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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **FCSO Deputy Steve Williams Elected Vice President of Florida Agricultural Crimes Intelligence Unit**

The Flagler County Sheriff's Office (FCSO) wants to congratulate Deputy Steve Williams on being elected as the Vice President for the Florida Agricultural Crimes Intelligence Unit (FACIU).



*Pictured Above: Deputy Steve Williams (LEFT) and Sheriff Rick Staly (RIGHT)*

The mission of the FACIU is to promote and facilitate the exchange of agricultural related intelligence to law enforcement officers specializing in agriculture crime investigations in the State of Florida. The FACIU is comprised of 37 counties throughout Florida who meet monthly to discuss agricultural crime trends and share intelligence.

"Congratulations Deputy Williams," Sheriff Rick Staly said. "This is another example of how our deputies go above and beyond to serve this community and is a great honor for our agency. His

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passion for agriculture is inspiring and I know that he will serve well as the FACIU Vice President.”

Deputy Williams began serving on FACIU in 2004. He began his law enforcement career with FCSO in 2006. He holds a Graduate Certificate in Agricultural and Life Sciences from the University of Florida and is the only Certified Agriculture Expert at the Flagler County Sheriff’s Office. Currently Deputy Williams serves on the FCSO Agricultural Unit and works closely with the FCSO Marine Unit and Florida Fish and Wildlife.

Deputy Williams will serve as the Vice President of the FACIU until May of 2020.

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