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Intro:

Introduction Music and Video of Sheriff's Department Vehicles in action.

Interviewees introducing themselves:

Deputy Hernandez speaking:

Deputy Dario Hernandez, Riverside County Sheriffs, Patrol division.

Corporal Jackson speaking:

Corporal Geraldine Jackson, Riverside County Sheriffs-Corrections.

Deputy Pham speaking:

Deputy Tony Pham, Riverside County Sheriffs, Court Services.

Corporal Robertson speaking:

Corporal Brian Robertson, Riverside County Sheriffs, Gang Team.

MUSIC AND PICTURES INTERLUDE

Interview responses with the Deputies.

Chief Deputy Colleen Walker speaking:

Riverside County Sheriffs Department is... responsible for three different areas: the corrections, the courts, and to keep the peace in a patrol function.

there are [is] so much... opportunity ... because we are so large -- we have well over 4000 employees, we're the 4th largest department ...

Corporal Jackson speaking:

Most of the time we start in the old jail so you have the one on one inmate contact and start to establish your command presence.

Deputy Hernandez speaking:

It really teaches you how to talk to people.... Even people that get arrested, you gotta talk to them, they're people, too.

Corporal Robertson speaking:

I got hired I worked at the jails ...did that for a year and a half and then was reassigned to patrol.

Deputy Pham speaking:

That's how the department works, they are always trying to prepare us for the next step... Just came back from Iraq, serving my country and proud to do it, and you know now I am serving the community, too.



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Corporal Jackson speaking:

There's a lot of opportunity to promote...I was just recently promoted to corporal.

Coming from the outside you would never realize all the different things that go on inside.

Chow time ladies, chow time.

You get to meet a lot of different people and you see a lot of different things...you see all the good the bad and the ugly so it actually helps you to grow and understand people.

Corporal Robertson speaking:

There's some tagging down on these building over here.

Working a gang in on a day to day basis, its fun you're out and about you're not sitting behind a desk.

I really gain that critical knowledge when you're out here in the field actually doing it.

I've feel like I've grown as a person my confidence level has grown tremendously.

I thoroughly enjoy the people I work with, the people that have chosen to do this job, it's not something they fell into, it's a choice in their life. And they are people that are dedicated to... making life better for the people we serve.

Deputy Hernandez speaking:

You feel like part of the family. And that's crucial in this job.... you're putting your life at risk every day. You really have to know about the people you work with, you know, their families, we get together all the time.

Corporal Jackson speaking:

My son always asks me to come to his class and my son is very proud of the fact that I work at the sheriffs department.

Chief Deputy Colleen Walker speaking:

This is a career that you can be proud of. You're serving your community and you're giving back to society ...and you're being well compensated so it's a complete package and I can't imagine working anywhere else.

Deputy Hernandez speaking:

It's a great area to have a family in, there's a lot to do, riverside county is huge....so a lot of outdoors activities....and just great opportunities here.



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Corporal Jackson speaking:

It's a very diverse population here in riverside county. Whatever you're looking for its here.

Deputy Hernandez speaking:

Riverside County Sheriff's Department is a great department... You're job is challenging every day, and it's different every day. And if you're one of those people... that feels that you need that challenge, you need that sense of community... this is the place to be without a doubt.

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