

**KLAMATH COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
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Sheriff Skrah Indicted on Nine Criminal Counts

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The Klamath County Board of County Commissioners learned today that a Grand Jury returned an indictment alleging nine criminal charges against Sheriff Skrah, apparently related to the ongoing Department of Justice investigation.

“The board is paying close attention to these developments, public safety continues to be our highest priority” says Commissioner Morris. “Under Oregon law, the Sheriff is an independently-elected official, the County does not supervise the Sheriff, and he does not answer to us.”

“As to the substance of the charges, we cannot comment further at this time, and would refer any follow-up to the Department of Justice.”

“We would like to pass on our heartfelt best wishes to Sheriff Skrah and his family during this difficult time. The decisions they are facing must be daunting.”

