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- Staffing
  - Continued need to recruit licensed law enforcement from outside the region
    - Housing and quality of life are primary obstacles
  - Turnover has declined within employee base
  - Staffing levels have been identified and stabilized
- Crime Statistics
  - Property crimes
  - Human trafficking
  - Traffic crimes
- Correctional Center
  - Challenges are growing
    - Lack of available beds (ACA cites 80% rule)
    - Lack of adequate isolation and specialty care beds
    - New complexities of criminal population
    - Prioritization of warrant execution based on space availability
  - Expansion of our facility
    - Current facility opened in with 112 beds
    - Expanded to 132 beds in 2013
    - Plans for another 108 beds to be added by 2018
      - Options for future expansion
    - Growing our infrastructure to the needs of the community
- Mental Health
  - Lack of services for mental/behavioral health impacts Corrections staff and Patrol Division staff
    - Mental health cases have increased year to year
      - 2013: 86 cases 2014: 103 cases 2015: 76 cases so far
    - Mentally ill are held in jail and transported out of the region
    - So far in 2015; 88 transport trips for 168 individuals
      - As many as 6 trips for individuals held outside the region
  - Solution is needed
    - Make mental health care profitable
      - Incentivize private companies and licensed professionals to come to our area

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- Williams County needs inpatient mental health service providers
- Williams County needs addiction and counseling service providers

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