

# **Sumner County** **Sheriffs Office**

## SCSO ANNUAL PREA REPORT

### **Introduction:**

The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) was passed into law in 2003 by President George W. Bush. The act mandated zero tolerance of sexual abuse inside correctional facilities and developed standards to detect and prevent sexual abuse and sexual harassment of those incarcerated. This report has been compiled in compliance with those standards.

### **PREA Incident Types by allegation:**

Substantiated: Investigated and determined to have occurred.

Unsubstantiated: Investigated, however not enough evidence to determine an incident had occurred.

Unfounded: An allegation that was investigated and determined to not have occurred.

Ongoing: Investigation has not been completed.

### **Investigations:**

Every allegation made is investigated. If an allegation of sexual abuse is substantiated, the perpetrator will be charged with a criminal act and SCSO will work closely with prosecutors to ensure prosecution. Any reports made in bad faith will also be referred to prosecutors, and criminal and/or disciplinary charges will be pursued.

### **Facility(s) included in data collection:**

- Sumner County Jail

### **Inmates and incidents included in data collection:**

Inmates housed in SCSO Correctional Facility between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016. Any incident of sexual misconduct, sexual harassment, or sexual abuse involving inmate-on-inmate or staff-on-inmate.

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### **General Information:**

Number of individuals -

Incarcerated in SCSO facility on December 31, 2016

Male   522   Female   124  

Admitted to SCSO facility during 2016

Male  7,314  Female  3,330 

Incarcerated individuals between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Average Daily Population   673  

### **Allegation Information:**

Number of reported allegations of -

Inmate on Inmate nonconsensual sexual acts between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Number Reported:	<u>  1  </u>
Substantiated:	<u>  0  </u>
Unsubstantiated:	<u>  0  </u>
Unfounded:	<u>  1  </u>
Ongoing:	<u>  0  </u>

Inmate on Inmate sexual harassment between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Number Reported:	<u>  5  </u>
Substantiated:	<u>  1  </u>
Unsubstantiated:	<u>  3  </u>
Unfounded:	<u>  1  </u>
Ongoing:	<u>  0  </u>

Inmate on Inmate consensual sexual acts between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Number Reported:	<u>  3  </u>
Substantiated:	<u>  1  </u>
Unsubstantiated:	<u>  0  </u>
Unfounded:	<u>  2  </u>
Ongoing:	<u>  0  </u>

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Staff sexual misconduct between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Number Reported:	0
Substantiated:	0
Unsubstantiated:	0
Unfounded:	0
Ongoing:	0

Staff sexual harassment between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016

Number Reported:	3
Substantiated:	2
Unsubstantiated:	0
Unfounded:	1
Ongoing:	0

Based on the annual review of PREA Standards conducted by the Sumner County Sheriff's Office the following occurred during the 2016 Calendar year

