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PUTNAM COUNTY, TN - Command Staff Promotions and Assignments

Sheriff Eddie Farris is proud to announce the following promotions and assignments for the Putnam County Sheriff's Department effective Monday, September 1, 2014.

Major Terry Hembree - Criminal Investigations - 31 years of law enforcement experience & FBI National Academy Graduate

Major Greg Whittaker - Special Operations - 23 years of law enforcement experience

Major Patrick Storie - Field Operations - 21 years of law enforcement experience

Jail Administrator Timothy Nash - 10 years of military and law enforcement experience

Lieutenant Jimmy Eldridge - Patrol - 36 years of law enforcement experience

Sergeant Ryan Acuff - Patrol - 16 years of law enforcement experience

Sergeant Eric Hall - Patrol - 20 years of law enforcement experience

Sergeant Tony Branch - Patrol - 13 years of law enforcement experience

Sergeant Brandon Masters - Patrol - 12 years of law enforcement experience

“I am proud of the exemplary team of law enforcement professionals we have assembled to lead the Putnam County Sheriff's Department,” said Eddie Farris, Sheriff of Putnam County, “and I am confident that the citizens who have placed their trust in me will see a positive impact in their community as we begin to fulfill our new mission and vision for the department. We are committed to working diligently every day to earn the public's trust.”

The Putnam County Sheriff's Department is committed to providing law enforcement protection for the citizens of Putnam County and conducting our affairs in a way that will grow respect and trust among the citizens of Putnam County. The men and women of the Putnam County Sheriff's Department are committed to the protection of life and property among the citizens of the county, and are committed to providing law enforcement, corrections, and criminal justice services through a partnership with the community that builds trust, reduces crime, creates a safe environment, and enhances the quality of life.

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