

MEDIA RELEASE

RBBCSC GRANT ALLOWS THE ELLETTSVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO EXPAND THE SRO PROGRAM

ELLETTSVILLE, INDIANA (December 11, 2019): For the coming year, the Richland-Bean Blossom Community School Corporation received a grant for \$99,000 to expand the existing School Resource Officer (SRO) program that is provided by the Ellettsville Police Department. The SRO program, which is provided and funded through an inter-local agreement between the Town of Ellettsville and the Richland-Bean Blossom Community School Corporation, has been in existence since 2014 with one School Resource Officer. That program will now consist of two officers. On Monday, November 25th at the regular session of the Ellettsville Town Council meeting, Marshal Jimmie Durnil announced that Deputy Marshal Alec Leggio would be assigned to fill the second School Resource Officer position starting at the end of December. Deputy Marshal Leggio has been with the Ellettsville Police Department since February of 2014, assigned to the Patrol Division. Marshal Durnil asked the Ellettsville Town Council during that same meeting to allow him to fill the newly open position in the Patrol Division by promoting Deputy Marshal Joshua Kreigh from being a part-time Deputy Marshal to a full-time Deputy Marshal. Deputy Marshal Kreigh will be leaving his full-time position as an Arson Investigator for the Indiana Department of Homeland Security at the end of December to join the Ellettsville Police Department as a full-time Deputy Marshal.



Picture L-to-R: Deputy Marshal Leggio, Marshal Jimmie Durnil, Deputy Marshal Joshua Kreigh