THE ARIZONA ASSOCIATION FOR PROPERTY AND EVIDENCE

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JUNE 2007

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT LANE DARLING

Well, I just got back from the training seminar held in Flagstaff on June 14th and 15th and what a fantastic seminar it was! We had three great speakers from the Phoenix Police Department who spoke about hazardous materials, DNA and stress management. We also had a round table discussion session where we discussed topics that were of interest to attendees. If you missed this seminar then you missed a great training opportunity.

Earlier this year I sent out a questionnaire to approximately twenty-five law enforcement agencies asking for information regarding their staffing levels, inventory levels and workload. I compiled the results and made them available at the round table discussion session at the training seminar. I have also included them with this newsletter for your review. If you were not included in the original list of agencies then please send me information about your agency and I will add your information to the list and make it available at the next quarterly meeting. If I included some incorrect information for your agency please e-mail me at lane.darling@cityofmesa.org with the correct information.

Elections for association officers were conducted at the quarterly meeting held in March at the Veteran's Hospital in Phoenix. The results of the election are as follows:
President – Lane Darling, Mesa Police Dept.
1st Vice President – Nancy McKay-Hills, Tucson Police Department

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2nd Vice President – Mary Alinen, Sierra Vista Police Department
Treasurer – Sandie Imberi, Phoenix Police Department
Secretary – Debbie Lopez, Pinal County Sheriff's Office
Sergeant at Arms – Mary Lewis, Department of Public Safety-Lake Havasu

I want to congratulate the new association officers and I look forward to working with you these next two years. I enjoyed holding the position of President of this fantastic organization for the last two years and I look forward to another productive two years in this position. Congratulations and thanks everyone for your dedication and hard work.

SUMMER GREATINGS

A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing, and the lawn mower is broken.

- James Dent

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MOVING A PROPERTY & EVIDENCE SECTION
By Bill Brantley

The Tucson Police Department Property & Evidence Section's new evidence facility is still a work in progress. Unfortunately with any capital project, there seem to be delays. Our project has been no different. Once the site was found, the purchase of the land and building was long and drawn out. The next extensive delay was in acquiring the required building permits. Our original move in date of April 2007 came and went before the building permits were even completed. Construction finally began two months ago with an estimated move in date of the end of the year. Again, new delays have adjusted the timeline. Renovation of the existing structure will require a new floor (the existing concrete floor was too thin to support the weight of our storage units), and a new roof. A few weeks ago, another problem arose. The existing sewage lines collapsed. The upside of the delays is that the building will have a new floor, roof, and sewer lines, which originally were not planned. The new move in date is estimated to be in March 2008. The construction is out of our hands, so we must now prepare for the move.

As with any move whether large or small, you need to purge as much as possible prior to the event. Unfortunately, most of our disposal is conducted on overtime while we fill unanticipated vacancies. A hiring process was started at the beginning of March to fill two vacancies with the intention of having all new employees hired and out of the 14-week training phase prior to the move. The new positions were advertised, and an

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unprecedented 278 people applied. The list was pared down to 47 people who were invited to oral board interviews. The City of Tucson Human Resources department compiled the scoring from the oral boards and prior experience. They gave us a civil service list to begin the long process of background investigations. The first people off of the list should be starting sometime in August or September. This will still give us plenty of time to complete their training before the move. Once the new bodies are "on board", we can seriously "ramp up" our destruction process. We currently have a 13-year backlog, so there are no delusions on how much we can get out the door. Any dent, no matter how small will assist us when we move by not having to move the item to new storage.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are looking for someone to fill the vacant Marketing Director position on the Public Relations Committee. The responsibility of the position is to increase the awareness, advertising, and membership of the organization.

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I once heard someone say "Young people think outside of the box because they don't know the box is there." upon hearing this I smiled and thought *that's because it isn't there, the only thing holding us back is ourselves. The box is a figment of our imagination.*

- Kenyon Brantley (Age 11)

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

The next four legislative meetings have been scheduled to keep the process moving and give everyone time to try to attend. They are from 9am-Noon on:

July 18
August 22
Sept 19
October 17

Each meeting will be held at the Eloy library. This is the forum to work on changing laws governing the preservation and disposal of property and evidence. Current topics of interest are vehicle impound lots and raising the dollar amounts for auction items. The committee welcomes everyone's ideas and help. If you have a problem, odds are that every agency has the same problem. By having a strong legislative committee, we can work towards making important changes in the existing state laws or make new ones.

ADVERTISING RATES FOR THE LOCK AND KEY

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$40.00 once or $150.00 annually

Call any AAPE board member to reserve your advertisement in the next edition of the newsletter.

The deadline is the 1st day of January, April, July, and October.

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SAFETY FIRST

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

I am always looking for information for both the website and newsletter. Please send stories, photos, and anything else you think would be of interest to the membership to Bill Brantley, Tucson Police Department, Property & Evidence Section, 270 S. Stone Ave., Tucson, AZ 85701.

The AAPE is always looking for volunteers to work on the different committees created to support the goals of the association. Whether you have a small amount of free time or you are one of the lucky people with plenty of extra time on hand, we have assignments for you. The following committees can use you:

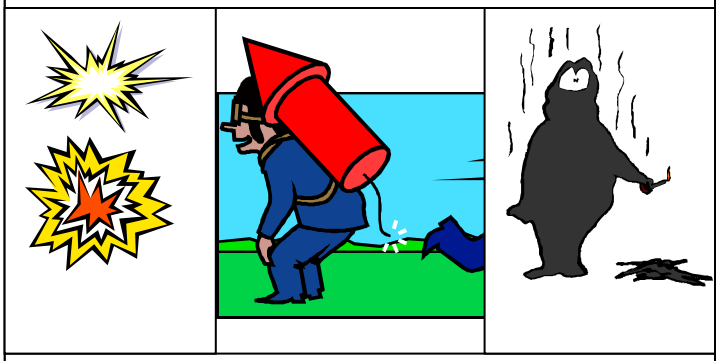
Task Force
Public Relations
- **Newsletter**
- **Web monitor**
- **Marketing**

Good and Welfare
Training
Legislature

Contact any committee chairman to see how you can help. Every minute of donated help is valuable to us.

URBAN LEGENDS

An Arizona myth, which has circulated on the Internet and shown up as a “Darwin Awards” nominee is the rocket man. The myth has taken many forms, but the general story goes as follows. State Troopers from the Arizona Department of Public Safety respond to several motorists reporting scorched and blackened scars on a stretch of highway. At the end of a slight bend in the road, which also had a slight rise, the responding officers found a blackened crater in a cliff face. The “investigation” revealed that an individual attached a solid rocket fuel unit to the side of his 1967 Chevy Impala. He supposedly reached speeds in excess of 350 mph in five seconds. The marks on the highway were from the melted tires. Upon hitting the slight incline where the road turned, the vehicle went airborne reaching an altitude of 125 feet and still climbing when the flight abruptly ended into the cliff face. The myth has become so popular and DPS has received so many inquiries that the Public Information Officer for DPS had it added to the DPS website under news releases. Obviously, the creator of this myth watched far too many roadrunner and coyote cartoons.



"There's never enough time to do all the nothing you want."
— Calvin from *Calvin and Hobbes*

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TRAINING BYTE

Empty Compressed Gas Containers

Did you know empty containers are not really empty. They still contain gas at atmospheric pressure. In absolute terms, the cylinder still contains approximately 15 psia (pounds per square inch absolute). Depending on cylinder size, this can be a substantial quantity of toxic or flammable substance.

A check should be carried out to ensure that:

- the container valve is closed and not leaking
- the container valve outlet plug or cap nut, when supplied, has been securely refitted. This is particularly important if the contents of the container are toxic
- the container valve protection device is properly fitted

Compressed Gas Container Storage

Storage area should be:

- away from sources of heat and ignition
- clearly marked as a gas storage area with appropriate hazard warning signs such as flammable, oxidizer, etc.
- kept clear with restricted access
- provided with appropriate safety and emergency equipment, including a fire extinguisher, adequate ventilation, etc. Check the local fire code for compliance requirements

Compressed gas containers in storage should be:

- capped
- stood upright
- properly secured
- checked periodically for general condition

Note: The Tucson Police Department requires all gas canisters larger than 1-gallon to be drained by members of the Tucson Fire Department's Hazardous Materials Team before accepting the item for storage. Contact your local fire department for assistance.

AZAPE QUARTERLY MEETINGS

Mary Lewis of the DPS Crime Lab-Lake Havasu City is hosting the next AAPE Meeting. It will be held on Wednesday, September 12th in Lake Havasu City, Arizona. Refreshments are at 9am with the meeting starting at 10am.

The Gilbert Police Department will be host for the final AAPE Meeting of the year. It will be held on Wednesday, December 12th in Gilbert, Arizona. Refreshments are at 9am with the meeting starting at 10am.

The Tempe Police Department will host the spring AAPE Meeting on Wednesday, March 12th.

Further details for all meetings including the training topic will be posted on the website and in future issues of the newsletter, as more information becomes available. Remember, at each meeting a "free" registration to next year's training seminar is drawn from all members in attendance.

JUST THE STATS

AAPE President Lane Darling has compiled comparison statistics with the assistance of twenty-two of the law enforcement agencies in the state. The comparison covers areas such as agency size, number of Property & Evidence personnel, facility size, salary, items received, items released, customer service hours, inventory levels, and other information of interest to those working in the field of Property & Evidence. The report is at the end of the newsletter. If you were unable to send your agencies information on time, it isn't too late. Send your statistics to Lane for inclusion in updated reports.

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Meeting Minutes by Deborah Lopez of the Pinal County Sheriff's Office

6/15/07 Held at "Little America" in Flagstaff, Arizona

13:15 Lane called the meeting to order and asked Mary Lewis our Sgt. Of Arms to lead us in the "Pledge of Allegiance", after which Lane asked for a moment of silence for our departed members.
13:16 Lane welcomed the members and read the old and new business from the meeting minutes of 3-14-07 which were approved with a motion from Jessie Joy with Eloy PD, and 2nded by Linda Conley with Quartzsite P.D.
13:25 Old Business –

- Lane named the newly elected board members which will be posted on the website.
- Lane read the By-law draft changes prepared by 1st Vice President Nancy McKay – Hills. The by-law revisions were approved with a motion from Jessie Joy with Eloy PD, 2nded by Gary Vance with Coolidge P.D. Nancy advised the updates will be posted on the website.
- Lane advised Tempe will need to back off hosting the September meeting as they are moving, but they can host the March meeting. Mary Lewis with DPS Lab Lake Havasu stepped up to host the September meeting and Gilbert confirmed hosting the December meeting. Sandie with Phoenix P.D. advised they could host in the event of any cancellation.
- Lane advised that our corporate members are not getting free advertisement, only a free table at the seminar. Corporate membership fees and advertising will be reviewed and discussed and will have a recommendation which will be presented to the members at the September meeting.
- Todd Renier volunteered and was appointed to the Web Master position by the Executive Board.

13:45 New Business –

- Training Seminar for next year. The members present were polled and the southern agencies had no problems coming north for another seminar. Lane advised everyone complete their questionnaire for the location for next year and the majority will determine where the seminar will be held next year.
- Association Shirts – Lane advised the members interested in purchasing an association shirt, to place your request and size on the evaluation form.

13:48 Good and Welfare – Carlene Kron was not in attendance from Oro Valley.

13:48 Training Committee – Sandie hoped everyone was enjoying themselves and having a good time. Sandie thanked everyone for donating stuffers and door prizes; Vivian Stinson with Winslow P.D., Mary Lewis from Lake Havasu, Mary Alinen with Sierra Vista P.D., her own department Phoenix P.D. and Deborah Lopez with Pinal County Sheriff's Office.

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13:49 Response Team – Linda Conley with Quartzsite P.D. advised she had not had any requests. Lane advised the members if they were interested in being on the team to complete the form in the seminar packet.
13:50 Public Relations Committee – Lane advised Bill Brantley with Tucson P.D. was not in attendance. Nancy advised to send in your digital photos for the next newsletter or for the website.
13:51 Legislative Committee – Nancy advised the committee is trying to schedule some meetings which will be noted in the website
13:51 Treasurer Report – Sandie Imberi reported: Balance on 3-14-07 was $15.929.50

Expenses:

Website	$150.00
Inglis Flowers	$ 58.35
Seminar Supplies	$108.58
Seminar Refund	$200.00
Total	$516.93

Income:

Seminar registration	$2,575.00
Dues 2007/2008	$425.00
Bank Interest	$ 30.01
Total	$3,030.01

Leaving an ending balance on June 15, 2007 of $18,442.58

13:55 Good of the Order – Phoenix advised they have weapons that they can convert to other agencies, they just need a letter. They continue to pass out gun locks and are now passing out bicycle helmets to the public. Web plan bulletin board for discussion and to post questions. Emails are not always noted on the applications, so Lane advised to send your email to him. Mary Alinen 2nd Vice President with Sierra Vista P.D. advised she will have a list, at the September meeting, of members with extra copies which will have the name, agency, email addresses, and phone number of all of our members. Lane advised C.J. Blackwell will be moving back here in Aug. from Colorado who used to work in our field who is interested in applying for a position. Lane advised, in our website, there will be an area that will have job postings for all openings.
14:05 Lane advised, having nothing further on the agenda, asked for a motion to adjourn. Jessie Joy made a motion to adjourn, Linda Conley 2nded the motion. Lane advised the meeting is adjourned.

All newly installed board members were present; Mesa P.D. Lane Darling - President, Tucson P.D. Nancy McKay-Hills - 1st Vice President, Sierra Vista P.D. Mary Alinen - 2nd Vice President, Pinal County Sheriff's Office Deborah Lopez - Secretary and DPS Crime Lab Lake Havasu City Mary Lewis - Sgt. Of Arms.

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COMMITTEES

TRAINING COMMITTEE:

Chairman: Sandie Imberi, Phoenix Police

Members: Mary Alinen, Sierra Vista Police

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE:

Chairman: Bill Brantley, Tucson Police

Members: Nancy McKay-Hills, Tucson Police
Brent Johnson, University of Arizona Police Department

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RESPONSE TEAM COMMITTEE:

Chairman: Linda Conley, Quartzsite Police

Members: Lane Darling, Mesa Police

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:

Chairman: Nancy McKay-Hills Tucson Police

Members: Lane Darling,Mesa Police
Deborah Lopez, Pinal Sheriffs
Silverio Ontiveros, Phoenix Police
Jesse Joy, Eloy Police Department

PROPERTY / EVIDENCE STAFFING / WORKLOAD COMPARISON CHART

4-2007

	AGENCY	# SWORN	# EVID TECHS	TOTAL EVID STAFF	FACILITY SIZE	OFF-SITE SUBMISSION SITES	# ITEMS RECEIVED	# ITEMS DISPOSED	WORK HOURS
1	Avondale	78	2	2	2,500	1	10,476	3,069	7am-4pm M & F, 8am-5pm T, W, Th
2	Chandler	330	3	5	24,000	2	28,113	24,968	7am-5pm M-F internal, 8am-4:30pm M-F public
3	Coconino/ Flagstaff	107	3	3	3,000	1	17,998	17,735	9am-6pm M-F, 7am-3pm S,S
4	Eloy	37	1	1	540	0	?	?	8am-4:30pm, T-F
5	Florence	21	1	1	744	N/A	965	517	8am-4pm, M-F
6	Gilbert	200	5	7	50,000*	1	19,066	7,873	6am-4:30pm M-F internal, 8am-4pm M-F public
7	Glendale	382	4	5	5,000	2	33,200	22,478	8am-4pm M, W- F internal, 10am – 4pm M, W-F public. Closed Tues.
8	Goodyear	80	1	2	486	0	2,000	600	8am-3pm M-F
9	Mesa	850	7	12	18,000	6	57,708	30,616	6:30am-5pm M-F internal, 8:30am-4:30pm T-F public
10	Navajo County	45	1	1	1,100	4	2,500	500	?
11	Oro Valley	91	3	3	2,400	1	7,000	750	8am-5pm M-F
12	Paradise Valley	36	2	2	400	0	1,200	450	6am-5pm M-F internal, 7am-4pm M-F public
13	Peoria	165	3	6	4,600	1	12,000	800	6:30am-1:30am, M & F, 6:30am-5pm, T, W, Th, 3pm-1:30am, S & S
14	Phoenix	3,000	20	34@	55,000	22	276,000	200,000	6am-5pm M-F internal, 8am-4:30pm M,T,TH,F & 8am-12pm W public
15	San Luis	37	1	1	625	1	399	300	8am-4pm M-F
16	Scottsdale	426	4.5	7.5	20,000	4	37,000	21,000	7am-5pm, M-F internal, 8am-4pm M-F public
17	Surprise	140	1	1	7,900	1	8,245	691	8am-5pm M-F by appointment only

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18	Tempe	330	5/10****	12	55,000***	2	50,594	25,588	6am-4pm M-F internal,12pm-4pm M, 7am-4pm T-F public
19	Tolleson	25	1	1	120	0	1,816	43	8am-5pm M-F
20	Tucson	1,000	19	21	16,000 **	7	79,100	71,365	6am-6pm M-F internal, 11am – 5pm M-F public
21	Yuma County	70	2	3	1,100	3	6,713	1,268	6:30am-5pm M-F internal and public
22	Yuma PD	?	3	4	4,100	0	?	?	8am-5pm M-F Internal, 9am-4pm T,Th, F public

* Just moved into new facility.
** New 40,000 square foot facility under construction.
*** New 55,000 square foot facility under construction.
**** Tempe has 5 full time and 5 part time Property Techs
@ 2 Sergeants, 10 Detectives, 2 civilian supervisors.

INVENTORY LEVEL

	AGENCY	GUN INVENTORY LEVEL	DRUG INVENTORY LEVEL	VEHICLE INVENTORY LEVEL	REFRIGERATOR INVENTORY LEVEL	FREEZER INVENTORY LEVEL	BULKY INVENTORY LEVEL	MOBILE STORAGE CONTAINERS
1	Avondale	95%	105%	?	80%	90%	90%	0
2	Chandler	98%	95%	100%	80%	95%	?	?
3	Coconino/Flagstaff	60%	60%	75%	75%	90%	90%	6
4	Eloy	20%	?	?	?	?	?	3
5	Florence	10%	20%	0	5%	10%	15%	0
6	Gilbert @	98%	95%	105%	98%	95%	10%	0
7	Glendale	90%	90%	95%	90%	90%	90%	2
8	Goodyear	100%	?	?	90%	90%	?	?
9	Mesa	81%	96%	90%	81%	100%	100%	5
10	Navajo County	30%	76%	65%	?	100%	?	?
11	Oro Valley	#	#	#	#	#	#	5
12	Paradise Valley	4%	10%	33%	5%	5%	40%	0
13	Peoria	50%	75%	?	25%	66%	?	0
14	Phoenix	100%	80%	100%	?	80%	90	?
15	San Luis	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	1
16	Scottsdale	100%	100%	60%	100%	80%	90%	14
17	Surprise	95%	100%	75%	80%	15%	25%	0
18	Tempe	65%	80%	?	85%	90%	90%	1
19	Tolleson	85%	85%	?	85%	85%	85%	1
20	Tucson	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	27
21	Yuma SO	65%	70%	80%	50%	50%	30%	1
22	Yuma PD	85%	90%	45%	50%	95%	80%	1

@ Gilbert recently moved into a new 50,000 square foot facility and these figures are for the previous facility at the time of the move.

Items are being inventoried and moved to 5 mobile mini containers and new property room.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

	Avondale	Chandler	Coconino/Flagstaff	Eloy	Florence
Bar code system?	Yes	Have system but don't use it	Yes	Yes, but not using	Yes
Name of system	Spillman	Que-Tel-TRAQ	Intergraph Public Safety-I/LEADS	Cicso	Inventory Trackers
Audits?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
How often?	Monthly	Monthly	Annually	N/A	Once a year
How many items?	At least three cases involving guns, money, drugs	50	5+	N/A	+/- 7,000
Full Inventory?	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
UTL?	No	No	Yes/?	Yes/Unknown #	No
Destroy/trade/auction firearms?	Destroy	Destroy	Destroy	Destroy/auction	Trade
Store currency or deposit?	Stored	Store	Store	Store	Deposit
Destroy drugs?	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn	Not destroying	Burn in Desert
Destroy bikes?	Donate all bikes	Return to finders/donate	Auction	Donate to Prison	Donate to Prison
Convert evidence?	Yes/Yes	Yes/Yes	Yes/Yes	Yes/No form	Yes/No form required
Pay range?	Evidence Tech= $34,547 max. Det. Sgt Supervisor = $59,803-$86,618	Evidence Tech= $34,736 - $46,862, Supervisor= $44,075 - $61,714	Evidence Techs= $32,469-$44,845	Evidence Tech/CSI= $39,029-$51,057	Evidence Tech= $27,666-$44,265

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION, cont.

	Gilbert	Glendale	Goodyear	Mesa	Navajo County S.O
Bar code system?	Yes	Yes	Yes, but not using	Yes	Yes
Name of system	Intergraph Public Safety-I/LEADS	In RFP process	?	Intergraph Public Safety (IPS) and Que-Tel TRAQ	Spillman
Audits?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No
How often?	2+ times annually	Quarterly	N/A	Monthly	N/A
How many items?	100	100+/-	N/A	800-1,000	N/A
Full Inventory?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes, 2004	In progress
UTL?	Yes/?	Yes	No	Yes	No
Destroy/trade/auction firearms?	Destroy	Destroy/convert	Destroy	Dealer auction/convert /destroy	Trade
Store currency or deposit?	Store	Deposit	Store	Store	
Destroy drugs?	Incinerate at PD mine	Burn	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	DPS disposes of them
Destroy bikes?	RTO/Auction	Auction	Auction or donate	Auction/Donate /Destroy	Donate
Convert evidence?	Yes/No form required	Yes/form required	Yes/Yes	Yes, requires form	Yes, requires court order
Pay range?	Evidence Techs= $30,687-$42,962, Supervisor= $42,296 - $59,214	Property Custodian= $28,150-$45,040 Property Supervisor= $39,610-$63,375	Evidence Tech= $37,440	Evidence Tech= $33,051-$44,741 Senior Tech= $36,670-$49,379 Supervisor= $51,958-$70,138	Evidence Tech= $31,110-$46,457 Supervisor (Sgt.)= $38,679-$58,019

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION, cont.

	Oro Valley	Paradise Valley	Peoria	Phoenix	San Luis
Bar code system?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Tracking system but not using bar codes
Name of system	Spillman	New World Systems	HTE Crimes	Internal design	ITI
Audits?	No	No	Yes	Yes	No
How often?	N/A	N/A	Four + a year	Daily and monthly	N/A
How many items?	N/A	N/A	+/- 100	1,000	N/A
Full Inventory?	In progress	No	Yes	Yes-1995	No
UTL?	?	No		Yes/89	Yes
Destroy/trade/auction firearms?	Destroy/Donate /Convert	Destroy/convert to dept. use	Destroy	Holding all/NIBIN	Trade/destroy
Store currency or deposit?	Store	Store	Deposit	Store	Store
Destroy drugs?	Burn	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn in Desert
Destroy bikes?	Donate or auction	Throw away	Donate or auction	Auction all/parts	Donate
Convert evidence?	Yes, ?	Yes/Yes	Yes/Yes	Yes/memo signed by Asst. Chief	No
Pay range?	Evidence Techs= $33,086-$45,253 Supervisor= $50,934-$54,844	Sworn= $55,852-$81,097	Evidence Tech= $35,339-$45,219 Supervisor= $48,131-$61,859	Evidence Techs= $31,720-$46,218 Supervisor= $35,922-$53,602	Evidence Tech= $43,264

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION, cont.

	Scottsdale	Surprise	Tempe	Tolleson	Tucson
Bar code system?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Name of system	Intergraph Public Safety (IPS)	Spillman	Que-Tel-TRAQ	Spillman	Beast
Audits?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
How often?	4-6 times a year	Quarterly	Quarterly	N/A	4+
How many items?	25-50	10	20 cases	N/A	100+
Full Inventory?	No	No	Yes-2006	No	Yes
UTL?	Yes	No	?	Unknown	Yes
Destroy/trade/auction firearms?	Destroy/dept. use	Destroy	Destroy	Destroy/dept. use	Destroy
Store currency or deposit?	Store	Store	Store	Store	Store
Destroy drugs?	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn at mine	Burn/transfer to DEA
Destroy bikes?	Auction/donate	Auction/destroy one's in poor condition	?	Auction	Auction
Convert evidence?	Yes, requires form	Yes/memo from Sgt.	Yes-requires form	Yes/No form	Yes/requires form
Pay range?	Evidence Technician $32,344-$45,302 Manager $42,348-$59,363	Evidence Tech= $36,400 - $47,341	Evidence Tech= $34,438-$46,499 Supervisor= $46,326-$62,546	Evidence Tech= $45,760-$57,000	Evidence Tech= $34,093-$52,997 Evidence Supervisor= $35,888-$55,786 Evidence Management Assistant= $49,024-$82,359 Evidence Superintendent= $51,604-$86,694

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION, cont.

	Yuma County S.O.	**Yuma PD**			
Bar code system?	Yes	No			
Name of system	New World Systems-Aegis	N/A			
Audits?	Yes	?			
How often?	Monthly	?			
How many items?	100+	?			
Full Inventory?	Yes-2004	?			
UTL?	Yes	?			
Destroy/trade/auction firearms?	Destroy/trade	Auction			
Store currency or deposit?	Store	Store			
Destroy drugs?	Burn	Not destroying			
Destroy bikes?	Auction/donate	Auction			
Convert evidence?	Yes, requires form	Yes, requires form			
Pay range?	Evidence Clerk $20,769-$31,153 Evidence Custodian $29,594-$44,392 Evidence Manager $42,592-$63,888	Evidence Custodian $32,100 - $44,940			