

Minnesota Gang and Drug Oversight Council 2006 Annual Report

BACKGROUND

Narcotics Task Forces - Since 1988, the Minnesota Department of Public Safety Office of Justice Programs has funded multijurisdictional narcotics task forces with a portion of its annual Edward Byrne Memorial Grant from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance. The purpose of the funding is to support programs that integrate federal, state and local drug law enforcement agencies and prosecutors to conduct effective multijurisdictional investigations and prosecutions. Minnesota's drug task forces have received \$2.6 million in federal funding each year and the Minnesota Attorney General's Office receives \$150,000 to fund state-wide narcotics prosecution.

The Narcotics Enforcement Coordinating Committee (NECC), an informal advisory body, provided guidance to the Commissioner of Public Safety on matters relating to the Multijurisdictional Drug Task Forces from 1988 to 2004. The committee consisted of 18 members with representation from sheriffs, police chiefs, prosecutors, task force commanders, the DEA, the Office of the Attorney General, the BCA, and the U.S. Attorney's Office

Minnesota Gang Strike Force - The Minnesota Gang Strike Force was created in 1997 to identify, investigate, arrest and prosecute gang members engaged in criminal activity in the State of Minnesota. For the biennium, the legislature appropriated \$5.6 million to provide partial salary reimbursement for the assigned officers, and pay for overtime, operating costs and the implementation and operation of a computerized Gang Pointer File. Six separate regions were created covering the state with investigators concentrating on fighting gang-related crime. State funding continued in the subsequent years, but at a reduced level. At its largest the strike force had 70 officers assigned statewide with the Metro Region operating with 40 officers. As funding diminished, the strike force operated with about 30 officers of which approximately half serving in the Metro Region.

The 1997 legislation created an advisory council that was in charge of creating the statewide law enforcement strike force. That advisory group was named the Criminal Gang Oversight Council and it served as the administrative body that directed the Minnesota Gang Strike Force. The council was comprised of chief law enforcement officers of local agencies, the superintendent of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, the Minnesota Attorney General, and the Commissioners of Corrections and Public Safety.

2005 LEGISLATION

The 2005 Minnesota Legislature passed legislation to improve coordination of gang and drug enforcement efforts throughout the state. To ensure an effective outcome, the legislature established a Gang and Drug Oversight Council ("Council") to provide guidance related to the investigation and prosecution of gang and drug crime. To support their efforts, the legislature appropriated \$6 million in funding for the biennium.

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The council, which replaces both NECC and the Criminal Gang Oversight Council, is comprised of 32 representatives of federal, state and local law enforcement and prosecution agencies. The council's primary duty is to "develop an overall strategy to ameliorate the harm caused to the public by gang and drug crime within the state of Minnesota. This strategy may include the development of protocols and procedures to investigate gang and drug crime and a structure for best addressing these issues in a multijurisdictional manner". In addition, the council is charged with additional responsibilities that include (1) establishing a Metro Gang Strike Force and other multijurisdictional task forces to combat gang and drug crime, (2) selecting a Statewide Coordinator to coordinate, facilitate and monitor all the task forces, (3) work with the Department of Public Safety to develop a grant process and funding recommendations, (4) adopt criteria and identifying characteristics for use in determining whether individuals are or may be members of gangs involved in criminal activity, and, (5) assist in developing an information sharing system and operating budget.

2005 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The 2005 legislation was effective July 1, 2005 and the council was in place and holding its first meeting shortly thereafter. The council quickly organized by electing a chair and vice chair and establishing four permanent committees: Governance; Funding; Information Sharing and Communications; and, Operations, Standards and Evaluation.

At its July 27, 2005 meeting, the Council's priority was to establish an overall budget and determine funding and eligibility parameters for calendar year 2006 grants and to provide guidance to the Funding Committee in the development of the grant application materials. Working with Department of Public Safety (DPS) staff, the funding committee created two Request for Proposals for local law enforcement to (1) participate as a member of the Metro Gang Strike Force (MGSF) or, (2) establish or continue either a local multijurisdictional drug task force or a local multijurisdictional gang and drug task force (for entities outside of the seven-county metro area). In order to be eligible for funding, participating task force members had to agree to:

- Define local needs and establish goals and objectives related to those needs
- Work under the direction of a local advisory board
- Coordinate efforts and maintain a statewide focus
- Participate in established information sharing systems
- Operate in conformance with professional standards developed by the Council
- Commit substantial local resources to the project beyond grant funding

Applications were received totaling \$6.77 million in requests for annual funding with \$4.95 million available. After an independent, comprehensive review process, funding was awarded. Award amounts were based upon the scoring of the applications, a review of proposed budgets, past performance and compliance with grant requirements. The result was to fund task forces/participating agencies that incorporated solid design elements and enforcement strategies and reward existing efforts that had demonstrated previous success. Grant funding for calendar year 2006 provided funding for 33 grants supported by \$2,765,000 in state funds for anti-gang efforts and \$2,750,000 in federal funds for drug enforcement efforts. These grant funds support about one-half the costs

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of local agency participation. The Metro Gang Strike Force will have a complement of 33 officers to investigate gang crime in a five county metropolitan area and 19 gang officers will work alongside 164 drug enforcement officers in 64 of Minnesota's eighty-seven counties.

In addition to this major effort to establish an overall funding strategy and develop and implement a grant application and award process, the Council's other accomplishments in 2005 were to:

- ▶ Create a Metro Gang Strike Force as a joint powers entity with an established governing board.
- ▶ Develop a job description for the new Statewide Coordinator position.
- ▶ Review existing and potential information sharing systems to be used by task forces.
- ▶ Develop a Policy and Procedure manual to insure proper investigative protocols and record keeping is used by all funded task forces.
- ▶ Monitor drug and gang trends in the state and the results achieved by task forces.
- ▶ Assess threats to multijurisdictional operations from federal budget cuts and court decisions (Reimers vs. City of Crookston).

RESULTS OF 2005 TASK FORCE OPERATIONS

Drug Enforcement - In calendar year 2005 there were 20 task forces statewide covering 59 counties that contain 88% of the states population. These task forces arrested 5,752 individuals with 88% of the arrests at a felony level. Of the arrests, 46% were for methamphetamine, 27% for marijuana and 20% for cocaine. In the course of their investigations, task forces seized 793 guns, 100 methamphetamine labs, 180 pounds of cocaine and methamphetamine and over 4,000 pounds of marijuana. It is important to note that in addition to their objective of combating drug trafficking through law enforcement, task force officers spend a significant amount of time educating the public about drugs. In 2005, task force officers made 543 presentations with a total attendance of over 46,000 people.

Gang Enforcement – Statewide gang enforcement outcomes declined in 2005 due to reduced participation. Nonetheless, the strike force did remain intact and had some significant impact, particularly in the metro area. The 16 investigators assigned to the metro region made 527 arrests of gang members involved in criminal activity. The arrests included crimes of homicide, aggravated assault, robbery, sex offenses and narcotic violations. Investigators executed 220 search warrants and during their investigations they seized 90 firearms and a substantial quantity of narcotics. In addition to their enforcement duties, investigators conducted training for criminal justice

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system partners and made presentations to civic and school groups. A variety of topics related to gang characteristics, gang investigations and gang prosecution were presented to 58 groups totaling 3,458 people.

As part of the mission of the Gang Strike Force, continuing efforts were made in maintaining the GangNet system to track gang members in the state and to ensure that this information is available to other law enforcement agencies. There are currently 11,519 individuals in the system representing 470 different gangs.

2006 GOALS

The Gang and Drug Oversight Council has set the following goals for 2006:

1. Development of a Statewide Strategy. The council was established to provide guidance related to the investigation and prosecution of gang and drug crime and is charged with the development of an overall strategy to ameliorate the harm caused to the public by gang and drug crime within the State of Minnesota. Elements of a comprehensive strategy were implemented in 2005: the integration of drug and gang officers in task forces located outside of the seven county metro areas; an expectation that local agencies financially support the effort beyond state and federal funding; and established conditions to be met to receive funding. The council, in consultation with local criminal justice stakeholders, will build on the above elements and develop a comprehensive statewide strategy in 2006 for implementation in 2007. It is important to note that the strategy will include an overall funding strategy in an atmosphere of shifting federal priorities.
2. Selection of a Statewide Coordinator. The council sees this position as critical in facilitating and monitoring current multijurisdictional efforts and in implementing a comprehensive statewide strategy. The council will utilize the Statewide Coordinator to enhance the efforts of local task forces through training and technical assistance and to develop a performance measurement system for task forces to ensure accountability and focus resources where most effective. An interview process is currently underway and the council intends to recommend a candidate to the Commissioner of Public Safety within the next 60 days.
3. Selection and Implementation of a Statewide Information Sharing System. Coordination and cooperation are essential ingredients to operate in the most efficient and effective manner when investigating drug and gang crime. Coordination can not be achieved without an accurate and accessible information sharing system. Council members are working with state staff to explore information sharing options that will reduce duplication of effort and enhance officer safety. The council intends to select and implement a system in 2006 that all task forces will be required to enter information into and query when conducting a new investigation.

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4. Professional Development. The council will provide for its own development. The council will examine ways to keep abreast of emerging issues and operate in a manner which can quickly respond to these issues. Full participation of council members is critical and as such, council participation must be viewed as “value added” by its members. The council will establish By-Laws to focus its efforts and will determine a means to get the input of a variety of stakeholders to inform the necessary debate that will follow.

LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

The Gang and Drug Oversight Council has identified two areas where legislative changes would be beneficial to the work of multijurisdictional gang and drug task forces.

1. Liability Under Joint Powers Agreements – Task forces in Minnesota operate under joint powers agreements. A recent federal court decision (Reimer v. City of Crookston) results in cities and counties being less inclined to become involved in joint powers enterprises due to the potential for increased liability. The court ruled that in some situations, a participating local entity could be held liable for the actions of another participant. In other words, not only could the negligent party be sued up to the statutory liability limit, but all other participating entities could, as well. In the case of the Metro Gang Strike Force, a claimant’s maximum recovery would now be \$3 million or ten times the \$300,000 limit per participating entity.

The extent to which Minnesota courts will follow the federal courts interpretation of Minnesota law are unknown. Given the risk and its inherent disincentive to participate in joint powers enterprises, the Council supports legislative action to prevent this stacking of tort liability.

2. Forfeiture Statute (MS 609.531) – The forfeiture statute in Subd. 5(b) currently requires that a seized vehicle be returned to its owner pending a forfeiture action if the title is surrendered in exchange for the vehicle. The forfeiture action can sometimes take an extended period of time and when complete, the vehicle often can not be located or has been given away, reported stolen or severely damaged.

The council supports action to delete Subd. 5(b) and believes that individuals subject to vehicle seizure will retain the right to use their property through existing provisions in the statute that allows them to post a security deposit or bond equal to the value of their property in order to use it pending a forfeiture action.

ATTACHMENTS

- Gang and Drug Case Summaries
- List of Gang and Drug Oversight Council Members
 - Map of 2006 Gang and Drug Task Forces
- List of 2006 Gang and Drug Task Force Grants

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MINNESOTA GANG STRIKE FORCE AND DRUG TASK FORCE CASE SUMMARIES

The following are selected summaries of completed investigations. It is not meant to be a complete list of Minnesota Gang Strike Force or Minnesota drug task force investigations. These are examples as to the types of investigations and types of illegal activities being committed by the different criminal elements throughout the state.

GANGS: Metro Region Homicide

Investigators had been working with law enforcement from California looking for suspects from several shootings and homicides in their area that had traveled to Minnesota. The suspects were MOD (Men of Destruction) gang members who are a nationwide Asian gang known for their violent activities for the past decade.

Investigators were then called by Anoka County Sheriff's Dept. to assist after several members of a local MOD gang were arrested after shooting six persons at Jimmy's Billiards in Columbia Heights. They had attacked a group of Tibetan immigrants believing them to be rival gang members. Two of the six were killed and four suffered serious gunshots. Our investigators immediately recognized the gang members who were arrested and advised the Sheriff's investigators they were aware of three more suspects from California who they also felt were involved in the killings.

During this investigation, one of our MGSF officers, Chris Tayson, was shot and was seriously wounded while trying to detain the suspects. Investigator Tayson recovered and actually assisted in tracking down several MOD gang members who were involved in a multi-state crime spree that followed. These gang members shot a grocery store clerk in Eau Claire, WI three times in the back and then returned to California and were involved in another homicide there.

Because of the intelligence, expertise and excellent police work by our Gang Strike Force officers, nine gang members were found guilty of the pool hall shootings, three were convicted of the shooting in Eau Claire, two were convicted of attempting to kill a police officer in Saint Paul, and as part of an arrangement worked out by our investigators, Sacramento, CA police are working on information provided to them regarding several unsolved MOD gang related homicides in their area over the past few years.

GANGS: Metro Region Robberies

Investigators concluded an investigation they had started a couple of years ago involving a series of over 50 robberies that had occurred in the Twin Cities area. The robberies were generally at neighborhood bars where the suspects would enter waving guns; they would rough up patrons and then make them lie on the floor while they grabbed cash from their victims and from pull tab booths.

The investigation eventually turned into a federal ATF investigation in conjunction with the Saint Paul Police. Eventually seven Crips gang members were charged in federal courts on 21 felony robbery counts. Most of the suspects were convicted felons who

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were using firearms during the commission of their crimes increasing the severity of their sentences. The leader of the gang, Carlos McAdory, was sentenced to a mandatory life sentence on 18 counts.

GANGS: Metro Region Assault

Investigators have been attempting for some time to get a felony conviction on the president of a local motorcycle gang, the Hell's Outcasts. The president, Angelo Mancini, has been arrested over twenty times for felony crimes but has never been found guilty of a felony. Because of intimidation of witnesses and/or bribes, the cases were never able to proceed. That was until he beat his estranged wife breaking her nose and jaw. Metro investigator Andy Shoemaker spent time with her taking photos and getting a statement from her and had him arrested for felony assault.

The gang president was eventually found guilty of third degree felony assault and was sentenced to over a year in prison with six years probation. The judge, however, did not grant the "no contact with other gang members" provision as part of his sentence. This was disappointing to our investigators because this is often a tool used to keep gangs from reconnecting after these members are released from prison.

The felony conviction is positive, however, because this will now make him a prohibitive person when it comes to firearms. He is known to always carry firearms. Also, the interesting fact is he was found guilty primarily through the efforts of metro investigators because when the wife was called to testify, she brought a lawyer and pled the fifth when asked to testify against Mancini.

GANGS: Northeast Region Narcotics Trafficking

MGSF investigators assigned to this region working with the Lake Superior Drug Task Force, DEA and BCA concluded a long-term sting operation that resulted in many arrests of gang members and the largest Methamphetamine seizure in the Duluth area's history.

The meth they recovered and had purchased came from "super labs" in Mexico and California and was brought to Minnesota by gang members and distributed by local dealers. Investigators were able to develop information about the sources in California who were responsible for trafficking multiple kilos of meth into the Twin Ports area. California law enforcement also benefited from this information by executing warrants there that resulted in arrests. The source of the meth appears to be "White Power" gang members.

Also as a spin off of this long term investigation, Gang Strike Force investigators worked with Superior, WI police and other Wisconsin law enforcement and arrested several Mexican Mafia gang members who also had been importing meth into the area.

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DRUGS: Greater Minnesota

The Central MN Drug Task Force completed the second phase of a large investigation which resulted in the execution of 9 search warrants in the Melrose area. During this investigation the Task Force was assisted by numerous agencies and as many as 50 investigators were involved during this last phase. During this investigation at least 16 individuals were indicted in federal court for trafficking of methamphetamine. The total amount of approximately 16 pounds of methamphetamine and approximately 2 ½ pounds of cocaine were seized during the overall course of the investigation. The Task Force has found at least a temporary reduction in the amount of methamphetamine available in the area as a result of the Melrose investigation.

DRUGS: Greater Minnesota

The Brown-Lyon-Redwood (B-L-R) Drug Task Force has played key investigative roles in several cases that have traveled outside of the Task Force area and into the areas of the CEE-VI Task Force. The Brown-Lyon-Redwood Drug Task Force successfully put together a solid prosecutable case against several people involved in a very large marijuana grow and distribution operation where hundreds of pounds of harvested, processed marijuana, live plants growing inside residence, guns, \$38,000 cash, a business and several vehicles were seized. This investigation sprawled over several counties and B-L-R worked in unison with CEE-VI agents resulting in a successful operation.

DRUGS: Suburban

The Dakota County Drug Task Force (DCDTF) executed a narcotics search warrant at a West St. Paul address. Arrested were a 30-year-old man and his 27-year-old wife for manufacturing methamphetamine. Seized were 3.74 grams of methamphetamine and 6 long/hand guns. To complicate matters, the doors to the residence were booby trapped with barbed wire while spring-loaded bear traps sat at the bottom of the stairs. The DCDTF also requested the assistance of the St. Paul Bomb Squad to seize and detonate 6 pipe bombs.

DRUGS: Metro

Hennepin/Minneapolis Narcotics Task Force officers have conducted a long-term investigation of members of the Shot Gun Crips. Task Force officers conducted 11 controlled buys from this group. Four of these purchases totaled 2 ounces of crack cocaine. The remaining buys were for 2 pounds of marijuana. Upon execution of 8 search warrants and arrests, Task Force officers seized approximately 20 pounds of marijuana, 17 handguns and approximately \$16,846.00 U.S. currency. Eleven individuals are being charged federally and 9 are being charged by the State. This group was linked to many acts of violence including murder, kidnapping, robbery, shootings, assaults, fleeing police and felon in possession of a gun cases.

MINNESOTA GANG AND DRUG OVERSIGHT COUNCIL (March 2006)

DESIGNATOR	NAME	TITLE	AGENCY	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX
MCPA (Chair)	Wade Setter	Chief	Brooklyn Park Police Department	5400 85th Avenue North Brooklyn Park, MN 55433	763-493-8200	763-493-8393
MSA (Chair)	Bruce Anderson	Sheriff	Sherburne County Sheriff's Office	13880 Hwy. 10 Elk River, MN 55330	763-241-2500	763-441-7303
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MCPA (pop)	William P. McManus	Chief	Minneapolis Police Department	350 South 5 th Street #130 Minneapolis, MN 55415	612-673-2853	612-673-2613
MCPA	J. Bruce Preece	Chief	Bemidji Police Department	613 Minnesota Avenue NW Bemidji, MN 56601	218-751-9111	218-333-8133
MCPA	Roger Waller	Chief	Duluth Police Department	411 W. 1st St. - RM 104 Duluth, MN 55802	218-730-5020	218-730-5910
MCPA	James Kulset	Chief	Willmar Police Department	2201 NE 23rd St. - Box 995 Willmar, MN 56201	320-235-2244	320-231-6556
MCPA	Robert Yant	Chief	Marshall Department of Public Safety	611 W. Main St. - Box 477 Marshall, MN 56258	507-537-7000	507-537-6034
MCPA	Dennis Ballantine	Chief	St. Cloud Police Department	807 Courthouse Sq. St. Cloud, MN 56302	320-650-3830	320-650-3839
MSA (pop)	Patrick McGowan	Sheriff	Hennepin County Sheriff's Office	350 S. Sixth St. - Rm. 6 Minneapolis, MN 55415	612-348-3744	612-348-4208
MSA (pop)	Bob Fletcher	Sheriff	Ramsey County Sheriff's Office	425 Grove St. St. Paul, MN 55101	651-266-9333	651-266-9301
MSA	Brad Athmann	Sheriff	Mahnomen County Sheriff's Office	PO Box 440 Mahnomen, MN 56557	218-935-2257	218-935-5946
MSA	Ross Litman	Sheriff	St. Louis County Sheriff's Office	100 N. 5th Ave. - RM 103 Duluth, MN 55802	218-726-2337	218-726-2171
MSA	Brian Schlueter	Sheriff	Ottertail County Sheriff's Office	417 S. Court St. Fergus Falls, MN 56537	218-998-8555	218-998-8557
MSA	Scott Campbell	Sheriff	Fairbault County Sheriff's Office	125 W. 2nd St. Blue Earth, MN 56013	507-526-5148	507-526-3051
MSA	Rodney Bartsh	Sheriff	Wabasha County Sheriff's Office	625 Jefferson Avenue Wabasha, MN 55981	651- 565-3361	651- 565-3843

MINNESOTA GANG AND DRUG OVERSIGHT COUNCIL (March 2006)

DESIGNATOR	NAME	TITLE	AGENCY	ADDRESS	PHONE	FAX
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MCAA	Hilary Caligiuri	Assistant County Attorney	Hennepin County Attorney's Office	2000 Courts Tower Government Center Minneapolis, MN 55487	612-348-9696	612-348-9712
MCAA	Ray Schmitz	County Attorney	Olmsted County Attorney's Office	Government Center 151 4th St. S.E. Rochester, MN 55904	507-285-8138	507-281-6054
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ATF	Steven Bogdalek	Asst. Special Agent in Charge	U.S. Department of Justice - ATF	30 E. 7 th St. - Room 1870 St. Paul, MN 55102	651-726-0160	651-726-0201
FBI	Michael Tabman	Special Agent in Charge	U.S. Department of Justice - FBI	111 Washington Ave. S Suite 1100 Minneapolis, MN 55401	612-376-3201	612-376-3284
Tribal LE	Vincent Merrick	Chief	Lower Sioux Tribal Police Department	PO Box 308, 39527 Res. Hwy 1 Morton, MN 56270	507-430-0473	507-697-9106
MSANI	John Grant	Sergeant	Dakota County Sheriff's Office	Box 21304 Eagan, MN 55121	651-994-6221	651-994-6210
GSF Command	Ron Ryan	Commander	MN. Gang Strike Force	655 W. Cty. Road E Shoreview, MN 55126	651-917-4805	651-917-4813
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2006 DRUG AND GANG TASK FORCE GRANTS

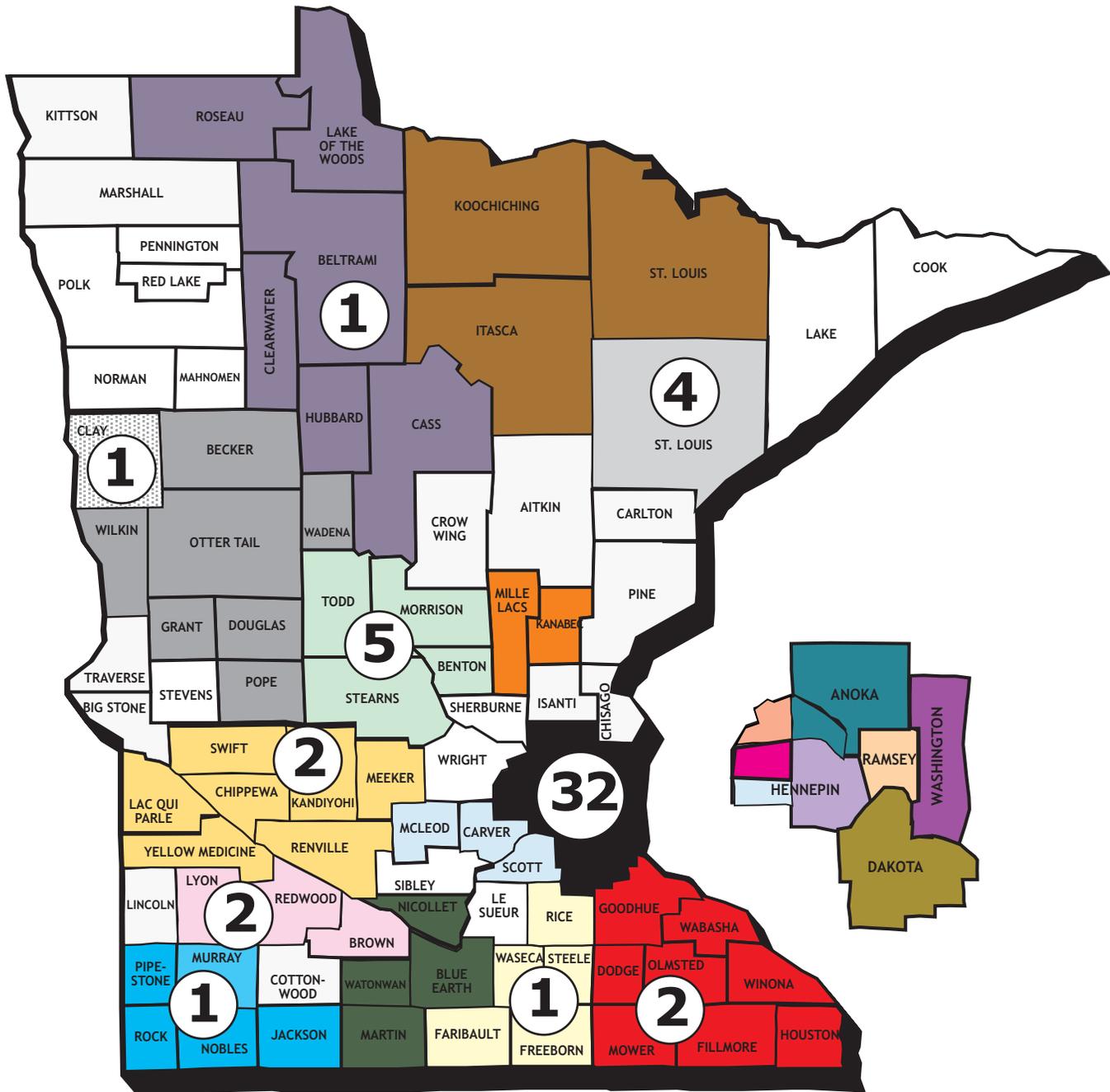
Grant #	TASK FORCE	FISCAL AGENT	Coordinator	Drug \$ (federal)	# gang inv.	Gang \$ (state)	TOTAL	Min. Local Match
2006-NGTF-00366	Anoka-Hennepin DTF	Anoka County SO	Lt. Paul Sommer	\$270,000	0	\$0	\$270,000	\$90,000
2006-NGTF-00373	B-L-R Drug & Gang TF	Marshall PD	Deputy Rick Wakefield	\$75,000	2	\$100,000	\$175,000	\$25,000
2006-NGTF-00382	Boundary Waters Drug TF	St. Louis Co. SO	Sgt. Steve Steblay	\$100,000	0	\$0	\$100,000	\$33,333
2006-NGTF-00385	Buffalo Ridge Drug & Gang TF	Worthington PD	Com. Troy Appel	\$100,000	1	\$50,000	\$150,000	\$33,333
2006-NGTF-00372	CEE-VI Drug & Gang TF	Kandiyohi Co. SO	Det. Sgt. Tony Cruze	\$90,000	2	\$100,000	\$190,000	\$30,000
2006-NGTF-00367	Central MN Drug & Gang TF	MCIU	Sgt. David McLaughlin	\$100,000	5	\$237,500	\$300,000	\$33,333
2006-NGTF-00370	Dakota County DTF	City of Eagan	Sgt. John Grant	\$260,000	0	\$0	\$260,000	\$86,667
2006-NGTF-00380	East Metro DTF	Ramsey Co. SO	Sgt. Rich Clark	\$210,000	0	\$0	\$210,000	\$70,000
2006-NGTF-00375	Hennepin-Mpls DTF	Minneapolis PD	Lt. Mark Ellenberg	\$210,000	0	\$0	\$210,000	\$70,000
2006-NGTF-00369	Lake Superior Drug & Gang TF	Duluth PD	Sgt. Scott Jenkins	\$135,000	4	\$187,500	\$285,000	\$45,000
2006-NGTF-00377	MN River Valley DTF	North Mankato PD	Com. Ben Rittmiller	\$100,000	0	\$0	\$100,000	\$33,333
2006-NGTF-00374	North Central DTF	Mille Lacs Co. SO	Undersheriff Alan Marxhausen	\$64,000	0	\$0	\$64,000	\$21,333
2006-NGTF-00371	Northwest Metro DTF	Golden Valley PD	Dep. Chief Roger Johnson	\$75,000	0	\$0	\$75,000	\$25,000
2006-NGTF-00391	Paul Bunyan Drug & Gang TF	Bemidji PD	Chief Bruce Preece	\$136,000	1	\$50,000	\$186,000	\$45,333
2006-NGTF-00376	Red River Valley Drug & Gang TF	Moorhead PD	Lt. Bob Larson	\$75,000	1	\$50,000	\$125,000	\$25,000
2006-NGTF-00379	SE Minnesota Drug & Gang TF	Olmstead Co. SO	Inv. Jason Christensen	\$170,000	2	\$100,000	\$270,000	\$56,667
2006-NGTF-00378	South Central Drug & Gang TF	Northfield PD	Sgt. Roger Schroeder	\$160,000	1	\$50,000	\$210,000	\$53,333
2006-NGTF-00381	Southwest Metro DTF	Shakopee PD	Sgt. Chris Dellwo	\$80,000	0	\$0	\$80,000	\$26,667
2006-NGTF-00383	Washington County DTF	Washington Co. SO	Sgt. Tom Stafford	\$85,000	0	\$0	\$85,000	\$28,333
2006-NGTF-00368	West Central DTF	Douglas Co. SO	Sgt. Scott Umlauf	\$70,000	0	\$0	\$70,000	\$23,333
2006-NGTF-00384	West Metro DTF	W. Hennepin PS Dept.	Sgt. Todd Boelter	\$35,000	0	\$0	\$35,000	\$11,667
2006-NGTF-00384	Statewide Prosecution	Attorney General	Dan Vlieger	\$150,000	0	0	\$150,000	\$50,000
	TOTAL			\$2,600,000	19	\$925,000	\$3,450,000	\$916,667

2006 METRO GANG STRIKE FORCE GRANTS				
Grant #	Participant	Contact	# Of Officers	Grant Amount
2006-MGSF-00282	Hennepin County Sheriff's Office	Captain Pat Moe	2	\$80,000
2006-MGSF-00283	Dakota County Sheriff's Office	Chief Deputy Dave Bellows	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00284	Washington County Sheriff's Office	Sheriff Steve Pott	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00285	West St. Paul Police Department	Chief Bud Shaver	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00286	St. Paul Police Department.	Commander Dick Gardell	7	\$280,000
2006-MGSF-00287	Brooklyn Park Police Department	Captain Greg Roehl	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00363	Golden Valley Police Department	Director of Public Safety Robert Hernz	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00364	Metro Transit Police	Deputy Chief David Inderhus	1	\$40,000
2006-MGSF-00397	Minneapolis Police Department	Captain Mike Martin	7	\$320,000
2006-MGSF-00398	Ramsey County SO	Chief Deputy David Metusalem	10	\$440,000
2006-MGSF-00263	Ramsey County SO *	Chief Deputy David Metusalem	0	\$398,448
2006-MGSF-00400	MN. Department of Corrections	Donald Rothstein	1	\$59,395
	TOTAL		33	\$1,817,843

* As fiscal agent for strike force - receiving grant funds for operating costs of the MGSF.

2006 GANG AND DRUG TASK FORCES

Department of Public Safety
OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS



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| Anoka-Hennepin Narcotics Task Force | Lake Superior Drug Task Force | South Central MN Drug Task Force |
| Boundary Waters Drug Task Force | MN River Valley Drug Task Force | South East MN Drug Task Force |
| Brown-Lyon-Redwood Drug Task Force | North Central MN Drug Task Force | Southwest Metro Drug Task Force |
| Buffalo Ridge Drug Task Force | Northwest Metro Drug Task Force | Washington County Drug Task Force |
| C.E.E. VI Narcotics Task Force | Paul Bunyan Narcotics Task Force | West Central MN Drug Task Force |
| Central Minnesota MCIU | Ramsey County Drug Task Force | West Metro Drug Task Force |
| Dakota County Drug Task Force | County Shared by:
Red River Valley, ND and
West Central MN Drug Task Forces | Counties not in Task Force |
| Hennepin/Minneapolis Narcotics Task Force | | Metro Gang Strike Force |
| | | # Number of gang officers assigned in task force area |