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KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



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Type of Incident: National Family Violence Apprehension Detail

Supervisor Approval: Sgt. Todd Probst

On Wednesday, October 21, 2015, the following law enforcement agencies in Kent County along with several law enforcement agencies nationwide participated in the 13th Annual National Family Violence Apprehension Detail—Also known as the “Domestic Violence Warrant Sweep”:

Grand Rapids Police Department
Kent County Sheriff's Office
Kentwood Police Department
Lowell Police Department
Michigan Department of Corrections
Michigan State Police – Rockford Post
Rockford Department of Public Safety
Sparta Police Department
United States Marshal's Fugitive Task Force
Wyoming Police Department

The SWEEP is a day-long event, in which agencies across the United States attempt to serve outstanding family-violence warrants.

This is the first year law enforcement agencies in Michigan have participated in this event. Our local SWEEP detail had 55 members from the above agencies attempt to serve 109 warrants which resulted in the arrest of 16 offenders.

Clackamas Sheriff Office, Oregon, is the founding agency of this event. Additional information can be located at their website below.

<http://www.clackamas.us/sheriff/domesticviolence.html>

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