

TERRY L. MILLER
Executive Director West Virginia Regional Jail
And
Correctional Facility Authority

A native of Parkersburg, West Virginia, Terry Miller retired with the rank of Lieutenant from the Wood County Sheriff's Department after serving more than 27 years as a Deputy Sheriff.

Mr. Miller is married to Terasa Robertson Miller, formerly of Beckley, WV. They are homeowners in Kanawha County and reside in Charleston, WV with their two daughters, Teagan and Terynn and his son Jamie. He is the father of seven children and twelve grandchildren.

Mr. Miller was tapped in 2005 by Cabinet Secretary James W. Spears of the West Virginia Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety to assist in the reorganization and establishment of the Homeland Security State Administrative Agency in the Office of the Secretary. As Director of that agency, Mr. Miller was responsible for the oversight of more than \$27 million in Homeland Security Funds and other programs to ensure compliance with allowable uses of the funding as well as conformity with the West Virginia Homeland Security planning goals and strategies. Mr. Miller and his staff facilitated the coordination of the State Homeland Security grants, homeland security training and homeland security exercises, including but not limited to planning for the protection of the State's critical infrastructure and protection of the citizens of West Virginia against potential terrorist activities. He worked closely with state and local law enforcement agencies, as well as other first responders, state and local elected and appointed officials, and the eleven Regional Planning and Development Councils. He also served as the Acting Director of the State's Regional Response Program which is managed by the State Fire Marshall.

Mr. Miller was appointed Acting Executive Director of the West Virginia Regional Jail and Correctional Facility Authority on November 1, 2007 and was officially appointed the Executive Director of the authority on December 10, 2007. As Executive Director, he is responsible for the oversight of the State's ten regional jails, more than 1,030 employees and an annual budget of more than \$87 million.

Mr. Miller earned an Associate Degree in Law Enforcement from Parkersburg Community College and a Baccalaureate Degree in Law Enforcement and Corrections from West Virginia State College.

Mr. Miller is currently serving on his eighth year as President of the West Virginia Deputy Sheriff's Association. He is a board member of the Law Enforcement Training Subcommittee of the Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Corrections, and serves on the West Virginia Investment Management Board. He is

a former member of the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board, past Vice-President of the Parkersburg Fraternal Order of Police and past Vice President and past President of the Wood County Deputy Sheriff's Association.

Mr. Miller received the 1999 Presidential Citation and the 2001 Meritorious Service Award by the West Virginia Deputy Sheriff's Association and he was named the 1999 Law Enforcement Officer of the Year by the Blennerhassett Lodge #79 of the Fraternal Order of Police.

Mr. Miller is a veteran of the United States Air Force and is a Life Member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is a member of the Moose Lodge, the American Legion, and the Fraternal Order of the Eagles.