

WEBER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE		POLICY AND PROCEDURES	
SUBJECT: Firearms Control		CHAPTER/SECTION NO.: 48.7	
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48.7 Policy

- 48.7.1 **Court Buildings and Courtrooms:** Bailiffs, transportation officers and other uniformed officers will be allowed to carry weapons. See Court Security Plan, page 5 and District Court Administrative Order.
- 48.7.2 **Transporting Detainees to Court:** Officers transporting prisoners will secure firearms in provided lockers before taking prisoners from the vehicle into the holding area. Prisoners will be secure in holding cells before officers retrieve firearms from lockers. See P&P 47.11; 47.12.1.
- 48.7.3 **Elevators and Cell Entry:** Firearms will be secured when transporting prisoners on elevators to court holding cells, and before entering a holding cell to interact with persons in custody. See Judicial Services Policy 3-7.00, Inmate Security.
- 48.7.4 **Sheriff's Complex, Patrol and Investigations Section Offices:** The Sheriff's Complex does not contain a holding facility, but maintains four(4) short term, temporary detention cells and two (2) interview rooms.
- A. Detainees must be under continual supervision and control.
 - B. Particular caution will be taken by deputies regarding maintaining the security of their firearm when handling a detainee during interviews or other investigation activities.

- C. Deputies should consider securing their firearm in a vehicle trunk or locked drawer when appropriate. See P&P 48.21-23