

## Smoking and Tobacco Use

### **1321.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE**

This policy establishes limitations on smoking and the use of tobacco products by members and others while on-duty or while in Montgomery County Sheriff's Office facilities or vehicles.

For the purpose of this policy, smoking and tobacco use includes, but is not limited to, any tobacco product, such as cigarettes, cigars, pipe tobacco, snuff, tobacco pouches and chewing tobacco.

### **1321.2 POLICY**

The Montgomery County Sheriff's Office recognizes that tobacco use is a health risk and can be offensive to other employees and to the public. Smoking and tobacco use also presents an unprofessional image for the Office and its members. Therefore smoking and tobacco use is prohibited by members and visitors in all office facilities, buildings and vehicles, and as further outlined in this policy.

### **1321.3 SMOKING AND TOBACCO USE**

It shall be the responsibility of each member to ensure that no person under his/her supervision smokes or uses any tobacco product inside county facilities and vehicles.