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FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Operation 'Hallowed Streets' Delivers Results

While families across Flagler County were preparing for Halloween, the Flagler County Sheriff's Office (FCSO), in conjunction with the Florida Sheriffs Task Force, participated in a state-wide law enforcement operation referred to as "Hallowed Streets."

The main objective of the operation was to verify the listed addresses for all registered sex offenders and predators, identify those not in compliance and take appropriate action. Deputies visited the homes of 112 registered offenders. Three registered sex offenders in Flagler County are currently in the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility also known as the Green Roof Inn.

Operation 'Hallowed Streets' was conducted over a 3-day period from October 29th – October 31st. During this time, FCSO made contact with 83 sex offenders and found 7 to be in violation of the terms of their probation. Detectives will review all violations and file charges accordingly.

"We take the protection of our residents very seriously," Sheriff Rick Staly said. "The restrictions placed on sex offenders are to be followed all the time by these offenders. Seven offenders were found to be in violation of their probation. The key to these operations is presence, enforcement and public education to create a safe environment for our citizens."

Twenty-nine additional registered sex offenders visited during the three-day operation were not home during the unscheduled visits. Deputies will visit these twenty-nine individuals over the next few days to verify compliance.

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