
Josephine (JO) County (CO) Justice System (JS) & Public Safety Services (PSS)

JO CO Justice System & Public Safety Services

The 2012 expiration of federal funding for services resulted in two JO CO proposed levies as a solution. Both levies failed. *“Is JO CO providing a minimally adequate level of public safety services?”*¹⁻²

MISSION, VISION, GOALS, BUDGET JO CO “Your Sheriff’s Office”

<http://jocosheriff.us/your-sheriffs-office>

Mission The mission of the JO CO Sheriff’s Office is to strive to provide superior public safety services in a professional, ethical, and fiscally responsible manner.

Vision The JO CO Sheriff’s Office is committed to “Excellence in Service” by demonstrating the highest ethical and moral standards. This office will be held accountable for our actions and will strive to work with and for our community to solve problems of mutual concern. The daily operation of the JO CO Sheriff’s Office will be based on the efficiency, economy and accountability to all citizens of Josephine County.

Mission, Vision, Goals, & Budget

Goals

- Promote public safety by providing basic services through partnerships between law enforcement and citizen involvement.
- Promote stable, sustainable funding through all resources available.
- Evolve into a full-service agency - with 24/7 Patrol staffing and the ability to operate a safe jail at full capacity.
- Ensure long-term stability through succession planning, training, and values-based leadership

1. Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society (HNA&HS). July 9, 2013. *Justice System Exploratory Committee*. Hugo, OR.

JO CO Sheriff’s Office

Budget The Sheriff’s Office budget is located on the JO CO *Your Sheriff’s Office* website. The Sheriff’s Office submits an annual budget as part of the Public Safety Fund, together with the District Attorney’s Office and Juvenile Justice Department. Oregon budgets for local government are based on the fiscal year, which runs from July 1 through June 30.

The following six official JO CO Sheriff’s Office budget documents are in a PDF format - you will need Adobe Acrobat Reader to view these files. They are available on the *Your Sheriff’s Office* website

- Fiscal Year 2013-14 Budget
- Fiscal Year 2012-13 Budget
- Fiscal Year 2011-12 Budget
- Fiscal Year 2010-11 Budget
- Fiscal Year 2009-10 Budget
- Fiscal Year 2008-09 Budget

Additional budget information may be found on the JO CO Budget Information web page.
<http://www.co.josephine.or.us/Page.asp?NavID=206>

Want more information? Contact a member of the *Exploratory Committee*.

2. HNA&HS. July 24, 2013. *Hugo Neighborhood Association & Historical Society’s Mission*. Hugo, OR.

3. HNA&HS. July 9, 2013. *All Voters & Votes Are Legitimate*. Hugo, OR.

4. HNA&HS. July 24, 2013. *Government Needs Support*. Hugo, OR.

5. Transcribed by the Hugo Justice System (HJS) Exploratory Committee, HNA&HS Downloaded August 26, 2013. *Josephine County Sheriff’s Office*. <http://jocosheriff.us/component/content/>. Hugo, OR.

Exploratory Committee's Mission

Mission An independent Justice System and Public Safety Services Exploratory Committee (*Exploratory Committee*) to investigate the JO CO Justice System & Public Safety Services (JS&PSS) issue was formed under the leadership of the Hugo Neighborhood Association and Historical Society (HNA&HS).

Big picture ideas for the exploratory effort include the following.

1. Identifying the JS&PSS issue.
2. Identifying the JS&PSS sub-issues for research and analysis.
3. Identifying a range in level of services
4. Identifying a range of costs for services.
5. Identifying revenues for services.

The ultimate goal is an adequate justice system and public safety services. Is it possible to have a higher level of service for a lower cost? The purpose of the *Exploratory Committee* is to gather information adequate enough to understand the JS&PSS issues. This includes educational outreach efforts.

The *Exploratory Committee's* purpose is limited to investigating and researching the JS&PSS issues. It will not make evaluations of right or wrong, nor make recommendations on how to vote.

The contents of this brochure are expressions of the opinions and beliefs of those that contribute based on their thoughts and experiences. Hopefully, their efforts will assist the public toward informed decision-making.

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