

COPS Quick Facts

For the State of Tennessee

Since 1994, \$165,944,809 in COPS grants has been awarded to law enforcement agencies in the State of Tennessee

Highlights

- COPS grants have funded 2,351 additional police officers and sheriffs deputies to engage in community policing activities, including crime prevention, in Tennessee.
- 271 local and state law enforcement agencies in Tennessee have directly benefited from funding made available through the COPS Office.
- \$22,865,399 has been awarded to add 219 school resource officers to improve safety for students, teachers, and administrators in primary and secondary schools throughout Tennessee.
- \$19,548,471 has been awarded for crime-fighting technologies. This funding has allowed officers to spend more time on the streets of Tennessee fighting and preventing crime through timesaving technology, information-sharing systems, and improved communications equipment.