

Active shooter demo at Marietta High School: Area officers participate in training



Staff photo by Dianna F. Dandridge-Rystrom

Local law enforcement receive hands-on training Tuesday evening as they participate in a mock live shooter demonstration at Marietta High School. Thackerville School Resource Officer James Giles prepares to fire rounds that will trigger the sensors.

By Dianna F. Dandridge-Rystrom
Staff Writer

A parent's worst nightmare, a teacher's horror come to life, and a period of chaos and fear for students – the call of an active shooter in the building.

Doors are locked and may be even blocked, not to be opened until an all clear signal. It's pandemonium that can't be explained until it's been experienced.

Up until now, the focus has always been on the shooter or the threat with students and

staff just being locked down in a classroom, restroom or maybe a safe room.

Now the Marietta Public Schools has installed an active shooter system that uses lights to tell law enforcement where the threat is and the best pathway for the innocent would-be victims to make it out of the building and to safety.

Founder and CEO of the Go2Green system, Ernie Williams, was on hand Tuesday evening to give a live demonstration of what the new system is capable of doing.

"This demonstration was mainly for the law enforcement who will be answering a call should one ever come in," Williams said.

"Our first priority is always going to be to get the innocent people out of harm's way," he said. "For years, law enforcement was always focused on threat. Our system is designed to show the best path out and away from that threat."

The Go2Green system uses a pattern of lights to show where a weapon has been fired and how best to exit the

building.

"When a weapon is fired, our sensors will pick up on the nose and the pressure of the discharge and red and blue lights will come on. Blinking green lights lead to the quickest exit away from the shooter," Williams said.

Tuesday's exhibition was for law enforcement so they could see and experience exactly what would happen in a shooting event.

"We are going to fire live rounds in the high school from 9mm, 45s, 223s and 308s," Williams said.

Bullet traps were set up in advance of the demonstration, protecting the building.

"Historically, these are the weapons most frequently used. That is why we have chosen them," he said.

He explained the 308 is very close to an AK47 and it replicates the damage one can do.

Williams explained the school has sent floor plans to company monitors. Formerly trained first responders monitor the cameras sending necessary feedback to emergency responders on the scene.

"This system can also be used in the event of a health emergency or even tornado warnings," he said.

According to Williams, emergency personnel can be trained to use the light system to guide their way to threats, health crises, or weather issues.

"We are very grateful to our law enforcement community and their willingness to help

us evaluate and strengthen all of our safety procedures," Marietta School Superintendent Brandi Naylor said.

"We appreciate their willingness to train using our systems and facilities further showing they are fully committed to maintaining a safe and secure environment for our staff and students."

The demonstration Tuesday was for law enforcement only. Teachers and staff will have training days in the coming weeks.

"It would be nice to think no school would ever need this system, but the world is not getting any easier," Williams said.

The system does not detect a weapon until it has been fired. The system uses a combined sound and pressure level to trigger the sensors. The sensors then light up accordingly.

"This system sets up the best possible outcome in the event of a threat against the students and staff should a threat arise," Williams said.

Public Notice

February 23, 2026
Board of County Commissioners
Regular Meeting

Agenda was posted February 19, 2026, 12:00 PM on the door of the Courthouse Annex and at exit doors of the Courthouse.

Present: Commissioners David Magee, Mike Mayes and Stacy Rushing; Minutes by County Clerk Shelly Russell; Trent Daniel, Chad McMillan, Bryan Rieck, Darrell Holland, Trent Barrick, Dianna Dandridge-Rystrom, Carol Wolfe, Assessor Missy Tunnell, Harvey Stewart.

Called to order by Chairman Mike Mayes.

Quorum Call. Present Magee, Mayes and Rushing. Love County met the criteria for a burn ban; Board adopted Love County, Oklahoma Burn Ban Resolution #2026-8, Eight-days; effective February 23 through March 3, 2026. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Unforeseen Business/New Business not known at time of posting of agenda. 8:35 AM Board made aware Indian Nation Sprinkler System was a vendor on Statewide Contracts; Board approved their quote of \$40,650.00 to replace the fire alarm system (only) at the Love County Justice Center. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved the minutes and proceedings of Board of County Commissioner's February 17, 2026, meeting. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved ODOT Form 324a to Pinnacle Consulting Management Group, Inc. for Project Manager Acquisition and Acquisition Secured/ Condemned 50%, \$3250.00, for Parcel 2.1; Love County J/P 34501(04); District 3. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board adopted Resolution #2026-7 Chickasaw Nation Donation to the Love County Sheriff, \$1000.00, to be used for Sheriff's Office supplies/maintenance and general maintenance/operation of Sheriff's vehicles. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Transfer of Appropriations for Sheriff Office from Sheriff Funding Assistance Grant; \$100,000.00 from 1574-2-0400-2005 M&O to 1574-2-0400-4110 Capital Outlay for capital expenditures from the fund. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved February payroll and travel claims. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved Special payroll for stipends from Sheriff Funding Assistance Grant. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Requisition-Purchase Order-Claims presented for payment the week of 2/12 – 2/19, 2026 were approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

911 Phone #75, SOUTHWEST MSP LLC, 395.00, service #76, AT&T, 450.06, service #77, AT&T, 2097.01, service #78, MILLER OFFICE EQUIPMENT, 61.60, service #79, AT&T, 1623.85, service;

Extension-ST #51, OKLAHOMA COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE, 6666.66, service #52, STANDLEY SYSTEMS, 212.69, service #53, GMH DESIGNS LLC, 4283.40, printing;

General #1264, MARIETTA MONITOR, 302.28, publication #1265, MARIETTA MONITOR, 270.38, publication #1266, MARIETTA MONITOR, 170.50, publication #1267, MARIETTA MONITOR, 257.40, publication #1268, MARIETTA MONITOR, 202.40, publication #1269, HCSOLUTIONSTRAINING & CONSULTING PLLC, 900.00, training #1270, PACEM DEFENSE, 1662.30, supplies #1271, NORTH TEXAS TOLLWAY AUTHORITY, 20.10, tolls #1272, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, 321.50, contract #1273, CBJ TIRE & ALIGNMENT NR INC, 269.78, tires #1274, OTAPLATE PAY, 3.30, toll #1275, MILLER OFFICE EQUIPMENT, 44.85, contract #1276, CULLIGAN OF ARDMORE, 43.50, water #1277, SUMNERONE INC, 25.11, contract #1278, NARTEC, INC, 719.35, tests #1279, LOVE COUNTY

E-911 DISTRICT, 937.50, service #1280, STANDLEY SYSTEMS, 55.60, service #1281, TURN KEY HEALTH CLINICS LLC, 8226.01, service;

General Gov't-ST #384, PITNEY BOWES BANK, 2000.00, postage #385, JUST TRASHIN, 170.00, service #386, AT&T MOBILITY, 521.40, service #387, ECONOSIGNS LLC, 277.85, signs #388, FRIENDLY AND FAIR LAWN CARE, 350.00, service #389, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 27.64, supplies #390, JCAUTO PARTS LLC, 191.74, oil #391, AT&T, 2809.02, service #392, CALDWELL MECHANICAL SERVICES LLC, 750.00, labor #393, OKANA MDE LLC, 262.00, rooms;

Health #113, NOODLE SOUP OF WEINGART DESIGN, 199.32, supplies #114, SAMUEL CECENAS FLORES, 475.00, service #115, AMAZON BUSINESS, 80.57, supplies #116, SMILEMAKERS INC, 279.44, supplies;

Highway #1061, ACCO-SIG, 130.00, fees #1062, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 363.55, supplies #1063, ROPERS TRASH SERVICE, 25.00, service #1064, STANDLEY SYSTEMS, 25.63, service #1065, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 134.84, service #1066, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 56.98, oil #1067, ASCO, 261.26, oil #1068, RODRIGUEZ TIRE SHOP, 112.00, supplies #1069, HOLT TRUCK CENTERS, 150.00, supplies #1070, CODA, 125.00, conference #1071, ACCO-SIF, 95.00, fees #1072, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 122.07, supplies #1073, JCAUTOPARTSLLC, 496.64, supplies #1074, JR THOMPSON INC, 1425.28, materials #1075, JCAUTO PARTS LLC, 658.19, parts #1076, OVERLAND MATERIALS & MFG, INC, 2340.00, materials #1077, C L BOYD INC, 1333.86, harness #1078, RUSHING, JOHN STACY, 121.07, travel #1079, ACCO-SIF, 95.00, fees #1080, ROPERS TRASH SERVICE, 25.00, service #1081, STANDLEY SYSTEMS, 25.63, service #1082, STANDLEY SYSTEMS, 82.31, service #1083, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 109.44, oil #1084, AMAZON BUSINESS, 96.98, supplies #1085, P & K STONE LLC, 1329.12, materials #1086, JCAUTOPARTSLLC, 96.00, grease #1087, JCAUTOPARTSLLC, 245.17, supplies #1088, SECURITY NATIONAL BANK, 3210.27, lease #1089, J R THOMPSON INC, 4450.33, flex #1090, P & K STONE LLC, 1132.27, materials;

Rural Fire-ST #267, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 236.97, service #268, AMAZON BUSINESS, 131.99, supplies #269, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 61.30, supplies #270, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 76.44, oil filters #271, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 5.00, supplies #272, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.79, service #273, ACTIVE 911 INC, 275.40, active 911 #274, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service #275, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service #276, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 145.59, service #277, ACTIVE 911 INC, 243.00, service #278, GLENN POLK AUTOPLEX, 10772.32, repair #279, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service;

SHCommissary #21, BENCHMARK GOVERNMENT SOLUTIONS LLC, 2784.92, commissary;

SH Drug Buy #3, SHIPMAN COMMUNICATIONS INC, 30774.67, lights;

SH Svc Fee #141, CULLIGAN OF ARDMORE, 43.25, supplies #142, BOB BARKER CO., INC., 1150.41, supplies #143, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, 207.50, contract #144, MILLER OFFICE EQUIPMENT, 86.00, service

Adjourn. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes – Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Approved this 2nd day of March 2026.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

/s/ Mike Mayes
Chairman
/s/ Stacy Rushing
Member
/s/ David Magee
Member

(SEAL)
ATTEST:
/s/ Shelly Russell
Shelly Russell, County Clerk
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Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR LOVE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In the Matter of the Estate of CORINNE SANBORN PATCHELL (aka "CORINNE S. PATCHELL"), Deceased. Case No. P-56-1364 (Judge Todd Hicks)

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT, FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES, AND FOR ORDER OF DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE AND FINAL DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

NOW on this 23rd day of February 2026, there having been filed by Thomas Miller Davidge, Jr., the duly appointed Successor Personal Representative of the Estate of CORINNE SANBORN PATCHELL (aka "CORINNE S. PATCHELL" and "EDITH SANBORN PATCHELL"), deceased in the District Court of Oklahoma County, State of Oklahoma, a Final Account And Petition For Order Allowing Final Account, For Determination Of Heirship, Devisees And Legatees, And For Order Of Distribution And Discharge.

IT IS ORDERED AND NOTICE is hereby given to each heir-at-law, legatee and devisee of Decedent, at his or her last known place of residence as required by law, that said Final Account and Petition is hereby set for hearing before this Court in the Love County Courthouse, Marietta, Oklahoma, on the 26th day of March 2026, at 9:00 a.m.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that notice hereof be given by mailing copies of said Order and Notice to each heir-at-law, legatee and devisee of Decedent, at his or her last known place of residence as required by law.

/s/Todd Hicks
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

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Public Notice

LOVE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SEIZED VEHICLE

VIN: 5TDZT34A13S160019

Make and Model: 2003 Toyota Sequoia

Sold at the Ardmore Car Auction

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LOVE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SEIZED VEHICLE

VIN: 1HGCG32511A005353

Make and Model: 2001 Honda

Sold at the Ardmore Car Auction

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Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LOVE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LISA LARAE MCENTIRE, Deceased. CASE: PB-2026-11

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons, trustees, or entities interested in the Estate of LISA LARAE MCENTIRE, Deceased, that there has been filed in the above-entitled cause a Petition alleging that LISA LARAE MCENTIRE died intestate, and praying that Petitioners CYNTHIA ANN HICKS & TONY CLYDE HICKS, be appointed Personal Representatives, and that the heirs at law of the decedent be judicially determined and notice is further given that the 9th day of April, 2026, at 9:00 A.M. has been appointed as the day and time for hearing said Petition before the undersigned Judge of the District Court of Love County, Oklahoma, when and where all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest the same, if they so choose. SIGNED this 24th day of February 2026.

/s/ Todd Hicks
HONORABLE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONERS:

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LOVE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SEIZED VEHICLE

VIN: 4T1BF28B14U388472

Make and Model: 2004 Toyota Avalon

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Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LOVE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

GSB INVESTMENTS, LLC,
PLAINTIFF,

Case No. CV-2026-14

v.

JOHN L. GUNTER, Deceased, and P. DIANE GUNTER, BARBARA KELLER, CENTRAL FARM CREDIT, GP, DANIEL G. RANDAL, Deceased, CATHERINE E. RANDEL, also spelled CATHERINE E. RANDEL, TRANSVERSAL REAL ESTATE HOLDINGS, LLC, THE TREASURER OF LOVE COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LOVE COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, DEVISEES, TRUSTEES AND ASSIGNS OF JOHN L. GUNTER, Deceased, and DANIEL G. RANDAL, Deceased,

DEFENDANTS.
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:

John L. Gunter, Deceased, P. Diane Gunter, Barbara Keller, Central Farm Credit, GP, Daniel G. Randal, Deceased, Catherine E. Randal, also spelled Catherine E. Randal, Transversal Real Estate Holdings, LLC, and the Unknown Heirs, Successors, Executors, Administrators, Devisees, Trustees and Assigns of John L. Gunter, Deceased and Daniel G. Randal, Deceased

The above-named Defendants will take notice that in the District Court of Love County, Oklahoma, in the above-styled and numbered case, an action has been filed by GSB Investments, LLC, to quiet any right, title, or interest in the real property described hereinbelow which you have or may claim to have, and you must answer the Petition of said Plaintiff on file in said cause on or before April 17, 2026 or the allegations of said Petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly, adjudging and decreeing that the Plaintiff is the owner of, and that the Plaintiff is the actual owner of the surface of the following described real property situated in Love County, Oklahoma, to-wit (the "Property"):

Lot 8, in Block 1, and Lot 1, in Block 3, Unit 8, Phase 2, Falconhead, Diamondhead Corporation, Burneyville, Love County, Oklahoma, according to the recorded plat thereof; and

Lot 9, in Block 2, Phase 2, Unit 8, Falconhead, Diamondhead Corporation, Burneyville, Love County, Oklahoma, according to the recorded plat thereof; and

Lot 8, in Block 1, Unit 8, Phase 2, Falconhead, Diamondhead Corporation, Burneyville, Love County, Oklahoma, according to the recorded plat thereof;

free and clear of all liens, claims and encumbrances of John L. Gunter, Deceased, P. Diane Gunter, Barbara Keller, Central Farm Credit, GP, Daniel G. Randal, Deceased, Catherine E. Randal, also spelled Catherine E. Randal, Transversal Real Estate Holdings, LLC, and the Unknown Heirs, Successors, Executors, Administrators, Devisees, Trustees and Assigns of John L. Gunter, Deceased and Daniel G. Randal, Deceased, have no right, title, interest, lien, estate, encumbrance, claim, or assessment in the surface of said hereinabove described real property, and a Decree quieting and confirming the Plaintiff's title and possession thereto, as against said Defendants and their unknown successors, and forever barring and enjoining the Defendants and their unknown successors from any and all right, title, estate, interest or equity of redemption in and to the surface of said lands and premises, or any part thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL this 18th day of February 2026.

(Seal)

Love County Court Clerk
By: /s/ Kim Chavarria
Deputy Court Clerk

APPROVED:

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