7-02/060.15 Confiscation of Contraband Property

Illegal articles such as weapons, unauthorized drugs, money, and cigarettes should be confiscated immediately and a supervisor notified. The confiscation of other items (such as clothing, etc.) is discretionary matter, and depends on whether the inmate's continued possession of these articles causes problems or jeopardizes safety or security. Another consideration is the disposition of the confiscated articles. Articles which the inmate is allowed to possess within the jail should be returned to the inmate upon his re-entry into the jail. All money must be deposited to the inmate's account at the Inmate Reception Center.