

History & Purpose

S.A.L.T. (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together) was formed in Brookings County in 1997. Its focus is to reduce the crimial victimization of elderly residents. This is accomplished through local efforts to develop, expand and implement effective crimepreventionmeasures and educational programs for older community members. S.A.L.T. members include representatives from the police and sheriff's departments, local senior organizations, service providers and other individuals interested in helping the elderly.

Who to Call

Brookings Law Enforcement

To Report A Crime 605-692-2113

Adult Services & Aging

Brookings County Sheriff's Office

. 605-696-8300

National Fraud Information Center

Provides Advice and Referrals on Telemarketing Fraud. 800-876-7060

Member Organizations

- Brookings Police Department
- Brookings County Sheriffs Department
- United Way & Volunteer Service Bank
- · Brookings Area Coalition on Aging
- Social Service Agencies
- Nursing Homes
- Assisted Living Facilities
- Home Health Care & Service Providers
- · Churches & Clergy
- Business Representatives
- Professionals
- Retirees & Senior Center
- RSVP

S.A.L.T. includes the above organizations but is not limited to these organizations. We invite anyone that is interested in crime, safety and well being issues related to seniors.





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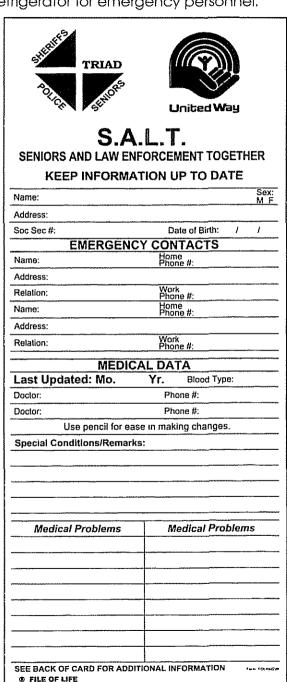


- Mission Statement :

Members are volunteers in a cooperative process. This is an advisory group, which focuses on crime, safety and well being issues related to seniors.

File for Life

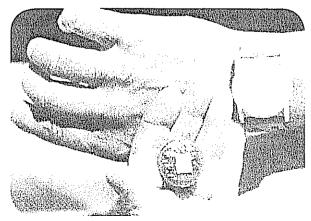
Contains personal medical information in magnetic sleeves to be placed on the refrigerator for emergency personnel.





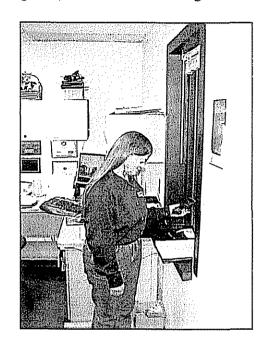
Project Lifesaver

Project Lifesaver provides for a radio transmitter, similar to an ordinary wrist-watch. to be worn by the taraeted family member. Upon notification to law enforcement that the person is missing, the trained officers respond to the area using special tracking devices that read the unique radio signal emitted from the transmitter 24 hours a day. Each transmitter has its own unique frequency allowing many transmitters to be issued to area residents at the same time. By homing in on the specific frequency assigned to the family, the time it takes to locate wandering adults and children have been reduced from hours and days to an average of less than 30 minutes. In addition to being used in law enforcement vehicles. transmitters can be used in helicopters and aircraft to cover large rural areas in a relatively short amount of time.



911 Cellular Phone Service

Provide cell phones to the elderly for emergency use when traveling.



Coffee with the Cops

A program to meet with elderly residents over coffee to discuss their current needs and concerns. We also do other presentations.

