DLA Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO)

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The State of Oklahoma
Armored Barricaded Suspect

On the 12th day of November 2015, the Payne County Sheriff’s Office was notified by Cushing Police Department at 20:19 hours of a subject with a shotgun at 302 E Greenlee, and they requested our assistance. The Sheriff’s Office sent our east side patrol Deputy to the scene. Once on scene the Deputy advised dispatch that there was a subject in the house with a shotgun. The subject had already assaulted another person with the shotgun by striking him with the gun and he was at the Cushing Emergency Room. The subject has barricaded himself and a female accomplice in the residence.

At approximately 2110 hours a request was made by Cushing PD for the Stillwater Multi-jurisdictional TAC Team. The TAC Team requested we respond our MRAP and Command Bus to the scene. We initially arrived at the Cushing Police Department. The Team Commander requested we respond to the scene and stage approx. a block away on Noble Ave. A short later the Team Commander advised us to escort a portion of the Team from our position to another position on the street in front of the residence just to the west. We traveled up Noble then east on Greenlee approx. 50 yards with the Team walking beside the MRAP using it for cover during the approach. We illuminated the front and west sides of the residence with lights from the MRAP.

Once we were in position the Team Commander asked us to give several announcements over the PA from the MRAP identifying ourselves and for the subjects to exit the residence through the front door. We gave three announcements with no response from the residence except for the curtains just to the west of the front door opening then quickly shutting. There was no cover in front of the residence, just one tree in the front yard and an open lot across the street. The Team used the MRAP for cover and equipment storage.

A short time later we were advised by the Team Commander that a search warrant had been granted for the residence. We gave announcements again by request of the Team Commander advising the subjects that we had a search warrant for the residence and to exit the residence immediately. There was still no response from the subjects. Gas was then introduced to the rear of the residence and a short time later the female subject exited the front door. We gave her commands over the MRAP PA and talked her away from the residence to the front of the MRAP where she was taken into custody. Gas was then introduced into each window of the residence via a 40mm and 37mm gas launcher. They gave time for the gas to take affect with still no response from the male subject. The Team next introduced GC into the attic via a soffit on the west side of the residence with no response.

The Team next deployed to the front door with the K9. The K9 was sent into the residence and did not locate anyone. The Team then performed a methodical search of the residence with further assistance from the K9. Once the ground level of the residence was secured one of the team members advised that it looks like someone has recently been in the attic. The subject was located in the attic, removed and secured. Once it was determined that there were no further subjects in the residence we were released from the scene and we returned the MRAP to its secure storage location.
Section I – MRAP
The State of Texas
18-Wheeler Chase & Standoff Near I-30 Ends Peacefully

Section I – MRAP
The State of Michigan
Law enforcement agencies jockey for military surplus

Section II – HMMWV
The State of Colorado – HMMWV’s in use

HMMWV in Alma, CO. Alma is the highest incorporated town in the U.S. and the police department there uses their 1033 HMMWV to patrol the town watershed. They could not access the watershed with a patrol car, but are able to patrol it regularly with the HMMWV. Alma PD also mounts a snow plow on the HMMWV to plow their parking lot.
Section III – Aircraft’s
The State of California

The State of California – Aviation program provides numerous services to rural counties

The Butte County Sheriff’s Office has maintained an active aviation program since 1983. This program is currently equipped with an OH-58A and OH-6A helicopters acquired through the 1033 program. A TH-67 helicopter was also recently acquired and is being outfitted for service. These helicopters are flown for a variety of purposes including Search and Rescue, marijuana eradication, surveillance and SWAT missions. These resources serve the Butte County area and any regional agencies that request support.

As of 12 October 2015, the Aviation Unit had flown 183 missions in the 2015 calendar year, not including training flights. This operational tempo would not be possible without the equipment and support of the 1033 program.

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Section III – Aircraft’s
The State of Arkansas
LRPD unveils new crime fighting tool

Section IV – Misc. Items

Rob,

Every year the Rumson Police Department provides a truck to the Touch a Truck fundraiser at the Fair Haven Fire Department in Fair Haven New Jersey. I drove the truck and stayed with vehicle for the duration of the event. 4212 is a water rescue truck obtained from LESO. The parents and the kids loved the truck, I explained where we obtained the truck from and how essential this program is to New Jersey Law Enforcement.

Below is the benefactor of the event:

The Kortney Rose Foundation (KRF) is a 501(c)(3) organization that was set up by Kortney’s mother as a way to help channel her grief into something positive. Her hopes are to make a difference, in Kortney’s name, in the fight to find better treatments and ultimately a cure for pediatric brain tumors. Our fundraising efforts will directly benefit the pediatric brain tumor research being done at The Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia.

Sgt. Peter M. Koenig

Rumson Police Department
Section IV – Misc. Items
Surplus radios are part of the city's disaster response plan

On 10-15-15, as part of the Los Angeles County wide Great Shakeout, the police department tested several radios obtained through the 1033 program. These radios, AN/PRC104(B)'s, included all the necessary equipment to transmit and receive. Three radios were tested and verified as being operational. A separate, long range antenna was also successfully tested. A base station was established in front of the police department. A second radio was used to establish communications with the base station from city hall, public works, parks and recreation HQ, Glen Oak School (eastern edge of the city), Las Palmas Middle School (western edge of the city) and Gladstone High School (north east edge of the city).

These radios will be used as a means of establishing critical communications within the city during an emergency when other traditional methods of communication are destroyed or otherwise unavailable. They will also provide an alternate method of communicating with the county and state emergency operations centers during an emergency. The ability to communicate with these levels of state and local government will be vital to our response in an emergency and help to ensure our community will receive necessary support during an emergency.

This is one more example of how the 1033 program repurposes surplus military equipment for our community's benefit.
November 04, 2013

TO: Edward Marr
Property Disposal Specialist
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FROM: Lt. Philip R. Halley
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RE: Fitness equipment obtained via 1033 Program

All concerned,

The Georgetown Police Department has participated in the 1033 Program for a few years now. We have been able to obtain some much-needed property by doing so. To say the least, this equipment that we would not have otherwise had money budgeted for, and thus would not have been able to obtain. This past year, the Georgetown Police Department was set to move into our brand new agency building. One of our goals was to outfit a fitness room in which officers could utilize to maintain the goal of staying fit for duty. Physical fitness is a core element in safely and effectively performing the job of a Law Enforcement Officer. I was tasked with trying to locate equipment via the 1033 program.

Our agency was awarded several pieces of fitness equipment from two of your sites. DLA Colorado Springs and DLA Norfolk both had equipment on record that we were fortunate to be able to obtain: Treadmills, spin bikes, and three brand new waist-to-box weight machines. Michele Clay at Colorado Springs and Tammie Hendley at Norfolk were wonderful to work with. They both went out of their way to facilitate our acquisition of the fitness equipment and cardio equipment we now have. While I don’t doubt they are a help to everyone, they actually seemed to care that we get the help we needed... whatever it was pictures, directions, suggestions for lodging, etc. I hope that LESO and DLA keep them around as long as they can.

In using DLA’s LESO 1033 program, our agency was able to save over $20,000.00 that it is unlikely we would have been able to allocate otherwise. It’s more than that, though. The fitness equipment will give our officers a cost-free means of staying physically fit right here at the agency. We greatly appreciate what the 1033 program does for Law Enforcement, and I have enjoyed working with its staff. Thank you all for what you do.

Respectfully submitted,

Lt. Philip Halley
2Y1E3
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The State of California – LESO property combats foreign drug trafficking organizations in rural communities

The summer of 2015, like all summers, saw the investigation and eradication of numerous marijuana grows on public and private land within Butte County, Ca. The OH-58A and OH-6A aircraft acquired through the 1033 program are the workhorses of these operations, used for inserting and extracting law enforcement personnel and removing marijuana and debris left behind by growers. Many of these grows are tended by heavily armed cartel members.

On 24 July 2015, Butte County Sheriff’s SWAT and Special Enforcement Unit (marijuana task force) personnel, assisted by the U.S.D.A. Forest Service and California Fish and Wildlife and USDA Bureau of Land Management conducted a search warrant on a residence in a rural area and raided several marijuana gardens associated to the residence. One suspect fled the residence with a loaded AK-47 with a high capacity magazine. This suspect was apprehended by a law enforcement K9. Several other firearms and a fully automatic AR-15 with 1000 round drum magazine were recovered during the search. A second suspect was later located and arrested. Only 2100 growing marijuana plants were eradicated, as the gardens had already been harvested and partially replanted.

Equipment from the 1033 program made this pre-dawn raid possible. Equipment used included M-16 rifles, AN-PEQ2A infrared illuminators, night vision mounting components, infra red beacons, medical supplies and our OH-58A helicopter.

Thank you for your support of local law enforcement agencies.

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Section IV – Misc. Items
Kalamazoo Co. Sheriff's Dept. welcomes new front end loader for snow removal

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Winter Storm “Goliath” hits New Mexico

“The day after Christmas we were hit by winter storm “Goliath”. We had to open 3 shelter for travelers on east bound I-40 in Moriarty, NM. Our shelters were set up for people but not pets. Because of the animal traps/cages we obtained from the DRMO 1033 program (Holloman) we were able to house pets right with the owners for 2 days. The dump truck we received from Colorado Springs and the truck tractor from Kirtland were fitted with snow plows and used to get emergency help, including food, firewood, and medicine, to our rural residents. This is the modified truck tractor.”
Section IV – Misc. Items
Austin Police arrest man connected to 97 high-end bike thefts


"The night vision device afforded us the ability to see a bike tire sticking up in the cargo bay in the dark of night when the suspect came home. That in turn allowed us to exigently prevent the consequences of theft and eventually resulted in the seizure of two stolen bicycles worth $15000 dollars and a subsequent search warrant on the suspects residence. Having that night vision was instrumental in this case."
Section IV – Misc. Items

“Ending of an era”

According to Larry George (Michigan’s State Coordinator)
This is the “Ending of an era.” Do to the EO and a Recall of
all the TAV’s. Michigan’s are now sitting at the gunnery range
in Grayling, MI.