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Megan Perkins Promoted to District 8 Assistant Supervisor

FRANKFORT, Ky. (Sept. 10, 2019) – Kentucky Department of Corrections Division of Probation and Parole Director Erica Hargis announced today the promotion of Megan Perkins to assistant supervisor in District 8. District 8 covers Bath, Breathitt, Clark, Estill, Lee, Madison, Menifee, Montgomery, Owsley, Powell, Rowan and Wolfe counties.

“Megan Perkins has a great deal of Corrections experience and a proven record of adaptability and dedication,” said Hargis. “She has served in various roles for the department which has provided a great foundation for her promotion. I know she will be a true asset to our leadership team.”

Perkins began her career with the Department of Corrections in 2011 as a correctional officer at Blackburn Correctional Complex. While at Blackburn, Perkins served as a field training officer and Corrections Emergency Response Team (CERT) member. In 2014, Perkins was promoted to correctional sergeant.

In 2015, Perkins moved to the Division of Probation and Parole as an officer in District 8. During her career as a probation and parole officer, Perkins has supervised a caseload in Estill County consisting of clients on parole, mandatory reentry supervision, and felony and misdemeanor probation. She also serves as a backup to the class D and home incarceration program officer. Additionally, Perkins is currently a field training officer, fentanyl responder and PREA investigator in District 8.

Perkins obtained a bachelor’s degree in criminal justice from Lindsey Wilson College in 2010. Earlier this month she received the 2019 Achievement Award for District 8 at the department’s annual awards luncheon.

Editor’s note: photo attached

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