

## **What we have accomplished?**

I am pleased to report that progress has been made in several areas as a result of the efforts made by the students and staff of the police department; to include:

- Recently the police department upgraded several key communications components within the emergency communications center.
- In preparation for the upcoming Fall semester, we have been successful in recruiting additional student employees so as to better meet the campus' needs.
- We have been testing several social networking capabilities in an effort to push even greater amounts of information out to our community.
- We have enhanced our response capabilities by working with Residence Life to expand the video monitoring project throughout more of the campus.
- We conducted the first test of the University's emergency alert notification system.
- We are continually working with other departments to coordinate the recent changes to FERPA and our own emergency notification procedures.

Many of these recent accomplishments serve as "first steps," and will require continued efforts in these areas.

## **What's next?**

Here are several of the projects that we have planned for the future:

- Expand our video based monitoring capabilities.
- Formalize the alert notification process, complete with text based components.
- Roll out a more comprehensive crime prevention program to our community.
- Endeavor to operate a modern day police department in a more sustainable manner.

For additional information contact the police department on the web at [www.uaf.edu/police](http://www.uaf.edu/police) or call 474-7721.