and Court Security Divisions. In addition, he is the CALEA (Commission for the Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc.) Accreditation Manager. He earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice from University of West Georgia and a Master of Public Administration Degree from Georgia State University. His certifications include, Basic, Intermediate, Advanced, Supervisory, and Managerial. In addition, he has also completed the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police Chief Executive Training Class.



## Major Deirdre Orange

Major Orange began her career with the Fulton County Marshal's Department on July 12, 1998. She served as the GCIC Terminal Agency Coordinator and supervisor for 14 years. She served as Division Commander for the South Civil Division from May 2016 until November 2020. She is currently the Bureau Commander for the Evictions Division and GCIC Unit. Major Orange is also one of the Public Information Officers for the Marshal's Department. She received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice from Mercer University, and she has also completed the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police Chief Executive Training Class. She is a certified Field Training Officer and has completed both, Supervision and Management Training.



## Captain Dustin Davis

Captain Davis began his law enforcement career with the Fulton County Marshal's Department on July 23, 1998. After being assigned to the Court Division for two years, he was reassigned to the Special Operations (SOD)/Warrants Division and has served in this capacity for over 20 years. In December of 2020, he was promoted to Captain and assigned as the Division Commander over the Eviction and Warrants Division. He is also the Commander of the Department's Mobile Field Force Unit that began in 2020. He has completed specialized training in Supervision I, II, III, Management I, II, III, Field Training Officer, FBI LEEDS, and Special Weapon and Tactics (S.W.A.T.).



# Leadership Team



## **Captain Quintin Hill**

Captain Hill began his law enforcement career with the Fulton County Marshal's Department in 1997. He has had the pleasure of working in Court Services, Evictions, Civil, and Special Operations (SOD) Warrants Divisions. Currently, he is the commander of the Civil Division. He has obtained advanced training in supervision and management and holds certifications in Special Weapons and Tactics (S.W.A.T.) and Hostage Negotiations. Captain Hill is the agency's Public Information Officer, and he is also instrumental in providing leadership to the members of the Honor Guard.



## **Captain Shawn Johnson**

Captain Shawn Johnson is a distinguished law enforcement professional with an impressive 26-year career dedicated to serving and protecting his community. In his current role, he serves as the Commander of the Office of Professional Standards (OPS), overseeing the agency's standards of conduct and accountability of its members. Additionally, he spearheads special projects and coordinates training, ensuring that officers are equipped with the necessary knowledge and skills to excel in their roles. He is a Georgia Peace Officer and Standards Training certified general instructor and firearms instructor.



## **Captain Joseph Jones**

Captain Jones is a dedicated law enforcement professional who has spent 26 years serving the citizens of Fulton County. He began in 1996 with the Fulton County Sheriff's Department as a Special Deputy, and his passion for law enforcement led him to become a Detention Officer in 2000. In 2005, he joined the Fulton County Marshal's Department, where he has excelled and risen through the ranks. Currently, he is the Commander of Court Services Division, overseeing crucial operations within the department. Throughout his career, he has demonstrated a commitment to public safety and has made a positive impact on his community.



## **Tona'e L. Clements, GCIC Manager**

Tona'e Clements joined the Fulton County Marshal's Department in 2021. She is the manager over the Georgia Crime Information Center (GCIC) Unit. She is also a certified instructor for civilian employees. Ms. Clements has 39 years of experience as a civilian in the law enforcement field, holding the following positions: 911 Operator, Call Center Supervisor, Customer Service Lead, Crime Scene Technician, Vehicles for Hire Officer, GCIC Supervisor, and GCIC Manager. In addition, she has served on the Terminal Agency Coordinator (TAC) Board for the State of Georgia since 2010 and has served as the board's president and TAC advisor. During her career she has received several awards and commendations. She currently holds the position of Liaison for the Fulton County Employee's Association.



# Leadership Team



## Flora Eatman, Internal Services Manager

Flora Eatman joined the Fulton County Marshal's Department in July 2022 as the Internal Services Manager in the Administration Division. She is responsible for managing civil papers processing, property & evidence, quartermaster, human resources, information technology, grant management, budget, and finance. Ms. Eatman began serving the citizens of Fulton County in August 2009 when she was hired by the Fulton County Sheriff's Department as an Accounting Supervisor. During her tenure, she was promoted to Finance Division Manager in June 2012. Ms. Eatman was instrumental with the implementation of Odyssey Case Manager's financial component in automating the manual cash receipt process which improved accountability and error rate by 100%. She holds a bachelor's degree in accounting and has over 20 years of experience in Finance.

**WE ARE  
RESPECTFUL, EFFECTIVE, AND ACCOUNTABLE  
RESPECTFUL TO ALL THAT WE ENCOUNTER.  
EFFECTIVE IN THE PERFORMANCE OF OUR DUTIES.  
ACCOUNTABLE FOR OUR ACTIONS.**

# Promotions

The department's largest promotional ceremony was held on October 10, 2022. We are proud of the 11 deputies that were promoted. These promotions were achieved not only with recognition of hard work, but also with equitable testing and comprehensive interviews. Congratulations to you all! The ceremony was well attended by families, friends, and employees.



**Quintin Hill**  
Promoted to Captain



**Chal-Micah Wilson**  
Promoted to Lieutenant



**Dustin Rutledge**  
Promoted to Lieutenant



**MeKeal Hadley**  
Promoted to Lieutenant



**Dorean Stallworth**  
Promoted to Sergeant



**Darren Siler**  
Promoted to Sergeant



**Michelle Barton**  
Promoted to Sergeant



**Luis Martinez**  
Promoted to Corporal



**Dominique Harris**  
Promoted to Corporal



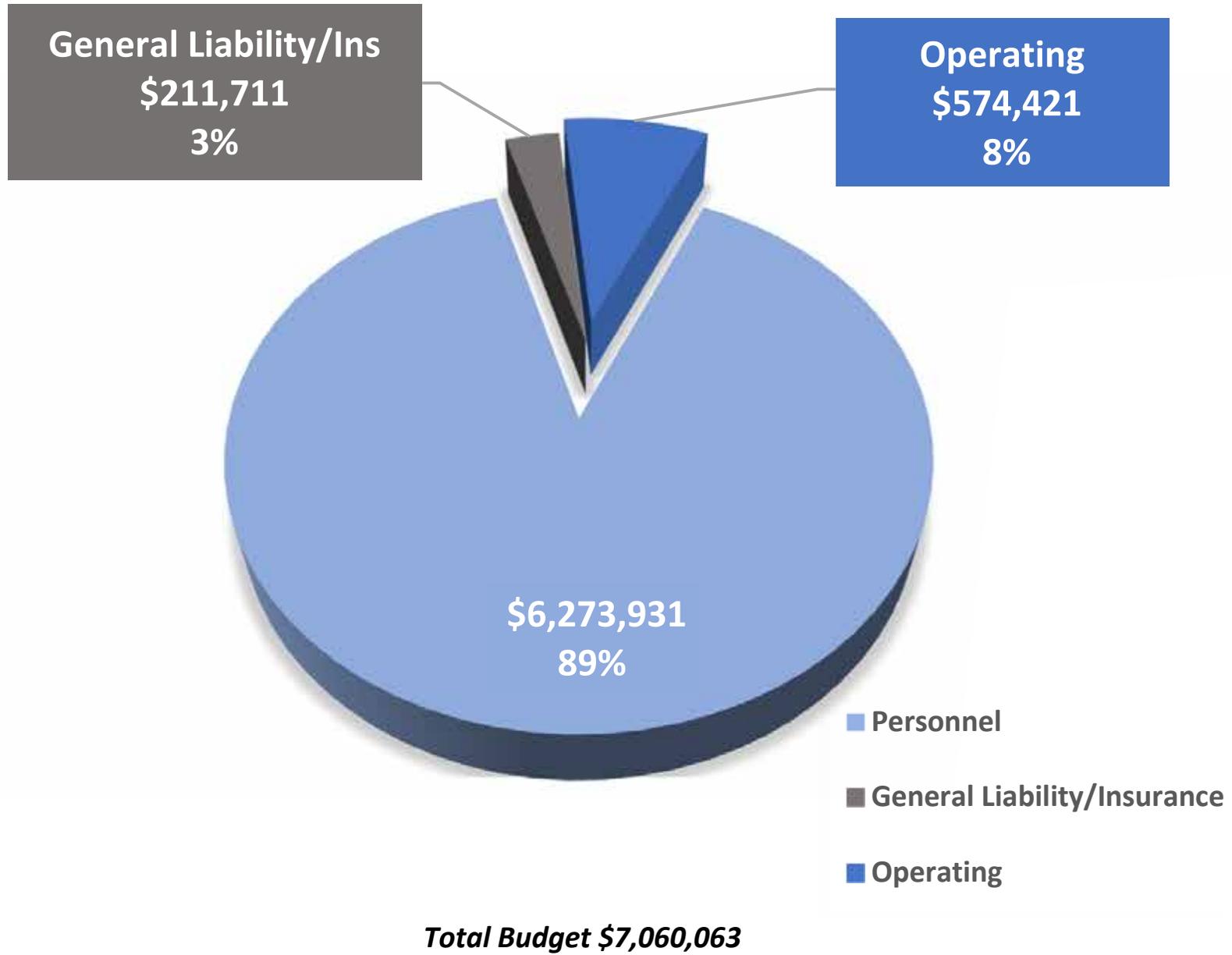
**Traquita Bolt**  
Promoted to Corporal



**Trumaine Boleware**  
Promoted to Corporal



## Marshal's Department Budget

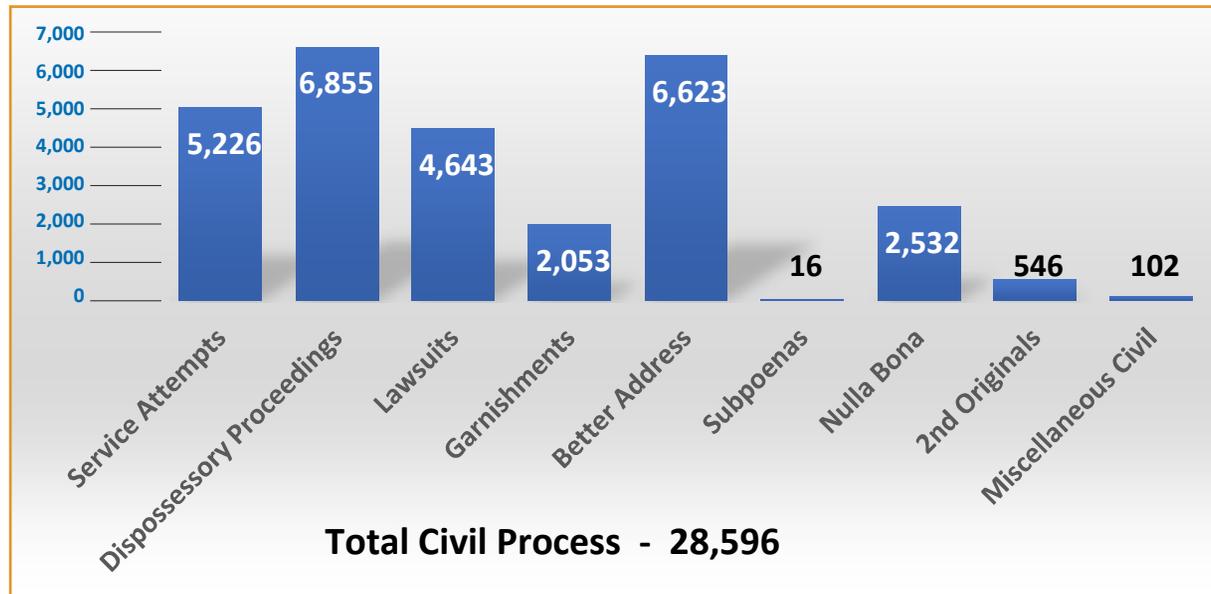


2022 Year In Review

# Performance Reports / Training

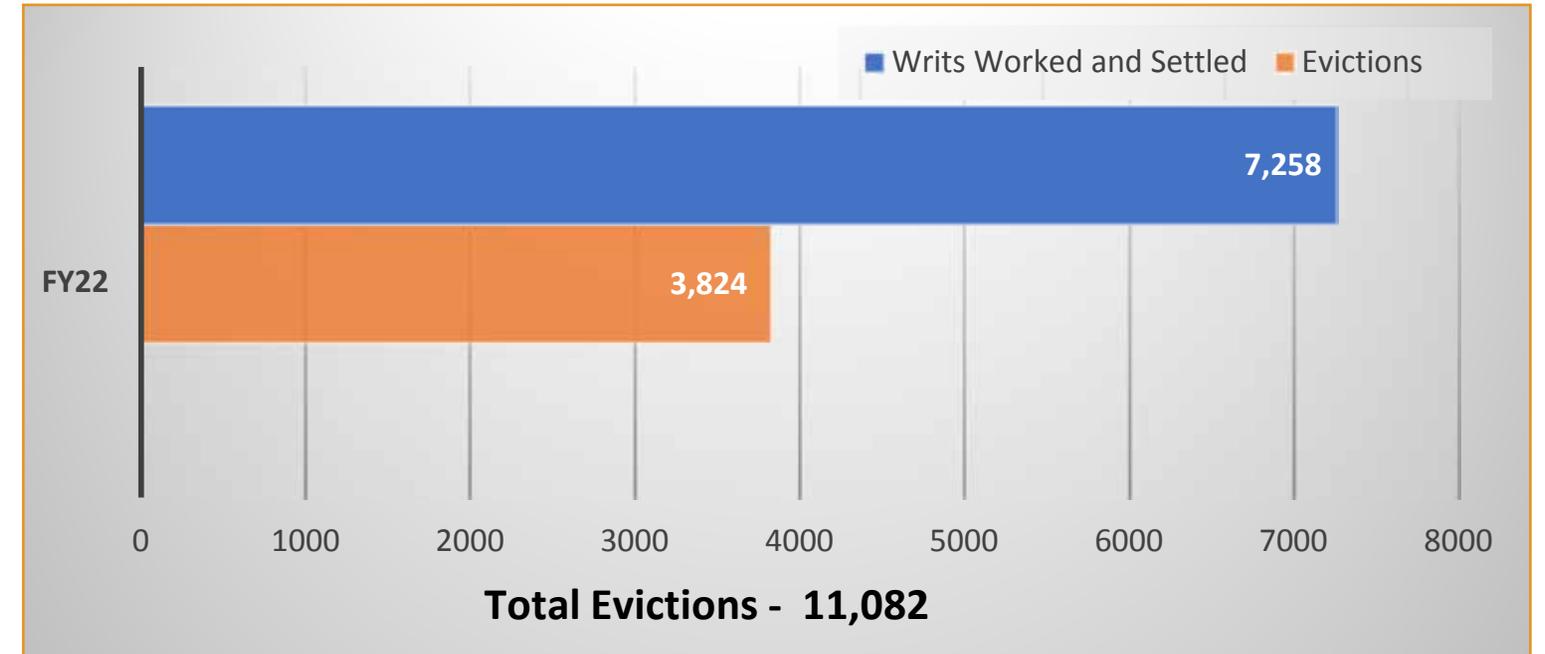
## Civil Division

The Civil Division is divided into three Units (Central, North, and South). Each unit is responsible for attempting service and/or execution of civil orders for State and Magistrate Courts. The North and South units are also responsible for courtroom security at the North and South Service Centers. In addition to service of civil process, deputies will also avail themselves for emergency situations i.e., 911 calls, and officer-initiated cases after witnessing a crime.



## Eviction Division

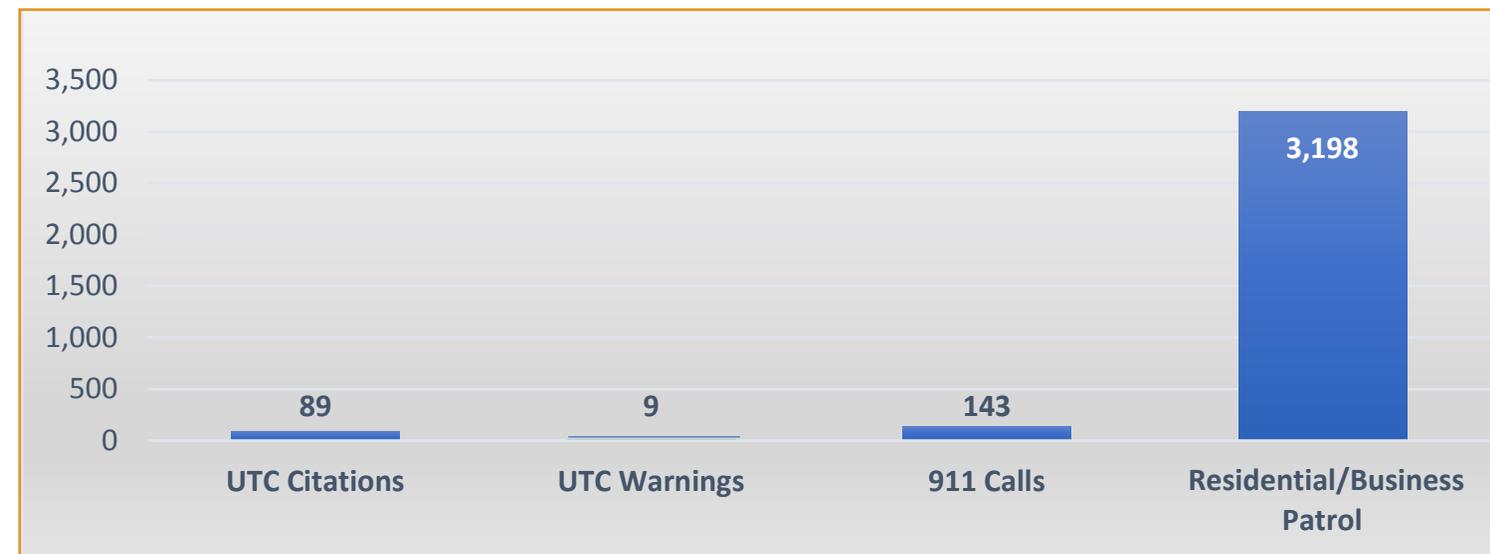
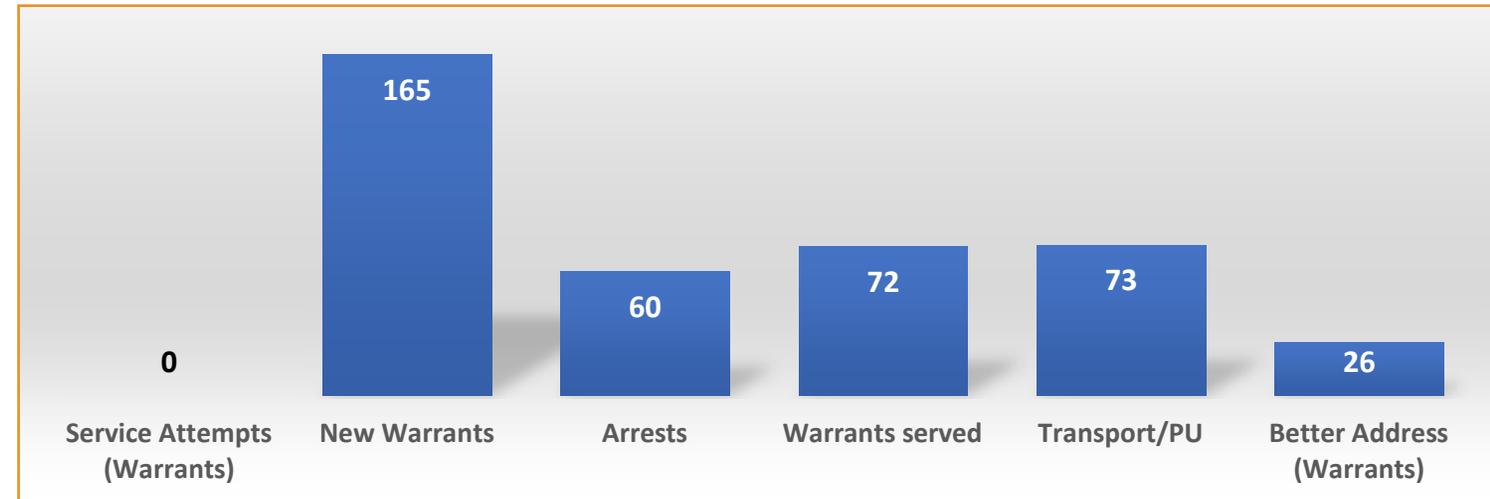
The Eviction Division is responsible for executing all court ordered writs of possession. The court order directs the Marshal to remove the defendant and defendant's personal property from the real property and give full and quiet possession to the plaintiff.





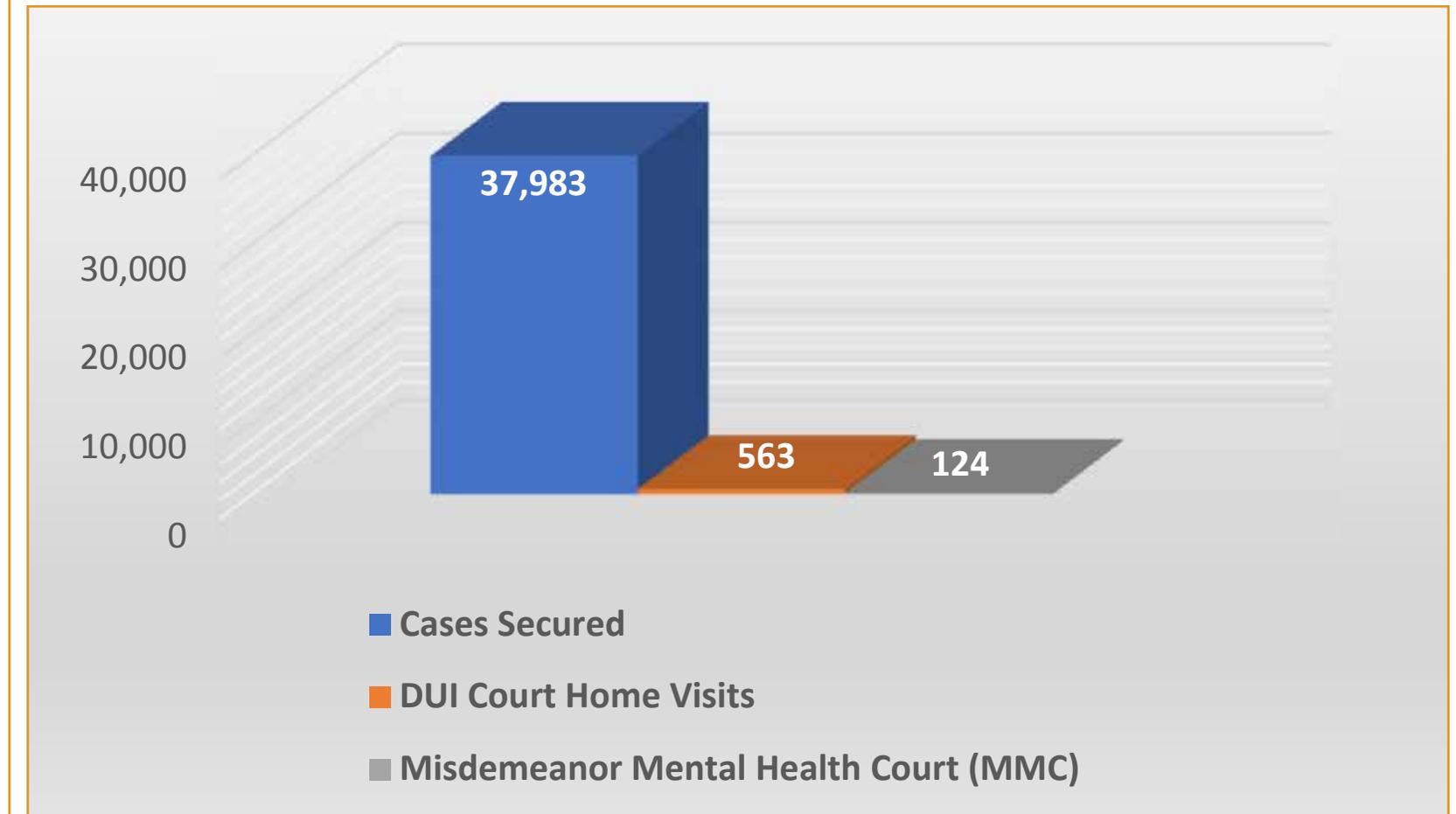
## Criminal Warrants & Patrol Enforcement

The Special Operation Division is responsible for executing Magistrate and State Court warrants. These warrants include probation violation, domestic violence, and civil arrest orders. This unit is also tasked with executing high-risk evictions and all transport from other agencies. Additionally, this unit issues traffic citations, answers call for service and conducts residential and business patrols.



## Court Services Division

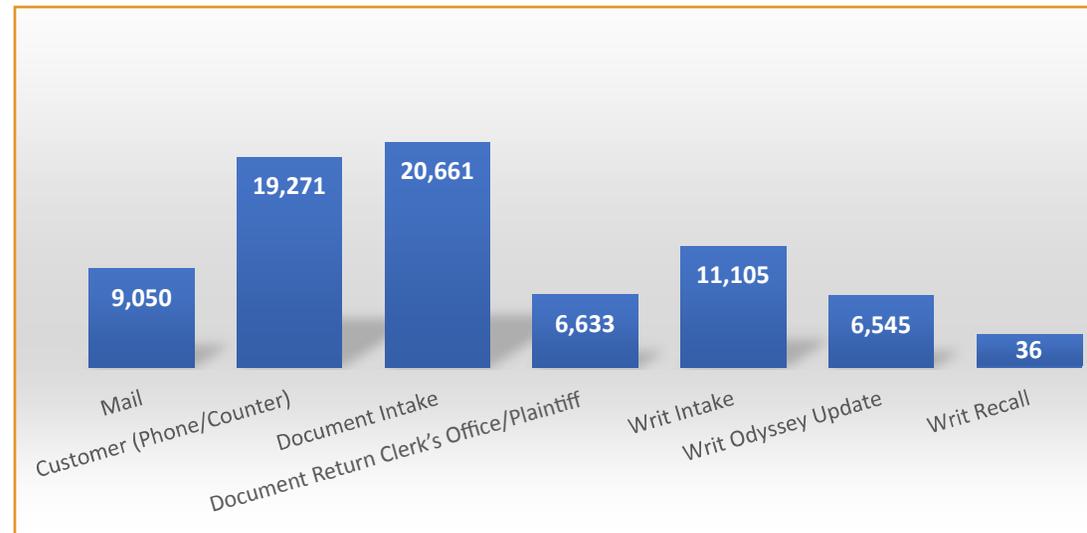
The Court Services Division is responsible for securing the courts when in session, maintaining order and safeguarding the processes of the courts. In addition, the Court Services Division has an integral role in the State Court's DUI program and the Magistrate Court's Misdemeanor Mental Health program. Deputies are assigned to work with the court's designated personnel as team members providing law enforcement interaction and oversight.





## Internal Services

The Internal Services Unit is responsible for providing services to internal and external customers. The unit is responsible for HR, Finance, Property & Evidence, Quartermaster and Civil Desk Customer Service. The Civil Desk Customer Service team receives and processes legal documents from the Magistrate and State Courts (Civil Process, Dispossessory, Eviction Writ, Probation and Magistrate Court Warrants, and FiFa). The unit also provides administrative assistance to the leadership team.



## Training Division

### Training Staff



Captain Shawn Johnson



Lieutenant Dustin Rutledge



Sergeant Mechelle Barton

Training is an integral part of maintaining the highest level of professionalism and knowledge within the Fulton County Marshal's Department, especially when deputies interact with the citizens and public safety counterparts in Fulton County. The training begins with cadets completing the Basic Mandate Course, which is 408 hours of training, and continues with annual in-service training. All sworn personnel are expected to participate in monthly firearms training to aid in using proper judgement and de-escalation techniques.

Departmental training is not limited to firearms, it also consists of dealing with persons experiencing a mental health crisis, community policing, bias-based policing, also known as racial profiling.

The Fulton County Marshal's Department takes a vested interest when the potential for advancement is noticed in so many of our deputies by making available training to become a P.O.S.T. Certified Training Instructor or attending any specialized training that is beneficial to the department.

GENERAL TRAINING		
Course/Subject	Employees	Hours of Training
Firearms	66	616
De-escalation	66	66
Use of Force	66	66
Community Policing	66	132
Defensive Tactics	53	172
Basic Mandate	4	1,632
SPECIALIZED TRAINING		
High Risk Warrants and Arrest Tactics	3	96
Crisis Intervention Team	7	280
ALERT Active Shooter 1	7	112
Instructor Training Course	1	80
Physical Fitness	48	96

# Training

Essential to our department is the career development of an employee and the department as a whole. One of the main focuses and goals of the department is to provide the highest level of professionalism and knowledge, which includes extensive training. We know how important it is, especially when deputies interact with citizens and other public safety counterparts in Fulton County.

## Graduates of BLE Class 22-01



Deputy Domonique Bowden



Deputy Aniya Mason



Deputy Dwight Smith



Deputy Justyn Wildy

## Wellness Training

Physical fitness is a major part of ensuring staff can perform the duties of the department. Each year employees of the department participate in a physical fitness assessment.



## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT 2nd Annual Homeless Initiative

The Marshal's 2nd annual "Loving up, Not Locking Up" homeless initiative focused on providing essential personal items and essential winter items (blankets, hats, gloves, and socks) to homeless citizens in the Downtown Atlanta area. The Department distributed over two-hundred bags to needy individuals.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

# Partnering with Atlanta Public Schools and APS Police Department for Books and Badges

We gladly supported their educational program to build trust and positive relationships between students and first responders. One of the schools we visited was M. Agnes Jones Elementary School. We spent time with the students reading books and answering their many questions.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

# 2nd Annual Backpack Giveaway

In partnership with Rare Breed Motorcycle Club and Metro Atlanta Cycling Club, we organized and sponsored our second annual back to school back-pack and school supplies giveaway. This community event was held at Fulton County South Service Center. We were able to meet the needs of more than 200 kids. This was a fun event with snacks, music, dancing, and a motorcycle exhibition.





## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT National Night Out

The Marshal's Department participated in the annual National Night Out on Tuesday, August 2, 2022. The law enforcement event aims to educate the community on safety awareness as well as provide fun activities for children and adults. The event is an opportunity for law enforcement and residents of the community to come together to strengthen their relationships.



# 2022 AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Each year we award and recognize our employees for their outstanding service to the department and the citizens of Fulton County.

### Awards Categories are:

- Community Service
- Deputy of the Year
- Civilian of the Year
- Marshal's Award

## Distinguished Service Award

20 Years of honorable service to the Marshal's Department



Evelle Forbes



Sergeant Naemah Stafford



Deputy Quentin Hill



Evelle Forbes

## Employees of the Year Award

### Marshal's Awards

## Making A Difference Award

100% Participation in Outreach Events



Deputy Duante Hollis

## Shining Star Award

Outstanding Performance and Productivity



Corporal Dominique Harris

## New Hires – Focused On Our Mission



Lieutenant Daphine Chappel



Deputy Levertus Shurley



Deputy Francine Stevens



Deputy Michael Granberry



Deputy Joseph White



Deputy Linda Holmes



Deputy Luv Dean



Deputy William Allen



Deputy Aleisha Coleman



Deputy Albert Yarbrough



Deputy Nate Ervin



Flora Eatman



Veronica Porter



Christopher Miller



Melissa Lee



Adrianna Smith



Santrece McDaniel



Danny Jones

## Fulton County Government Certified Public Manager (CPM)

### Fulton County Marshal's Department Participants



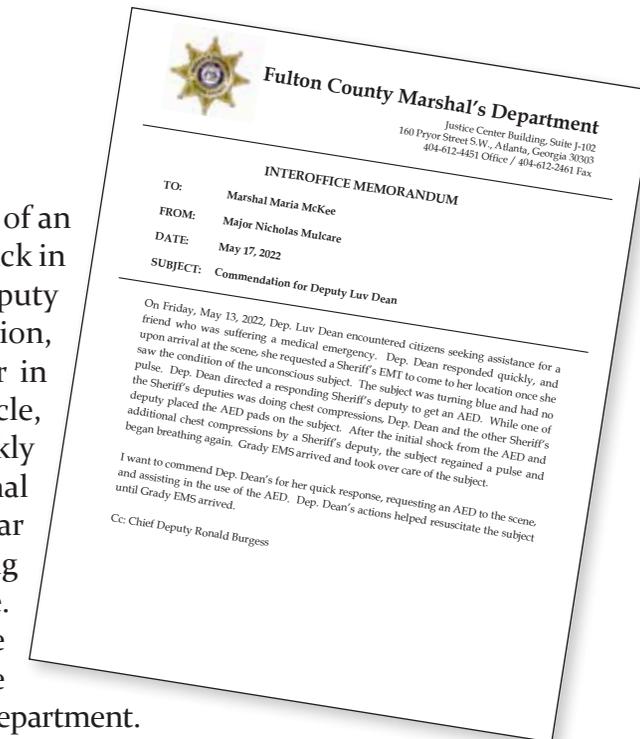
Lieutenant Chal-Micah Wilson and Sergeant Naeemah Stafford applied and were accepted to the University of Georgia's Certified Public Manager (CPM) program, which is offered to employees of Fulton County who have served as a manager for at least 3 years. It is designed to improve the quality and efficiency of government agencies by developing the effectiveness and professionalism of managers. This program is invaluable for developing and retaining government managers to better serve the community. Individuals who complete the 300-hour program will receive a Public Manager Certificate from the University of Georgia.

## 2022 Fourth Quarter F.O.C.U.S. Award Winner

On the morning of Friday, May 13, 2022, Deputy Dean was summoned to the aid of an individual (elderly man) who was face down in the street partly underneath a truck in



front of the Fulton County Courthouse. Deputy Marshal Dean quickly sprang into action, she directed two by-standers to assist her in getting the man from underneath the vehicle, she noticed he had turned blue and quickly called for help over the radio. Deputy Marshal Dean assisted by Deputy Sheriff Bakhtiar and Deputy Sheriff Gilbert started life saving measures until EMS arrived on the scene. The actions of Deputy Dean on that day were indicative of heroic. We are very proud to have Deputy Dean as a member of the Marshal's Department.



# FCMD TEAM IN ACTION!



## *Congratulations To Our Retirees!*



**Captain Haile Leaks**  
24 Years of Service



**Sergeant Gary Solomon**  
24 Years of Service

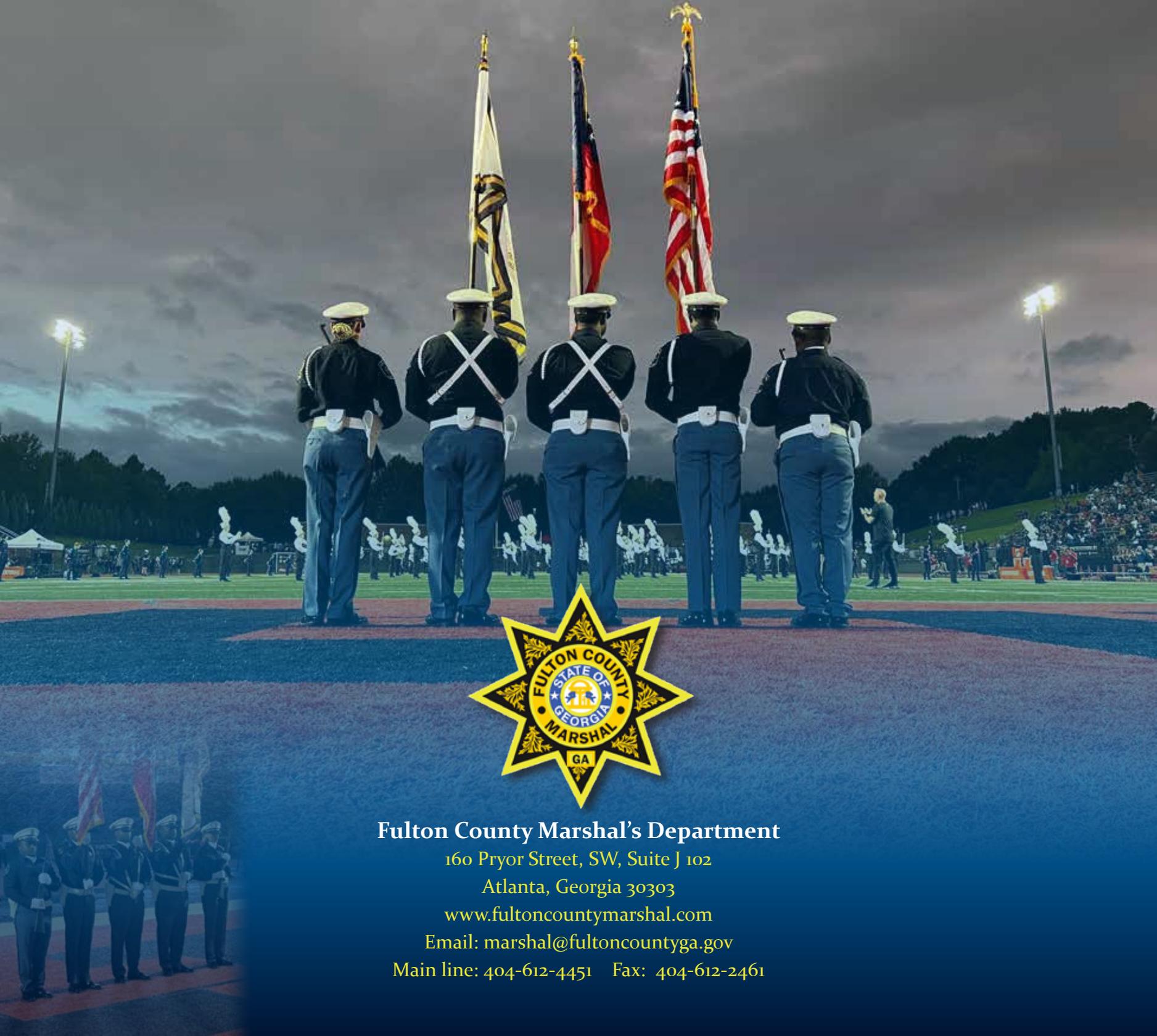


**Melissa Burke**  
19 Years of Service



**Lieutenant James Ham**  
25 Years of Service

*Thank you for your many years of service  
to the Department and the Citizens of Fulton County*



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