



# SHERIFF'S OFFICE COUNTY OF VERNON

1320 BAD AXE COURT  
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**JOHN B. SPEARS, SHERIFF      NATHAN CAMPBELL, CHIEF DEPUTY SHERIFF**

## **SHERIFF JOHN SPEARS REPORTS THE FOLLOWING ONGOING ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR AND NARRATIVE EXCERPTS FROM THE WEEK ENDING March 20, 2017.**

3/14                      Gerald Wilson, Hillsboro, was traveling on County Road V, in the Town of Union and tried to go around a snowplow that was stopped in his lane of traffic. The snowplow began to back up and Wilson hit the blade. He suffered no apparent injury and his vehicle only sustained minor damage.

3/17                      Kay Bluske, Chaseburg, was traveling on US Highway 14, in the Town of Coon, when she slid on ice, and hit vehicles driven by Dawn Ford, Viroqua, and Michelle Theige, Westby, before hitting a guardrail. None of the drivers suffered apparent injuries, and no vehicles were towed.

3/20                      **10** reportable car / deer crashes  
Michael Altman, Viola, on County Road SS, Town of Webster;  
Michael Mueller, Viola, on County Road SS, Town of Liberty;  
Jessie Cunningham, Viola, on State Highway 82, Town of Webster;  
Matthew Connelly, SoldiersGrove, on State Highway82, Town of Wheatland;  
Alexander Kohnert, Coon Valley, on US Highway 14, Town of Hamburg;  
Karla Nelson, Westby, on Melby Road, Town of Viroqua;  
Alicia Johnson, La Farge, on State Highway 82, Town of Webster;  
Michael Mueller, Viola, on County Road SS, Town of Liberty;  
Todd Wallin, Ferryville, on State Highway 82, Town of Sterling;  
Kyle Strand, Viroqua, on State Highway 56, Town of Jefferson.

*****	This past week	Year to Date
Alarm Responses	4	82
Animal Related issues	13	177
Assisting Municipalities	29	397
Crimes Against People	14	156
Crimes Against Property	10	111
Domestic Crimes	1	27

Fire Responses	31	239
K-9 Calls	1	8
Medical Responses	32	452
Mental Health Cases	4	29
Missing Person Investigations	2	27
Safety Escorts	7	79
School Walk Through	3	52
Search and Rescues	0	0
Security Check	107	867
Serving Legal Documents	14	374
Suspicious Activity Investigations	18	170
Threat Investigation	1	11
Traffic Accidents	25	339
Traffic Related Investigations	83	929
Vehicle Lockouts	10	86
Weapons Investigation	1	4
Unclassified Calls for Assistance	47	534
<b>TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>5495</b>
ADMISSIONS INTO COUNTY JAIL	19	221

IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION ON AN ABOVE CRIME, OR ANY CRIME, CALL CRIME STOPPERS AT 637-8477 OR 1-800-657-6868.

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s/  
John B. Spears, Sheriff