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1st Ever NNSO Promotion Ceremony

A 'Thank You' goes a long way. Sheriff Gabe Morgan is showing his appreciation in a grand way. Several staff members are being promoted for their superb job performance and their demonstrated ability to perform at the next level of leadership. Eleven newly promoted deputies are being handed additional responsibilities. It is a sign of confidence the boss has in their abilities. Sheriff Morgan wants to salute his people with their much deserved public fanfare.

For the first time in the modern history of the Newport News Sheriff's Office, there will be a Promotion Ceremony. The ceremony will be held Friday, February 24, at 5:15pm at City Hall's Council Chambers.

Commonwealth Attorney General Bob McDonnell will be the Guest Speaker

Newport News Mayor, Joe Frank, is also scheduled to speak. Sheriff Morgan says, "It is a great day for the men and women of the Sheriff's office to have both the support of the Attorney General and the Mayor of our City."

WHAT: 1st Ever Promotion Ceremony for the NN Sheriff's Office
WHEN: Friday, Feb. 24. 5:15 PM.
WHERE: Newport News City Hall; Council Chambers
2400 Washington Avenue
WHO: Recognizing Ten Individual Promotions and "Deputy of the Year, 2005"

Reception to follow immediately.

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