

The Berrien County Sheriff's Office is very thankful for an extremely generous donation by the United States Deputy Sheriff's Association. Recently BCSO reached out to Mike Willis with the association about some items needed and within no time, Sheriff Ray Paulk states that his office received many useful items and some scheduled training free of charge. Sheriff Paulk states that these items will not only be used to save lives, but also keep his deputies safe. The USDSA sent 14 belt trauma kits, 14 first aid kits, and 14 reflective traffic safety vests to the Sheriff's Office that have been distributed and are currently being used in efforts to help the citizens of Berrien County. Also, Sheriff Paulk states that he is absolutely excited and appreciative for the United States Deputy Sheriff's Association for also putting on an Active Shooter Response/ Tactical Entry Training class on November 2 for BCSO. "We along with the Board of Education have put School Resource Officers in our Schools and this training is not only for not only them, but the whole Sheriff's Office, and will be greatly beneficial." Stated Paulk. With budgets being tight and on the cutting edge, the donation of these items and this free training is phenomenal for any agency, Paulk says.