PIKES PEAK FIREARMS COALITION, INC.
PO BOX 76521
COLORADO SPRINGS CO 80970-6521

A well regulated Militia being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms shall not be infringed. --Amendment II, US Constitution

The right of no person to keep and bear arms in defense of his home, person and property, or in aid of the civil power when thereto legally summoned, shall be called to question; . . . --Article II, § 13, Colorado Constitution

The Voice for Firearm Rights in the Pikes Peak Region

VOLUME 24, ISSUE 7 JULY 2017

El Paso County Sheriff's Office Update

El Paso County Sheriff Bill Elder will be our speaker for the July 13th PPFC membership meeting. Sheriff Elder will be updating us on what is happening at the Sheriff's Office; especially, on the Concealed Handgun Permit program.

Bill Elder was raised in Colorado Springs, attended Russell Middle School, graduated from Palmer High School in 1975, and attended Pikes Peak Community College and the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs.

His law enforcement career started as a volunteer with the El Paso County Sheriff's Office in 1978. He was hired full time in January 1979, and graduated from the Colorado Springs Police Academy later that year. Bill spent the next 20 years serving under four different Sheriff's, holding assignments from Dispatcher, Deputy, Sergeant and Lieutenant. Along with many years as a Patrol deputy, he was assigned to the Investigations Division, managed the Communications Center, Civil and Fugitive Units. After his promotion to Lieutenant, he served as a Patrol Shift Commander. His last assignment was in the Metro Vice, Narcotics and Intelligence (Metro VNI) Division. As a Lieutenant and an acting Captain, he supervised one of the largest multi-jurisdictional drug task forces in the state of Colorado.

During his 20 year career with the El Paso County Sheriff's Office, he received numerous awards and commendations. He has also served on many boards and committees.

After leaving the Sheriff's Office, Bill obtained his Colorado Real Estate License. He built and ran a highly successful real estate business. In 2010, Bill joined the Fountain Police Department as the Commander of Police Operations and subsequently was appointed as Deputy Chief of Police, supervising all Law Enforcement functions for the agency.

Bill Elder was elected as the 28th Sheriff of El Paso County in November 2014.

(Continued on page 2)

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **July 13, 6:00PM: PPFC Board of Directors Meeting, VFW Post 4051**
- **July 13, 7:00PM: PPFC General Membership Meeting**
- **July 8-9: Prospector Sertoma Gun Show, Event Center at Rustic Hills, Palmer Park and Academy**
- **August 12-13: Gun Show, Event Center at Rustic Hills, Palmer Park and Academy**
- **Sep 10: Women on Target Clinic**

Patriot Club Members

- Rocky Mountain Roosters

PPFC Officers

President.....Scott Jackson
V President.....Kit Roupe
Secretary..... Debbie Kliche
Treasurer .....Bernie Herpin
Membership.....Paul Nigro
Programs .....Ellen Davis
Legislative..... Doug Davis
Publicity ..Elizabeth Hautman
Fund Raising ....Dick Gandolf
Chaplain .....Rich Hilton
Sgt-at-Arms..... Doug Davis
Gun Shows ..... Paul Nigro
PPFC PAC..... Larry Liston

Pikes Peak Firearms Coalition, Inc.
PO Box 76521
Colorado Springs CO 80970-6521
www.ppfc.org
info@ppfc.org

PRSRT STD
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
Colorado Springs, CO
PERMIT NO. 1061

Next Meeting: July 13, 2017
VFW post 4051, 430 E Pikes Peak

Win a Great Home Defense Firearm!

Home invaders just drew the short straw!

Small in size but huge on home defense capability, the Remington Model 870 Tac-14 delivers devastating, threat-stopping power to protect your home and family. Featuring legendary Model 870 reliability, a Raptor pistol grip, and Magpul M-Lock forend, it is powerful personal protection at its absolute shortest—and finest. The shortest allowable distance between powerless and prepared.

At our September 14, 2017 meeting, one lucky person will win a Remington Model 870 Tac-870 in 12 ga. Get your tickets on the PPFC website or at the PPFC meetings.

A PPFC member won the Ruger Mark IV pistol at the June meeting.

Show your PPFC Pride!!

Check out our new PPFC bumper and window stickers on the PPFC website! Get yours at the PPFC meetings or at the PPFC booth at the gun shows!

Because Liberty Isn't Going to Defend Itself
Pikes Peak Firearms Coalition

Stay Informed!

Check the PPFC website for info on upcoming PPFC events, gun shows, meetings, etc. Please check the expiration date of your membership above. **If expired, please renew** on line or mail a check to the above PPFC address: $30 Individual, $40 Family, $10 Active Duty Military/Student.