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Sheriff's Office Sniper/Rifle Range Completed

(Paulding County, GA) In the fall of 2014 the Paulding County Sheriff's Office opened its new training facility just off of West Memorial Drive on the old Bagby land in Dallas. The training center is located at 284 Dallas Industrial Drive Dallas, GA 30132. Throughout the course of that project there have been many phases, some of which are still ongoing.

Not being in the original design plans of the project, the sniper/rifle range was just part of the future plan with no completion date in sight. With the hard work and dedication of many Sheriff's Office employees and community partners, we were able to complete our sniper/rifle range just a few months ago. The sniper/rifle range consists of a tower that allows shooters to shoot at either a 100 or 200 yard target from the same location which is a very efficient way to train.

The below listed individuals and companies either donated their time, services, money, or gave us a discounted price for services rendered to build our sniper/rifle range:

- Carlton Rakestraw & Associates Surveyors/Planners (Design and Layout)
- David McKenzie and Chaplain Joey Meeks (Grading)
- Paulding County Department of Transportation (Grading and Road Work)
- Crook Drafting Services, Inc. (Sniper Tower Design)
- Ranburne Steel Fabrication (Sniper Tower Fabrication/Installation)
- Greystone Power (Monetary Donation)
- Pizza Shack (Monetary Donation)
- Martin General Contracting, Inc. (Concrete Work)
- Brundage and Bone (Concrete Pump Tuck)
- Dallas Metal Products, Inc. (Metal Roof for Sniper Tower)



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The Sheriff's Office wants to thank the aforementioned individuals/companies for their continued support of law enforcement in Paulding County. Sheriff Gary Gulledge stated, "Without the support of our community partners, we would never be able to do the job that we do everyday. In my opinion, Paulding County has the greatest community support in the State of Georgia. We are forever indebted to all of those who support us so diligently."

The Paulding County Sheriff's Office Training Center is charged with training all of the employees at the Sheriff's Office. We also host training for other agencies across metro-Atlanta as well. Unfortunately, the training center is not open to the public for use.

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