

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DRUG TASK FORCE

1800 North Stephen Carr Memorial Blvd.
Fayetteville, Arkansas 72704

A G E N D A

For the meeting to be held on March 18, 2026, at 1:30 P.M., Fayetteville Police Department, Training/Community Room, 1800 North Stephen Carr Memorial Blvd. Fayetteville, AR

1. Roll Call of Control Group members.
2. Approval of minutes from the February 18, 2026, meeting.
3. Financial Report, Fiscal Officer Willie Newman.
4. Report of Task Force, Lieutenant Chris Moad.
5. Dispositions
DTF 25-445, Roderick Williams, forfeiture of \$5,413.00
6. Other Business
7. Public Comment. *
8. Set the next meeting's place, date, and time.

Location: **Springdale Administration Building, Community Room,
201 North Spring Ave. Springdale, AR.**

Time: **1:30 p.m.** Date: **April**
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9. Adjourn

Please check the Fayetteville City Calendar for any changes or updates.

****Public comment at a Fourth Judicial District Drug Task Force Control Board meeting shall be allowed for all members of the audience who have signed up prior to the beginning of the agenda item they wish to address. Speakers shall be limited to a maximum of five (5) minutes. The Fourth Judicial District Drug Task Force Control Board may allow a speaker additional time or may allow an unsigned-up person to speak by unanimous consent or majority vote.***

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CONTROL GROUP

CHAIRMAN:

Mr. Mike Reynolds, Chief of Police
Fayetteville Police Department
1800 N. Stephen Carr Memorial Blvd.
Fayetteville, AR 72704
(479) 587-3500

VICE-CHAIRMAN:

Mr. Jay Cantrell, Sheriff
Washington County Sheriff's Office
1155 Clydesdale Drive
Fayetteville, AR 72701
(479) 444-1850

MEMBERS:

Mr. Derek Wright, Chief of Police
Springdale Police Department
201 North Spring Avenue
Springdale, AR 72764
(479) 750-8128

Mr. Bryan Watts, Chief of Police
Elkins Police Department
1874 Stokenbury Rd,
Elkins, AR 72753
(479) 643-2600

PROJECT DIRECTOR:

Mr. Jason French, Captain
Fayetteville Police Department
1800 N. Stephen Carr Memorial Blvd.
Fayetteville, AR 72704
(479) 587-3500

OPERATIONS COORDINATOR:

Mr. Charles McIlroy, Sergeant
Fourth Judicial Drug Task Force
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FISCAL OFFICER:

Mr. Willie Newman
Fourth Judicial Drug Task Force
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(479) 587-3581

SECRETARY:

Ms. Cara Murdoch
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**MEETING
M I N U T E S**

The Fourth Judicial District Drug Task Force Control Board meeting was held on February 18, 2026.

Those present were:

Jason French, Captain- Fayetteville Police Department
Jay Cantrell, Sheriff- Washington County Sheriff's Office
Bryan Watts, Chief- Elkins Police Department
Derek Wright, Chief- Springdale Police Department
Chris Moad, Lieutenant - 4th Judicial Drug Task Force
William Newman, Fiscal Officer- 4th Judicial Drug Task Force
Cara Murdoch, Administrative Assistant, 4th Judicial Drug Task Force

Derek Hudson, Assistant Chief- Springdale Police Department
Sam Martin, Law Enforcement Legal Advisor- Washington County Sheriff's Office
Hannah Bell, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney- Washington County Prosecutor's Office

Guest:

Members of the public.

Captain Jason French called the meeting to order. Upon roll call, the above-listed members were acknowledged as present. Copies of the minutes from the January 14, 2026, meeting were distributed to all present. Sheriff Jay Cantrell made a motion, seconded by Chief Derek Wright, to accept the minutes as presented.

A copy of the financial report for Grant FY2025-2026 was distributed to all attendees for review, covering the period from July 1, 2025, to January 31, 2026. Fiscal Officer Willie Newman stated that the total expense to date was \$599,686.00, with Drug Crime Funding at \$152,944.00, Prosecutor Coordinator at \$182,205.00, Gulf Coast HIDTA at \$118,052.00, Local Drug Crime Funding at \$44,809.00, and the remaining \$101,676.00 being non-allowed.

Lieutenant Chris Moad reported on the task force's activity from January 1, 2026, through January 31, 2026, and a copy of the statistics was distributed to all present. The task force opened 32 cases in January, closed 19, and made 11 arrests. \$3,110.00 was expended for the purchase of evidence, and \$850.00 for the purchase of information. Drugs seized during the month included methamphetamine, marijuana, fentanyl, and pharmaceuticals. Moad said that 13 warrants were served. The task force seized \$0 in U.S. currency and 3 firearms during the month. The locations of DTF Enforcement Action for the month were Fayetteville, 20 cases; Springdale, 7 cases; Farmington, 1 case; West Fork, 2 cases; and Bentonville, 1 case. Also noted was 1 drug conviction for January.

Lieutenant Chris Moad reported on the following dispositions.

DTF 25-368 (State of Arkansas v Jarren Brown) was a Drug Task Force arrest, resulting in the seizure of

\$1,180.00 on September 22, 2025. \$354.00 went to the Washington County Prosecutor's Office Drug Control Fund. It is recommended that 15% of the net total of \$826.00 go to the Drug Task Force, and the remaining balance be based on current staffing (Fayetteville 37.5%, Springdale 37.5%, WCSO 12.5%, and Rural 12.5%).

Notes:

On September 22, 2025, detectives with the Drug Task Force contacted Brown during the execution of a search warrant. During a search, detectives located 5.4g of fentanyl, 2.4g of cocaine, half of an amphetamine pill, two digital scales, and \$1,180.00 US currency. Brown was arrested, and the contraband was seized.

Chief Derek Wright, seconded by Chief Bryan Watts, made a motion to approve this recommendation. The motion was unanimously approved.

OTHER BUSINESS

No other business was brought before the board.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments.

Captain Jason French requested a date and time for the next meeting. The next meeting will be on March 18, 2026, at 1:30 p.m., at the Fayetteville Police Department, Training/Community Room, 1800 North Stephen Carr Memorial Blvd., Fayetteville, Arkansas. The meeting was adjourned with a motion made by Sheriff Jay Cantrell, seconded by Bryan Watts.

The meeting was recorded.

Fourth Judicial District Drug Task Force

DTF FY2025-2026

For Period Ending February 28, 2026

<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Drug Crime Funding</u>	<u>Prosecutor Coordinator</u>	<u>Gulf Coast HIDTA</u>	<u>Local DCF</u>	<u>Non-Allowed</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Personnel - Fayetteville								
Secretary	-	8,297	-	27,701	(0)	35,999	51,917	15,918
Supervisor	51,017	28,482	6,781	0	0	86,280	138,392	52,113
Officers	50,344	41,142	21,377	-	2,299	115,163	174,218	59,055
Mandated Benefits	-	2,761	857	-	4,811	8,430	13,644	5,215
Employer Benefits	-	41,277	7,952	-	36,473	85,703	131,386	45,683
Total Personnel Fayetteville	101,361	121,960	36,968	27,701	43,584	331,574	509,558	177,983
Maintenance & Operations								
Fayetteville - M&O	-	-	5,600	-	24,159	29,759	60,306	30,546
Springdale - M&O	-	-	5,600	-	-	5,600	11,400	5,800
Washington County - M&O	-	2,376	5,600	-	419	8,395	13,400	5,005
Rural - M&O	-	-	5,600	-	-	5,600	8,400	2,800
Total Maintenance & Operations	-	2,376	22,400	-	24,578	49,354	93,506	44,152
Purch. Evidence/Purch. Info								
PEPI	-	-	45,830	-	-	45,830	73,400	27,570
Total PEPI	-	-	45,830	-	-	45,830	73,400	27,570
Travel and Training								
Travel and Training	-	-	-	-	7,716	7,716	8,976	1,260
Total Travel and Training	-	-	-	-	7,716	7,716	8,976	1,260
Contract Personnel								
Springdale	21,609	28,628	12,727	5,809	14,962	83,736	126,449	42,713
Washington County	25,883	31,659	8,341	6,958	5,120	77,961	145,914	67,953
Rural	20,823	30,649	7,940	5,598	16,382	81,393	125,529	44,136
Total Contract Personnel	68,315	90,937	29,008	18,365	36,465	243,089	397,892	154,803
Total All	169,676	215,273	134,206	46,066	112,343	677,564	1,083,331	405,767

**FOURTH JUDICIAL DRUG TASK FORCE
MONTHLY REPORT
GRANT 2025-2026
February 1, 2026 - February 28, 2026**

	<u>Month</u>	<u>YTD</u>		
I. Cases Opened	58	345		
	<u>Enforcement Action</u>			
Springdale	20			
Fayetteville	30			
West Fork	2			
Farmington	1			
Elkins	1			
Washington County	2			
Johnson	2			
II. Cases Closed	27	255		
III. Arrest Made	15	97		
IV. Community Meetings	1	6		
V. Purchase of Evidence	\$5,705.00	\$56,315.00		
VI. Purchase of Service	\$0.00	\$0.00		
VII. Purchase of Information	\$1,030.00	\$6,550.00		
VIII. Warrants Served	13	128		
Phone	8			
Location	1			
Deposit Box	1			
Residential	3			
IX. Total Drug Amounts				
Marijuana	4,344.33	gr : 21626.64	gr	
Methamphetamine (ice)	3,547.53	gr : 31848.61	gr	
Cocaine	21.71	gr : 313.45	gr	
Crack Cocaine		gr : 0.89	gr	
Heroin		gr : 4.03	gr	
LSD		du : 8.60	du	
Ecstasy		pills : 11.00	pills	
MDMA		gr : 10.73	gr	
Psilocybin Mushrooms	40.15	gr : 344.75	gr	
Fentanyl	0.63	gr : 76.24	gr	
Fentanyl	19	pills : 84.50	pills	
Prescription pills	113	du : 355.50	du	

Opiates

Of which

82 du : 168.00

du

Other:

X. Meth Labs

Lab

0 : 0

One Pot

0 : 0

Components

0 : 0

Dumpsite

0 : 0

XI. Firearms

Seized

2 : 58

XII. Assets Seized

Federal

\$0.00 : \$0.00

State

\$47,216.00 : \$90,494.00

Vehicle

0 : 0

XIII. Drug Trafficking Operations Disrupted

1 : 15

XIV. Convictions for the Month

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State of Arkansas Vs

Roderick Williams

DTF Case	# DTF	25-445	(FORFEITURE)	\$	5,413.00
Drug Director's Office					0.00
Prosecutor's Office					1,623.90
Balance to Task Force					<u>3,789.10</u>
Task Force					568.36
Remaining balance					<u><u>\$3,220.74</u></u>

Springdale	37.5%	1,207.77
Fayetteville	37.5%	1,207.77
Washington County	12.50%	402.60
Prairie Grove	12.5/10	40.26
Goshen	12.5/10	40.26
Farmington	12.5/10	40.26
West Fork	12.5/10	40.26
Greenland	12.5/10	40.26
Lincoln	12.5/10	40.26
Elkins	12.5/10	40.26
Elm Springs	12.5/10	40.26
Tontitown	12.5/10	40.26
Washington County	12.5/10	40.26
		<u><u>\$3,220.74</u></u>