



Washington County Sheriff's Office



Washington County Sheriff's Office Mobile Command units

1992:

The first Mobile Command unit is obtained through the Federal Government Surplus Property Program. The Vehicle was a 1978 Chevrolet Army Ambulance 4X4 that was camouflage in color.



Stock Photo

1998:

Donated in 1998, this unit was an old moving van that had been converted for use as a Mobile Command unit. Unreliable and not conducive for use as a Mobile Command unit. There was no heat in the rear compartment and entry was through an access door in the rear. No electronic capability for radios or computers.





Washington County Sheriff's Office



2004:

Donated by the Fort Calhoun Fire and Rescue, this was a 1984 Ford Econoline Rescue Squad. Limited room for use as a mobile Command unit. The unit experienced constant break downs and high maintenance costs



2009:

Total Cost for Washington County was less than \$1,000 (the cost for lettering). Purchased with Federal Homeland Security Grant. Total cost for the unit was \$150,461. Multi-use unit with radio communications for all agencies within Washington County and all surrounding jurisdictions. The Command unit has two rooms; one for radio communications and computer work stations and one for use by incident commanders or used to interview witness'/suspects. Is available for any jurisdiction including all Fire Departments and Blair Police Department.

