

Fairfield County Sheriff's Community Response Unit

The Community Response Unit is a three-member law enforcement team dedicated to providing educational outreach, community engagement, and supplemental enforcement services to the citizens of Fairfield County.

Through training initiatives, presentations, and hands-on instruction, they provide educational outreach concerning emerging threats, senior citizen scams, basic self-defense, and active aggressor response training.

In addition to training, the unit plays a vital role in strengthening relationships between law enforcement and the community through participation and leadership at local events. The Community Response Unit remains committed to building partnerships with citizens, improving public safety through education, and maintaining a visible and approachable law enforcement presence throughout Fairfield County.

Meet the Unit!

The unit is comprised of Deputy Laura Foster, Deputy Kristy Peck, and Corporal Tiffany Hedrick, who collaborate closely to meet the evolving needs of the community through proactive programming and visible participation in public events.

Corporal Hedrick attended the law enforcement academy at the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office. She was hired in 1998 and has 27 years of experience working in several divisions including the SWAT team, assigned as part of the entry team. She also serves as an Adjunct Instructor of law enforcement topics at Hocking College. She resides in Fairfield County with her family, including three (3) German Shepherds.



Pictured left to right: Deputy Laura Foster, Deputy Kristy Peck, Corporal Tiffany Hedrick. Front and Center: Therapy K9, Nala.

Deputy Peck has served the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office since 2013 and has 12 years of experience. She has been assigned to several divisions prior to joining the Community Response Unit. She was most recently the School Resource Officer at General Sherman Junior High School with her therapy K-9 partner, Nala. Deputy Peck is a proud U.S. Army Veteran and served in the Iraqi Conflict. Deputy Peck resides in Fairfield County.

Deputy Foster began her career at the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office in 2017 and has eight years of experience. Deputy Foster has served in both the Jail and Patrol Divisions. Along with her current duties in the Community Response Unit, Deputy Foster has created a curriculum and teaches basic and advanced Spanish to members of the Sheriff's Office.

To learn more, visit <https://sheriff.fairfield.oh.us/FC-Community-Services-Bureau.html>.