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Media Advisory: ACSO and GPD to Host SW Community Meeting

The Alachua County Sheriff's Office, in conjunction with the Gainesville Police Department, will host a joint Community Meeting tomorrow, March 22, 2016, at the Power House Family Worship Center located at 7600 SW 24th Ave, Gainesville, FL. The meeting will be held from 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM and is open to the public.

The meeting is being held to give the community an opportunity to interact with law enforcement representatives of both agencies, and to discuss concerns or to have questions answered regarding last night's officer involved shooting.

Both Alachua County Sheriff, Sadie Darnell, and Gainesville Police Chief, Tony Jones, will be in attendance. The meeting will also be facilitated by various community leaders and civic organizations to include Evelyn Foxx, Karl Anderson, Rosa Williams, representatives from the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), the Gainesville Ministerial Alliance, the State Attorney's Office, the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE), and representatives of the Alachua County Black on Black Crime Task Force.

Sheriff Darnell and Chief Jones invite and encourage any member of the community to attend.

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