

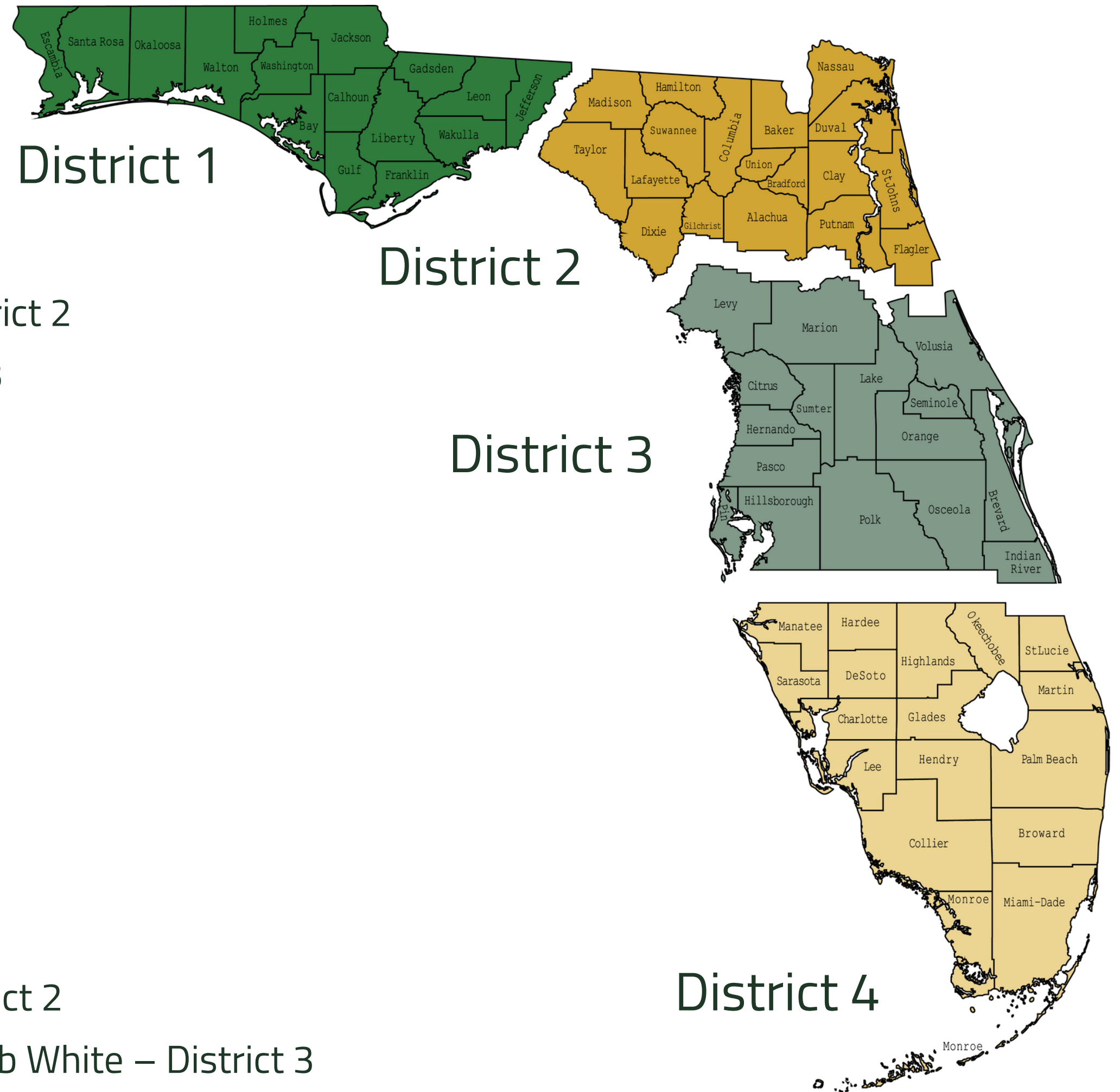


# 2024 Annual Report

Sheriff Billy Woods, President  
Keith Dean, Executive Director

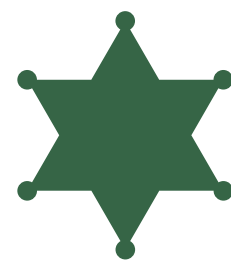
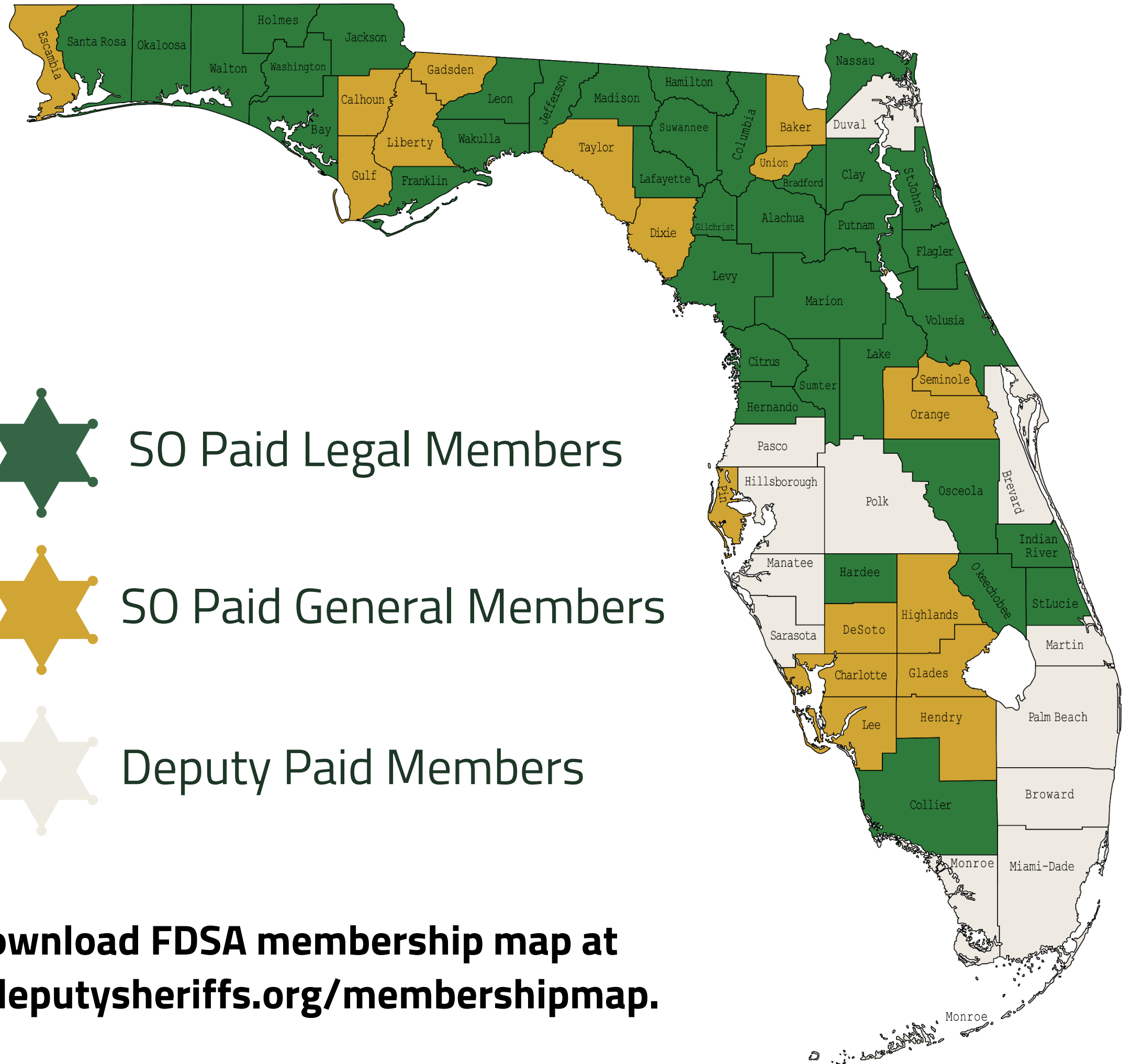


# Board of Directors District Map



- ★ Sheriff Billy Woods, President – District 3
- ★ Sheriff Gator DeLoach, Vice President – District 2
- ★ Sheriff Peyton Grinnell, Secretary – District 3
- ★ Chief Bobby Green, Treasurer – District 1
- ★ Sheriff Mike Adkinson – District 1
- ★ Lt. Eric Burke – District 4
- ★ Captain Elena Vitt – District 3
- ★ Colonel Brad Smith – District 2
- ★ Sgt. Donald Prichard – District 4
- ★ Major Wes Burch – District 1
- ★ Past President, Sheriff Rick Staly – District 2
- ★ Past President, Sheriff AJ Smith – District 1
- ★ Past President, Sheriff Gordon Smith – District 2
- ★ Past President Emeritus, Sheriff (Retired) Bob White – District 3

# 2024 Members



50 Paid Legal Members



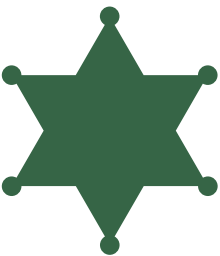
50 Paid General Members



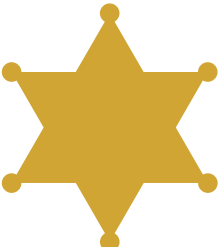
Deputy Paid Members

**Download FDSA membership map at  
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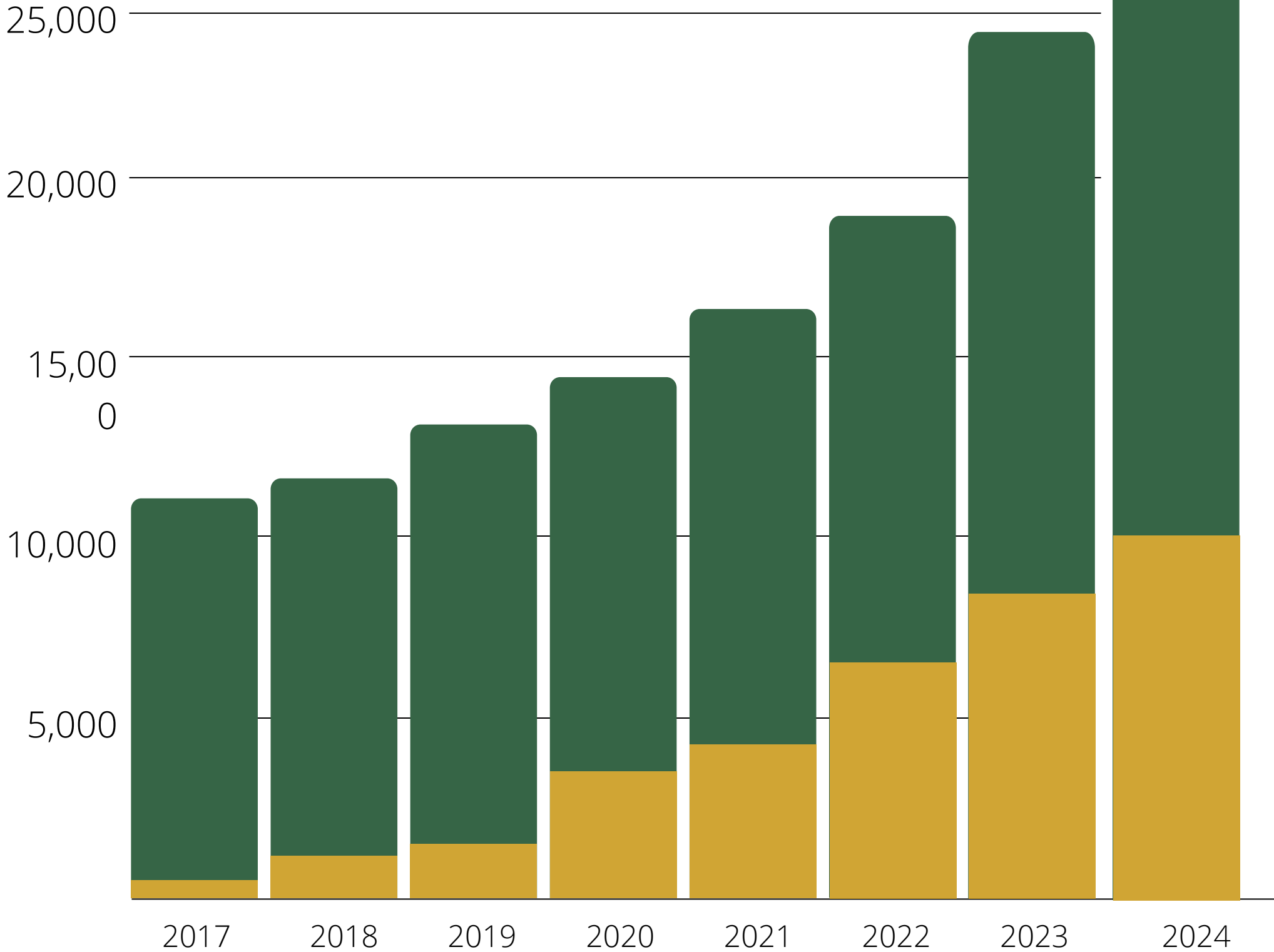
# Membership Growth 2017-2024



General Membership  
25,214



General + Legal Membership  
10,029



# Membership Growth

2024

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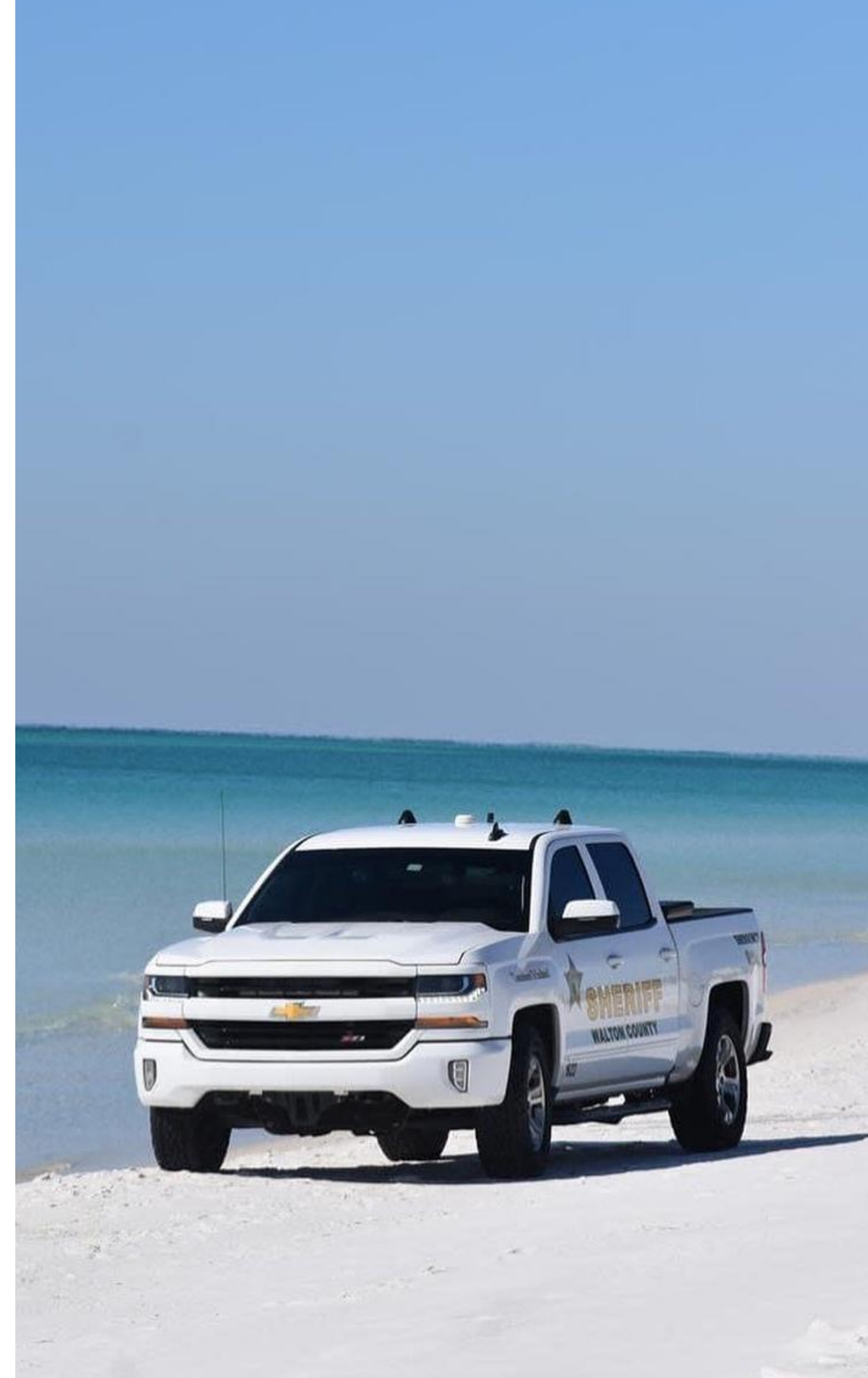
25,214

Deputy Sheriff Members

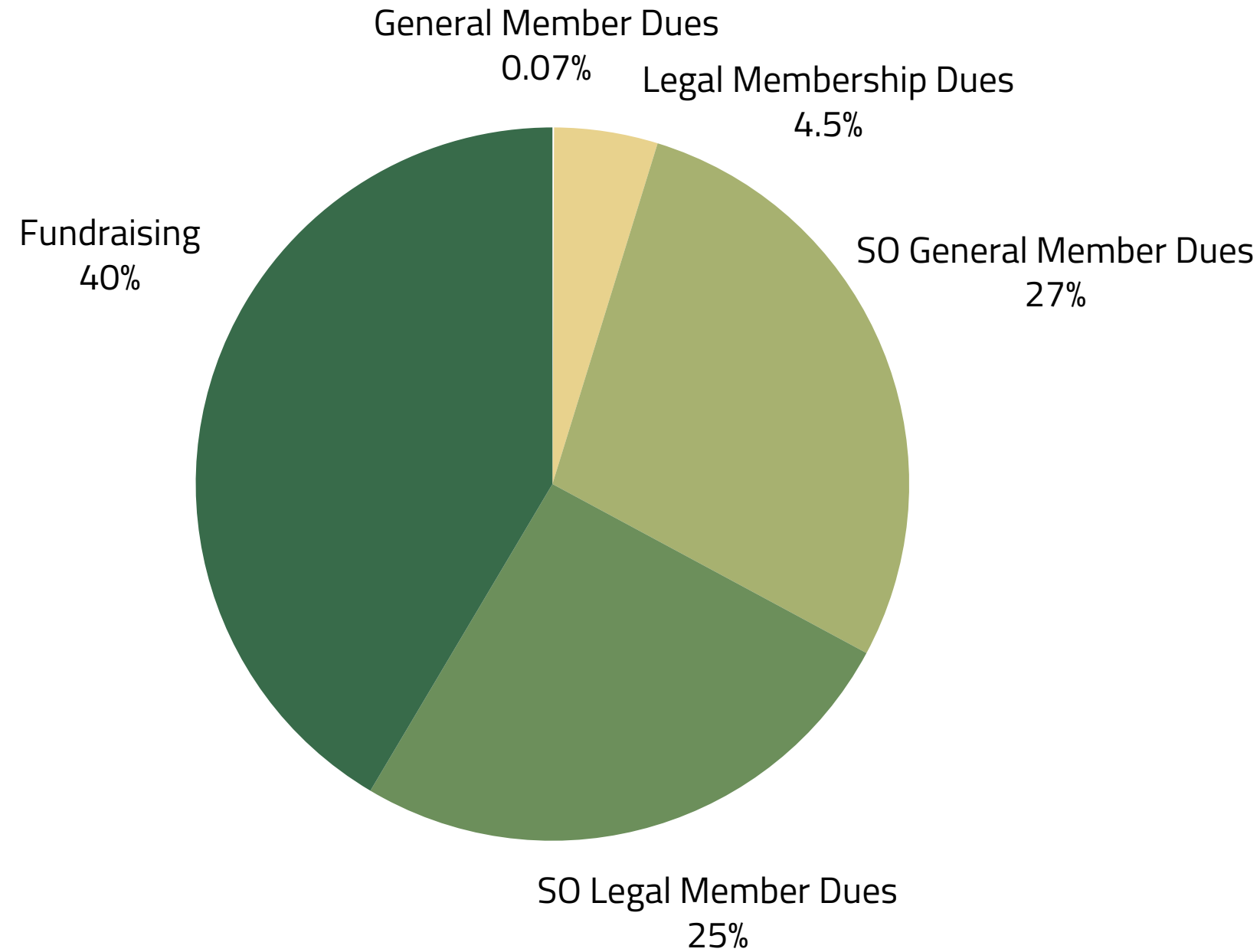
\$1,565,175

Membership Dues Revenue

+10% from last year

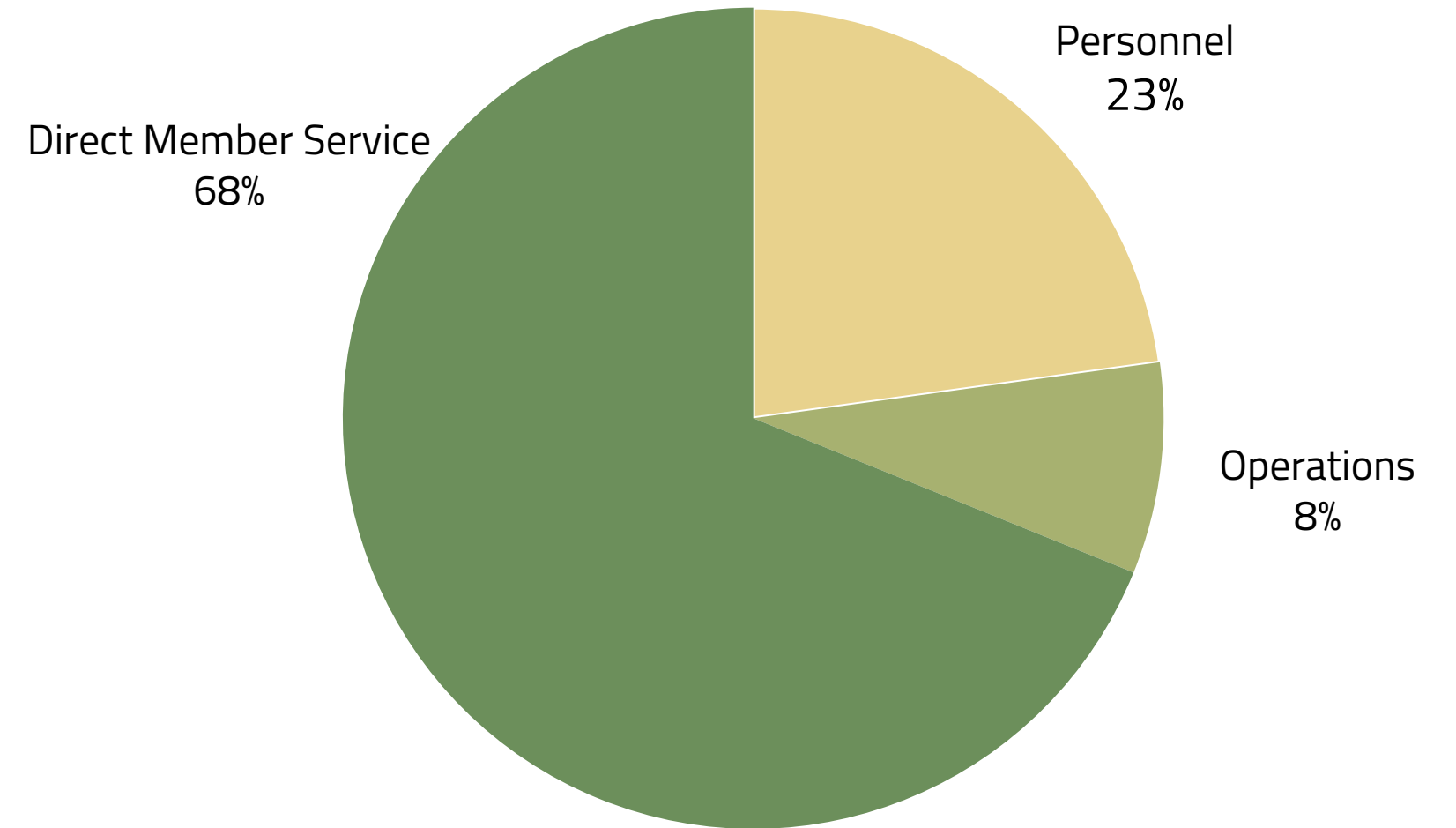


# 2024 Revenue & Expenditure Breakdown



**\$2,617,380**

**Revenue**  
(+56% from last period)



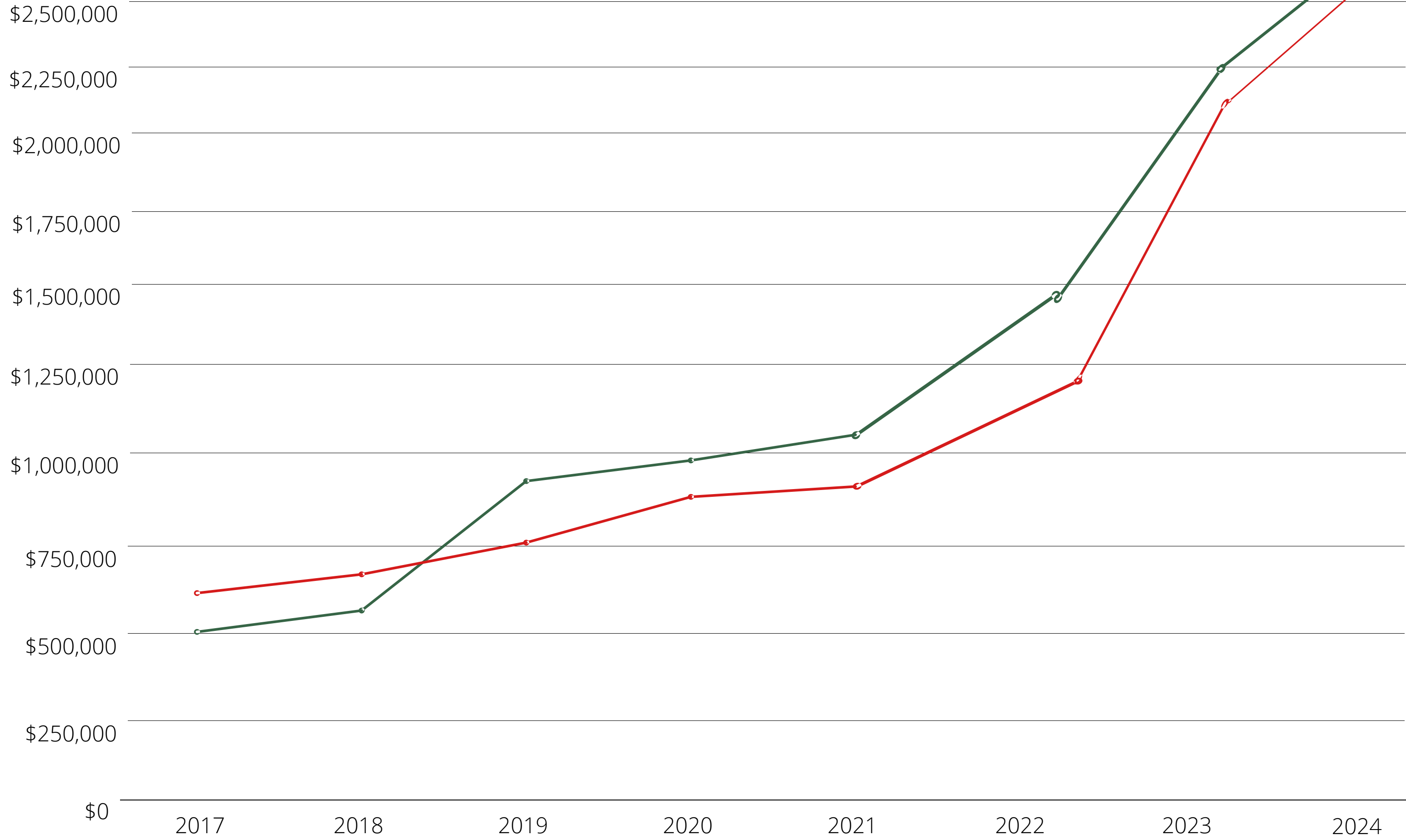
**\$2,537,314**

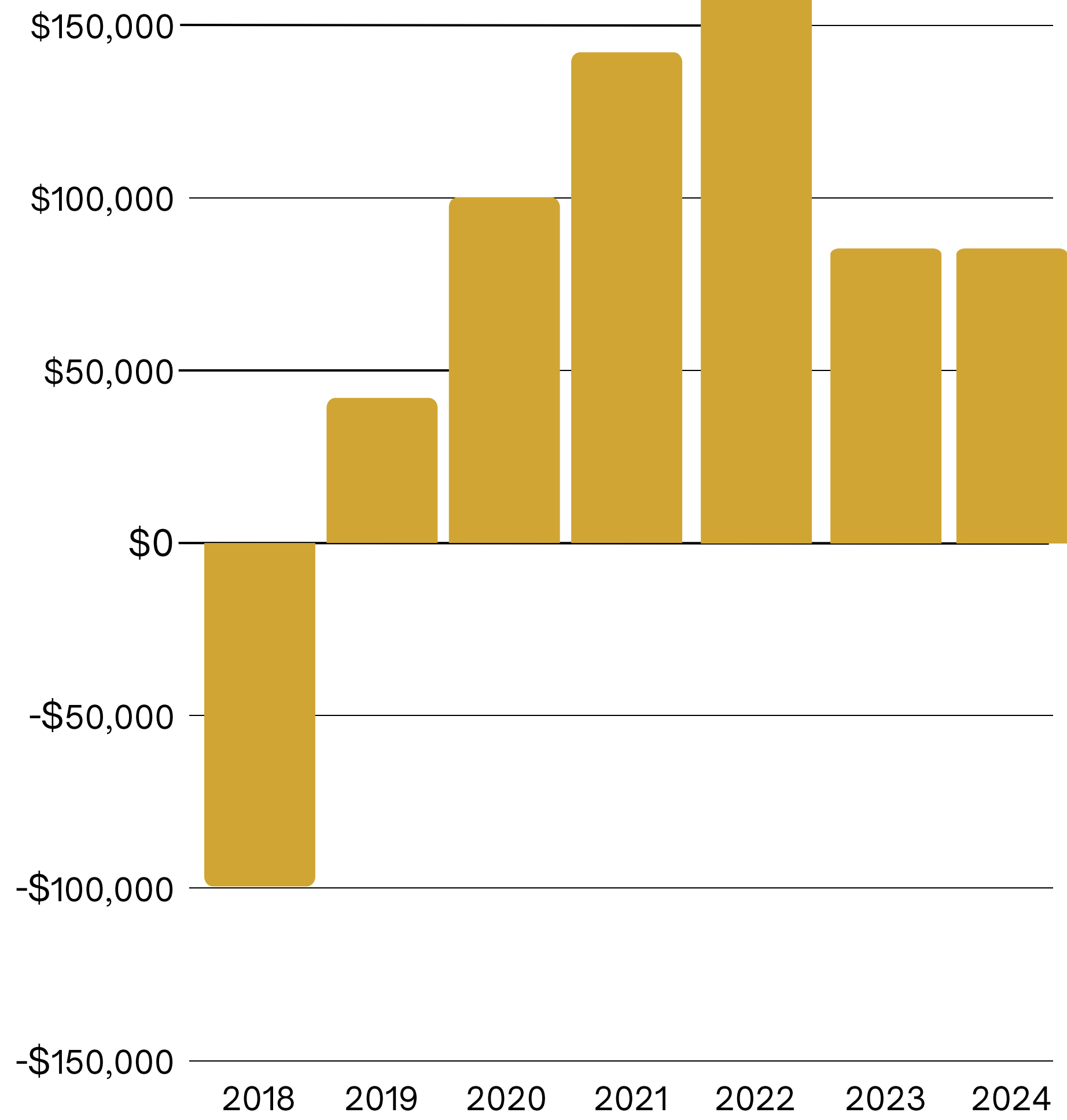
**Expenditures**  
(+56% from last period)

# Revenue and Expenditures 2017-2024

Revenue

Expenditures





# Net Income

2017-2024

**\$80,006**

2024 Net Income



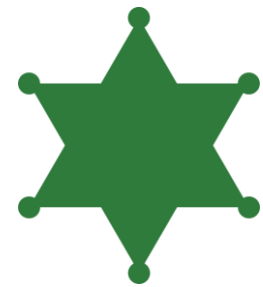
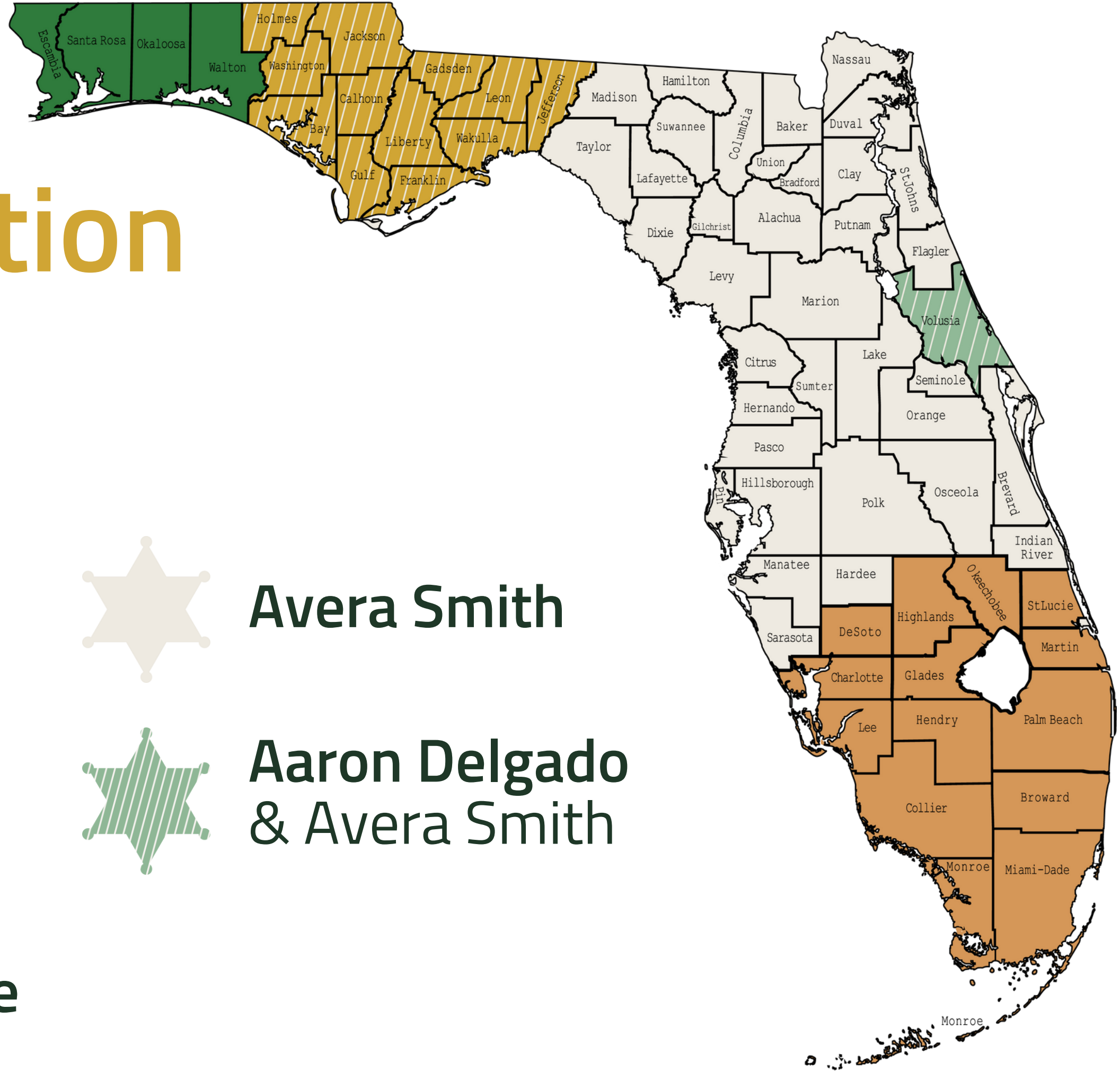
# Direct Member Benefits Payments 2024

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**\$1,746,619**

\$655,500	SO Funding – Apprentice Program
\$2,744	Sponsorships & Marketing
\$1,534	24/7 Call Center
\$35,676	Training & Seminar Expenses
\$29	GoFundMe Fees
\$18,404	Membership Processing & Supplies
\$384,248	AD&D Member Premium
\$13,118	ID Theft Protection Plan
\$158,126	On Duty Illness Benefit
\$367,354	Legal Benefit Expense
\$109,886	Lend A Hand Disbursements

# Legal Representation Coverage Map



**Ashley Herndon**



**Avera Smith**



**Ethan Way  
& Avera Smith**



**Aaron Delgado  
& Avera Smith**



**Gabrielle Radcliffe**



**Florida Deputy Sheriffs Association has given deputies and their families over \$7 million in their time of need.**



# Lend A Hand Disbursements Totaling \$110,000



Lend a Hand Fund Donations: \$147,000

## Medical Emergencies and Injuries

Assistance for deputies and families facing serious illnesses, injuries and accidents.

## Disaster Relief

Support for those affected by tornadoes, fires and other natural disasters.

## Financial Hardships

Aid for deputies and staff dealing with unexpected financial difficulties.

## Donations and Fundraisers

Contributions from GoFundMe, fundraisers and charitable organizations, with fees covered by FDSA.

# 2024 Claims Summary

**3** Claims paid totaling

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**\$164,155**


**1** On-Duty Illness

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**2** Off-Duty Accident

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**3** On-Duty Incident



**FDSA  
Legislative  
Agenda**

# Law Enforcement Apprenticeship Program

**\$675,000**

**Salary for Deputy Apprentices**



**Fund a statewide law enforcement apprenticeship program already certified by the Florida Department of Education to recruit, select, train, certify and retain Florida deputies who lack the funds to attend a certified law enforcement academy within the State.**

**This effort, while statewide, will focus primarily on fiscally constrained counties and areas of great need with a goal of building a viable workforce for law enforcement in the State of Florida.**

# Homes for Every Local Protector, Educator, and Responder (HELPER) Act

**The HELPER Act**  
 MAP OF FLORIDA SPONSORS AND CO-SPONSORS OF THE HOUSE BILL H.R. 3172 AND SENATE BILL S. 2981

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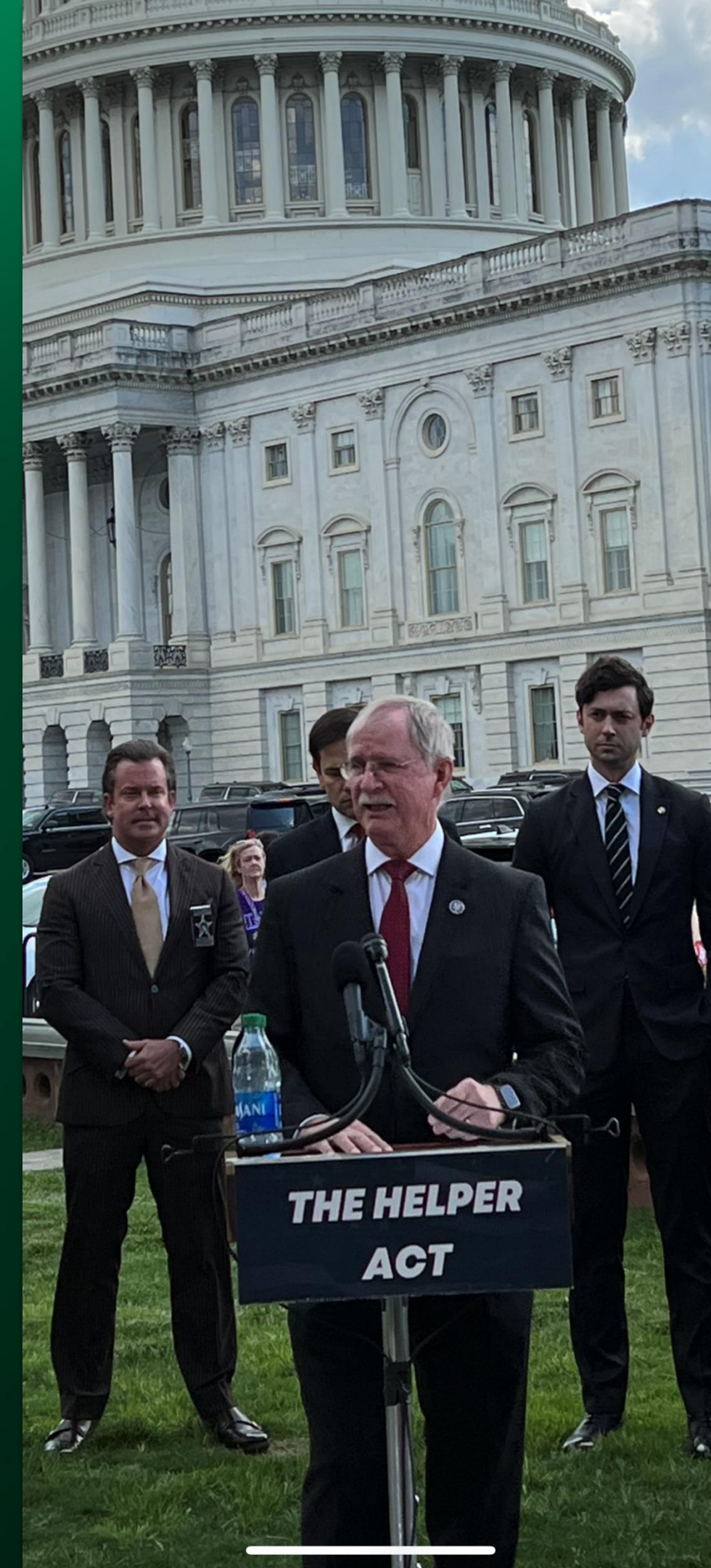
**LEADERS NEEDED AND THEIR DISTRICT**

1 – MATT GAETZ	12 – GUS BILIRAKIS	19 – BYRON DONALDS
7 – STEPHANIE MURPHY	14 – KATHY CASTOR	20 – SHEILA CHERFILUS-McCORMICK
8 – BILL POSEY	15 – SCOTT FRANKLIN	21 – LOIS FRANKEL
9 – DARREN SOTO	16 – VERN BUCHANAN	22 – THEODORE DEUTCH
10 – VAL DEMINGS	17 – GREGORY STEUBE	23 – DEBBIE WASSERMAN SCHULTZ
11 – DANIEL WEBSTER	18 – BRIAN MAST	24 – FREDERICA WILSON
		25 – MARIO DIAZ-BALART

**ALREADY SIGNED ON LEADERS IN RED AND BLUE**

**Red (Signed On):** John Rutherford (FL 1), Kat Cammack (FL 11), Michael Waltz (FL 11), Marco Rubio (FL 19), Rick Scott (FL 5), Neal Dunn (FL 11), Carlos Giménez (FL 11), Ma (FL 11).

**Blue (Signed On):** Al Lawson (FL 1), Charlie Crist (FL 1).



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May 19, 2021

The Honorable John H. Rutherford  
 U.S. House of Representatives  
 Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Alfred J. Lawson, Jr.  
 U.S. House of Representatives  
 Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative Rutherford and Lawson:

The Florida Sheriffs Association (FSA) strongly supports H.R. 3172, the "Homes for Every Local Protector, Educator, and Responder (HELPER) Act." This legislation will help law enforcement officers access affordable housing by creating a new home loan assistance program that makes homeownership more affordable by eliminating down payments and monthly mortgage insurance premiums.

Our law enforcement officers across Florida continue to face challenges in ensuring the safety of their communities. They continue to put their lives on the line and remain steadfast in their commitment to protect and serve. This legislation will ensure that our frontline officers are able to achieve homeownership in the communities they work so tirelessly to keep safe.

The Florida Sheriffs Association looks forward to the successful passage of this good legislation and greatly appreciates all of the hard work you have put into the creation of the HELPER Act.

Sincerely,

*Robert P. Schultz III*

Sheriff Bobby Schultz  
 President, Florida Sheriffs Association  
 Gilchrist County Sheriff's Office

**US CAPITAL**



A gold, ornate badge with a double border and a decorative, scalloped edge. The word "HIGHLIGHTS" is written in white, bold, uppercase letters in the center of the badge.

HIGHLIGHTS

# Highlights

+350

Deputies Trained

Across 22 sheriff's offices and 5 training summits

64

Legal Cases Handled

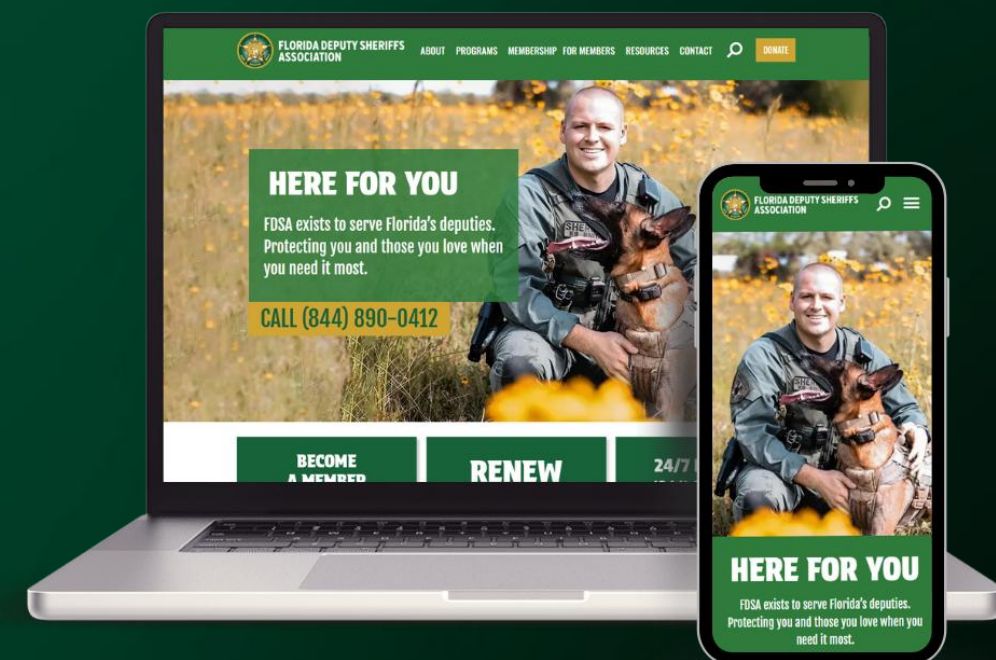
Cases include representation for Use of Force and IA

2.6 million

Social Media Reach

People reached across Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn.

Launched New Website



# Social Media Presence



22,240  
Followers



1,783  
Followers



792  
Followers



New Channel  
Launched



Florida Deputy Sheriffs Association  
October 3, 2024 · 🌐

Deputies don't just solve crime, they solve problems. ❤️

Florida Deputy Sheriffs Association  
October 13, 2024 · 🌐

Where would we be without them?



Florida Deputy Sheriffs Association  
November 8, 2024 · 🌐

Happy Friday!  
St. Johns County Sheriff's Office



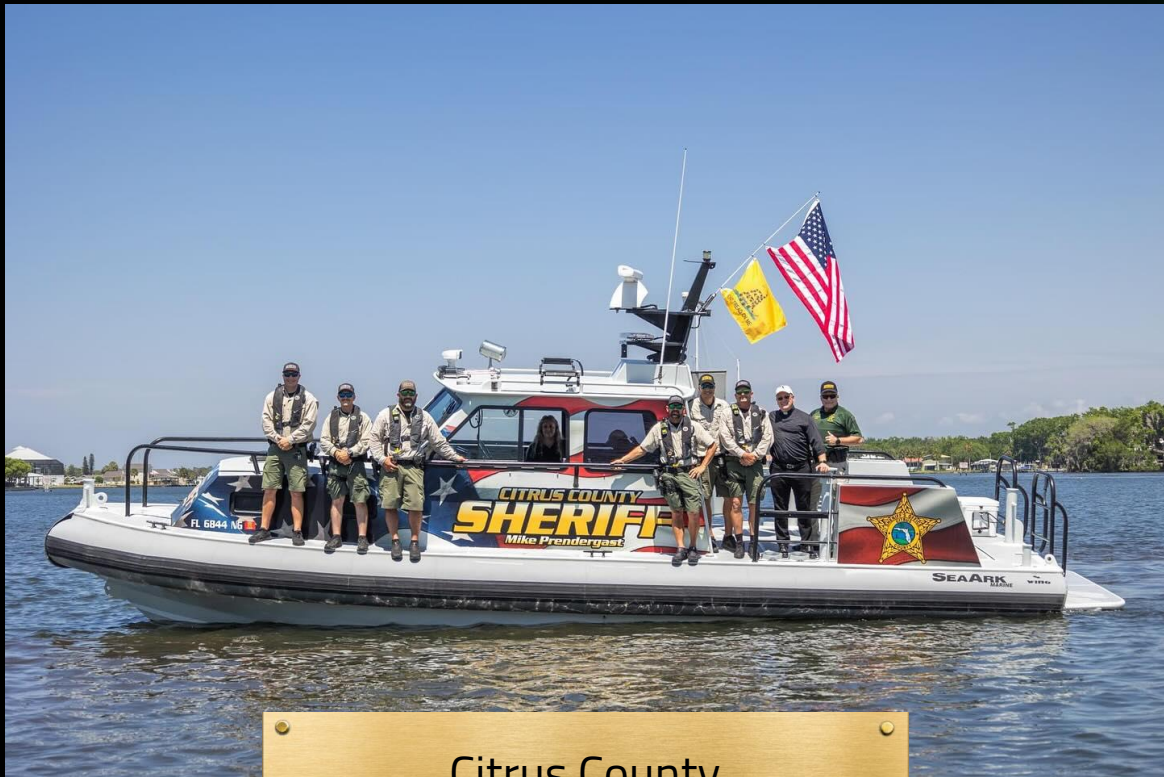
# DEPUTIES DOING GREAT THINGS!



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Sheriff's Office



Pinellas County  
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Citrus County  
Sheriff's Office



St. John's County  
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Camp Jackson County  
Sheriff's Office



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