

2009 Attorney General's Working Summit on Public Safety



**J. B. Van Hollen
Attorney General**

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Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin**

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Detective Anthony O'Neill
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Tony O'Neill began his law enforcement career in the United States Coast Guard in 1980 and after nine years of service was hired by the Marinette County Sheriff's Department. In 1997, he was promoted to Detective within the Investigative Division.

O'Neill has led or participated as an investigator in various high profile homicide cases throughout the years, including the recent Niagara Train Bridge Sniper Shootings involving Scott Johnson. He conducted interviews during the Teresa Halbach homicide, the Cha Vang homicide (Peshtigo Hunting Wildlife Area), and the Jennifer Wallace abduction homicide.

O'Neill holds certifications in the fields of Polygraph, Computer Forensics and Cell Phone Forensics. He is a past-president of the Wisconsin Polygraph Association and a current member of its Board of Directors. O'Neill is a member of the Marinette County Sexual Assault Center Advisory Committee and the Wisconsin Association of Homicide Investigators.

Assistant Attorney General David H. Perlman
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Dave Perlman teaches at a number of law enforcement training schools and conferences each year. As an Assistant Attorney General with the Training and Standards Bureau, he coordinates training programs for both police and prosecutors. His areas of expertise include constitutional law, use of force, open records and management liability.

Prior to joining the Department of Justice, Perlman served as an Assistant District Attorney in Chippewa County where he prosecuted cases in both adult and juvenile courts. He also has experience in criminal and municipal law as an attorney with a private law firm.

Perlman is the host and star of "Roll Call Law," a videotape training series for law enforcement officers produced by the Department of Justice.

An honors graduate of Northwestern University, Perlman received his law degree from the Indiana University Law School.

Tuesday, October 20

6:00 pm- **Registration and Welcoming Reception**
8:00 pm *Grand Ballroom Lobby*

Wednesday, October 21

7:30 am- **Registration**
8:30 am *Grand Ballroom Lobby*

Continental Breakfast/Displays
Conference Center I

8:30 am **Summit Opening**
Conference Center C,D,E,F,G,H

Gary Hamblin, Administrator
Division of Law Enforcement Services

Honor Guard
Sauk County Sheriff's Department

Bravest and Finest Memorial Pipe Band
Jim Donnell Dan Frei
Richard Hoege Bill Stebbins
Meghan Stern

Welcome
J.B. Van Hollen, Attorney General
State of Wisconsin

9:00 am **Digital Dangers:**
Sex Predators, Cyberbullies and Sexting
Conference Center C,D,E,F,G,H

Special Agent Eric Szatkowski, DCI
Officer Kelly Beckett, Madison PD
Officer Chanda Dolsen, Madison PD
Sergeant June Groehler, Madison PD
Det. Sgt. Todd Neilson, Marquette County Sheriff
Deputy Gary Skolarz, Marquette County Sheriff
Assistant Attorney General Dave Perlman, DOJ

10:00 am **Break** *Conference Center I*

Wednesday, October 21

10:15 am **Digital Dangers (continued)**
Conference Center C,D,E,F,G,H

12 noon **Luncheon** *Grand Ballroom*

1:30 pm **Public Record Law:
Records of Children and Juveniles**
Conference Center C,D,E,F,G,H

Mary Burke, Assistant Attorney General
Wisconsin Department of Justice

2:30 pm **Break** *Conference Center I*

2:45 pm **Breakout Sessions:
Crimes During Hard Times** (select one)

Scams and Frauds
Conference Center A

Todd Kossow, Assistant Director
Midwest Region, Federal Trade Commission
Lara Sutherlin, Assistant Attorney General
Wisconsin Department of Justice

ID Theft and Financial Crimes
Conference Center B

Dennis Drazkowski, Special Agent
DOJ Division of Criminal Investigation

**Domestic Violence: Strangulation
Investigations and Prosecutions**
Grand Ballroom

Winn Collins, District Attorney
Green Lake County
Maureen Funk, Social Worker
Gundersen Lutheran
Scott Lund, Police Chief
Combined Locks Police Department
Julie Schuppel, RN, SANE
Gundersen Lutheran

Assistant Attorney General Gary Freyberg
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Gary A. Freyberg joined the Wisconsin Department of Justice as an Assistant Attorney General in 2001. He investigates and prosecutes criminal activities statewide, including public corruption, violent crimes, and sexually violent person commitments.

From 1984-2001, Freyberg was a trial attorney for the Office of the Wisconsin State Public Defender, handling a wide variety of criminal, juvenile and commitment cases in numerous counties across Wisconsin.

Freyberg is a 1984 graduate of the University of Wisconsin Law School.

Special Agent Bradley Kust
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Bradley Kust is a Special Agent with the Special Assignments Bureau of the Division of Criminal Investigation. He was hired by DCI in January, 2001, and was previously assigned to the White Collar Crime Bureau and the Public Integrity Unit.

Kust spent 12-years as an officer with the Milwaukee Police Department prior to joining DCI. While with MPD, he served as a District Three Squad Officer, a member of the Tactical Enforcement Unit and a Detective assigned to the Homicide and Violent Crimes Units.

Kust has an Associate's Degree in Police Science from the Madison Area Technical College and a Bachelor of Science Degree in Journalism from the University of Wisconsin.

Colonel Arnold Daxe (Retired)
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Arnie Daxe works for the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) as manager of their Employing Combat Veterans as Law Enforcement Officers project. He is also the IACP liaison to the Civil Law Enforcement/Military Cooperation Committee section. Prior to joining the IACP, Daxe was the Senior Security Advisor for the World Bank Group in Washington, D.C.

A career officer in the United States Army Military Police, Daxe retired in 1992 at the rank of Colonel. His last position was Chief, Security, Military Traffic Management Command, Falls Church, Virginia during Gulf War I. He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College, the Army War College and the FBI National Academy. Daxe holds numerous military awards to include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star, the Parachutist Badge, the Expert Infantryman Badge, the Air Medal and two Army Commendation Medals for Heroism.

A member of the American Society of Industrial Security, Daxe has been a Certified Protection Professional (CPP) since 1993. He volunteered to work with the American Red Cross in the Military Advanced Treatment Center, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, which treats amputee patients from Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom.

A graduate of Boston University, Daxe earned a master's degree in Criminal Justice from John Jay College, City University of New York. He has taught criminal justice courses as an adjunct professor with the Northern Virginia Community College.

Wednesday, October 21

4:30 pm- **Reception**

6:00 pm *Grand Ballroom Lobby*

Thursday, October 22

7:00- **Buffet Breakfast**

8:30 am *Conference Center E,F,G,H*

8:30 am **Combat Veterans Returning
to Law Enforcement**

Grand Ballroom

Colonel Arnold Daxe (Ret.), Project Manager
International Association of Chiefs of Police

9:45 am **Break** *Grand Ballroom Lobby*

10:00 am **Lessons Learned:
Marinette County Riverbank Shootings**
Grand Ballroom

Gary Freyberg, Assistant Attorney General
Wisconsin Department of Justice
Bradley Kust, Special Agent
DOJ Division of Criminal Investigation
Anthony O'Neill, Detective
Marinette County Sheriff

11:30 am **Legal Update**
Grand Ballroom

Dave Perlman, Assistant Attorney General
DOJ Training and Standards Bureau

12:30 pm **Conference Closing**

J.B. Van Hollen
Attorney General
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John Byron ("J.B.") Van Hollen is Wisconsin's 43rd Attorney General. When taking office in January, 2007, he immediately went to work with the Governor and members of both parties in the Legislature to secure an unprecedented 31 positions to address the DNA backlog at the Wisconsin Crime Laboratories. With efficiencies and the cooperation of partner agencies, the State Crime Lab system is on track to eliminate the backlog by 2010.

As Wisconsin's "Top Cop," Van Hollen identified Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) as another priority vital to protecting Wisconsin's children from online predators. By raising awareness, he secured additional resources to educate parents and children, identify, stop, and prosecute these predators. Working in partnership with local law enforcement authorities, the Department offers education, resources, and its expertise in this fight for the safety of some of our most vulnerable victims: children.

Van Hollen has been clear that restoring integrity and fighting crime would define his work as Attorney General. A philosophy of first principles, limited government, and the Department's role as an "exist to assist" state agency has guided his tenure as Attorney General.

Van Hollen graduated from St. Olaf College in 1988 with an undergraduate degree in Political Science and Economics. He earned his law degree two years later from the University of Wisconsin Law School. Van Hollen has served the citizens of Wisconsin as an Assistant State Public Defender, district attorney in Ashland and Bayfield Counties, and as the United States Attorney for the Wisconsin's Western District.

Van Hollen served as Grand Master of Wisconsin's Grand Lodge of the Free and Accepted Masons, one of the most ambitious philanthropic organizations in the United States. He serves on the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association Board of Directors, an association committed to the legacy of America's Revolutionary War General and First President of the United States.

Police Chief Scott Lund
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Scott Lund began his law enforcement career in 1994 with the Village of Little Chute Police Department. That department later consolidated with Kimberly Police Department to form Fox Valley Metro Police Department. In 2003, Lund was hired by the Combined Locks Police Department as a Staff Sergeant. He was promoted to Lieutenant in 2007 and became Chief of Police on March 1, 2009.

Lund holds numerous law enforcement instructor certifications with the Law Enforcement Standards Board in Wisconsin. He has taught investigation of domestic violence, strangulation and stalking at Fox Valley Technical College. In 2005, Lund coordinated a multi-disciplinary training video on the investigation of strangulation. He is a member of Outagamie County's Domestic Violence Intervention Team and worked with the group that advocated for and helped pass 2007 Wisconsin Act 127 creating Wisconsin's strangulation statute.

Lund received a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from the UW-Eau Claire. He graduated from the 230th session of the FBI National Academy.

Julie Schuppel, RN
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Julie Schuppel has been an emergency department nurse for the past 28 years, serving as Coordinator of the SANE program at Gundersen Lutheran since the program inception in June 1999. She has worked on the issue of strangulation in domestic violence and sexual assault victims for the past decade. During that time, Schuppel has provided more than 100 strangulation presentations to law enforcement, probation and parole, medical care providers, advocates, judges, district attorneys, and emergency medical services providers.

In 2003, Schuppel published an article on "Strangulation Injuries" for the *Wisconsin Medical Journal*. She is an active member of the International Association of Forensic Nurses.

**District Attorney Winn Collins
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Winn Collins has served as the District Attorney of Green Lake County since March, 2007. He previously served as an Assistant District Attorney in Outagamie County where he specialized in crimes of domestic violence.

Collins is the president-elect of the Wisconsin District Attorneys Association and serves as a director for the Wisconsin Law Enforcement Officers Association. He was a member of the Workgroup on Domestic Violence and Firearms Surrender for the Governor's Council on Domestic Abuse. Collins has conducted trainings on domestic abuse for police academy recruits, active members of law enforcement, prosecutors, and probation agents. He coordinated the efforts of several statewide organizations during the development and enactment of the Strangulation Prevention Enforcement Act, later renamed Angie's Law.

Collins received his BA from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and his law degree from the University of Wisconsin Law School.

**Maureen Funk, Social Worker
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Maureen Funk has coordinated a hospital based domestic violence/sexual assault program since 1996. She has trained thousands of health care providers on how to identify, screen, document domestic abuse in the medical chart, and make an appropriate referral for follow-up and support. Funk also works closely with the SANE Program to identify and document strangulation injuries.

Funk is a Domestic Abuse Reduction Team (DART) advocate, partnering with La Crosse Police Department officers to make home visits to victims and perpetrators where there have been three or more domestic assaults in a one year time span. In 2008, she received a ChangeMaker award from the Wisconsin Coalition Against Sexual Assault (WCASA).

A graduate of Viterbo College, Funk is a certified social worker. She is a member of the La Crosse YWCA Board and is the current vice-president of WCASA.

**Special Agent Eric Szatkowski
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Eric Szatkowski has been a Special Agent with the Wisconsin Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI), since 1991. He is currently assigned to the state's Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force in Milwaukee. His law enforcement experience also includes murder-for-hire, cold-case homicides, death investigations, anti-government groups, fugitives, and narcotics enforcement.

Since 1999, Szatkowski has been apprehending sexual predators of children who use the Internet to seduce or exploit children. He has played a role in the arrest of more than 150 men, most of whom traveled to have sex with what they believed to be a child.

Szatkowski's work led to the drafting and passage of new legislation in Wisconsin in 2006, Assembly Bill 942. This law increased the levels of felonies for online child exploitation and increased maximum prison penalties. He often testifies as an expert in the online sexual exploitation of children, and has provided assistance to dozens of law enforcement agencies in this area of police work.

Before his law enforcement career, Szatkowski spent seven years in broadcast journalism. He received his bachelor's degree in mass communication from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

**Officer Kelly Beckett
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Officer Kelly Beckett is currently assigned to patrol in the East District for the City of Madison Police Department. She is a member of the Madison Police Technology Committee, the Madison Police Mentor Program and is also a Field Training Officer.

Prior to becoming a police officer in 2005, Beckett obtained master's degrees in Educational Psychology and Environmental Sciences, focusing specifically on how adolescents develop understanding of ecological relationships. She is interested in social networking sites, how they perpetuate risky behaviors, and how community education might mitigate some of these potentially criminal and dangerous acts.

Officer Chanda Dolsen
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Officer Chanda Dolsen is the State Street/Capitol Square Neighborhood Officer for the Madison Police Department. She joined the department in 2006 after serving eight years as an Indiana State Trooper, where she was a member of the Tactical Intervention Platoon, a field training officer, background investigator, emergency vehicle operations instructor and radar instructor.

Since joining the Madison Police Department, Officer Dolsen has worked in patrol services at the East and Central District. She is a member of the mentor program, the officer advisory committee, the internal admissions committee and is a central district gang liaison.

Dolsen has an associate's degree from Ball State University in Criminal Justice and is excited to take part in educating the public on evolving technology and how it affects our youth. As a concerned parent herself, Officer Dolsen recognizes the importance that proactive policing efforts can have on all our families.

Sergeant June Groehler
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June Groehler is a Sergeant for the Madison Police Department, currently assigned to the Professional Standards and Internal Affairs Unit. A computer instructor for Wisconsin Area Technical Colleges, Groehler has a degree in Public Administration. She has a background in technology, file and application development, email forensics, and basic data recovery and analysis.

Groehler directs a technology committee at the Madison Police Department. This committee works collectively with educators, parents and the community developing techniques to proactively address the conditions that lead to public safety issues regarding social networking, cell phones, and the Internet.

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Lara A. Sutherlin is an Assistant Attorney General in the Criminal Litigation, Antitrust & Consumer Protection Unit. She joined the Wisconsin Department of Justice in 2005 in the Civil Litigation Unit and moved to the Consumer Protection Unit in 2006.

Sutherlin received a B.A. in criminal justice with a minor in political science from Indiana University in 1992. She received her law degree from Northeastern University School of Law in 1999.

Following law school, Sutherlin clerked for U.S. District Court Judge Michael Melloy (currently a Judge for the Eighth Circuit U. S. Court of Appeals). After a two-year clerkship, Lara practiced employment and labor law for Pyle, Rome, Lichten and Erhenburg, PC and class action wage law for Shapiro Haber and Urmy LLP, both in Boston, Massachusetts.

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Dennis Drazkowski is a Special Agent for the Wisconsin Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation. He is assigned to the Wisconsin Statewide Information Center-Milwaukee office, with an emphasis on financial crime investigations. One of his responsibilities is coordinating the efforts of the Metro Milwaukee Fraud Investigators Group. Prior to this assignment, Drazkowski had been a 29-year member of the Milwaukee Police Department, retiring in 2001 as a Captain.

Drazkowski is a member of the International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators (IAFCI) and the Wisconsin Association of Fraud Investigators (WAFI). In 2005, he was awarded the Law Enforcement Member of the Year by the International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators.

Drazkowski has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Criminal Justice and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy and Northwestern University's School of Police Staff and Command.

Assistant Attorney General Mary E. Burke
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Mary E. Burke is an Assistant Attorney General in the State Programs, Administration, and Revenue Unit at the Wisconsin Department of Justice. Her current practice includes advice and client representation, especially on public records and human services issues.

Burke previously practiced in the Department's Criminal Appeals Unit, including three years as Unit Director, and as bond counsel at Ice Miller Donadio & Ryan, Indianapolis.

She is an honors graduate of the University of Wisconsin Law School and earned a Master's Degree in Public Policy Administration from the La Follette Institute of Public Affairs at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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Todd M. Kossow is the Assistant Director of the Federal Trade Commission's Midwest Region in Chicago. The Midwest Region primarily handles consumer protection matters and covering ten states including Wisconsin.

Kossow joined the FTC in 1998, and has served as the Midwest Region's Assistant Director since May, 2008. He has litigated consumer protection cases in federal district court against companies and individuals involved in fraudulent marketing and sales. He recently served as lead counsel in the Suntasia/Strategia Marketing case, a large negative option telemarketer that paid more than \$16 million to settle the Commission's deception claims.

Prior to joining the FTC, Kossow served for seven years as a law clerk to the Honorable Ilana Diamond Rovner, at the federal district court in Chicago and then on the U.S. Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit. He also spent three years in private practice working in the antitrust and trade regulation areas.

Kossow graduated from Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio, and received his law degree from Northwestern University School of Law, where he was a member of the Law Review.

Detective Sergeant Todd Neilson
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Todd Neilson is a Detective Sergeant with the Marquette County Sheriff's Department. He began his law enforcement career with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in 1991. In 1997, Neilson was hired by the Marquette County Sheriff's Department as a dispatcher/jailer and four years later became a patrol deputy.

In September of 2008, Neilson was promoted to Detective Sergeant. He is now involved in all aspects of fire, drug, homicide, child abuse and computer crime investigations.

The Marquette County Sheriff's Department is an affiliate of the Wisconsin Internet Crimes against Children Task Force and Neilson serves as the department contact. He has received training in computer crimes and digital evidence and has investigated numerous cases of sexting for the sheriff's department.

Deputy Gary Skolarz
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Gary Skolarz has been a Deputy Sheriff with Marquette County Sheriff's Department since May, 1987. He began his career as a jailer/dispatcher and was promoted to the Patrol Division in 1991. As a patrol deputy, he became Marquette County's first canine handler in 1996 and worked with his dog, Vicus, until the dog's retirement in 2002.

In 2005, Skolarz became the Police School Liaison Officer for the Westfield School District, serving about 1,350 students districtwide. Over the past four years, he has investigated sexting offenses and other electronic offenses committed by juveniles. Besides the criminal aspect of sexting offenses, it has become apparent that the victims of these acts can be devastated emotionally and socially.

Skolarz has used several social networking sites to gain information about juvenile activities. He is a member of the Wisconsin Juvenile Officer's Association and the Wisconsin DARE Officer's Association.

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Facility Layout

