

Kenton County Police Department Reorganization

Need

The need to reorganize the Kenton County Police Department is to:

1. Establish an improved response to the opioid epidemic in Kenton County by increasing the awareness of available recovery services to overdose victims.

How

1. Establish a full-time Quick Response Team Police Officer (QRT) to provide law enforcement services to the addiction/recovery team. The QRT officer will report directly to the Chief of Police's Office.

Costs

Covered in full by BJA's COSSAP Grant 10/1/20 – 9/30/23

Budget Summary for three years

Salary	\$200,908.50
Fringe Benefits	\$205,695.90
Equipment	\$6,435.00
Total	\$413,039.40

Existing and/or Proposed Personnel

The proposed changes create one new full-time position in the Police Department. This position will be posted and advertised for internal and external candidates upon approval by the Fiscal Court.