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HENDERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Hendersonville – The Henderson County Sheriff's Office will be conducting four Town Hall Meetings over the next two weeks. These Town Hall Meetings will be lead by Deputy Jason Cordell, Traffic Officer with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office, and are designed to educate the citizens of Henderson County about traffic statistics, trends and safe driving habits.

The Sheriff's Office received a grant for the North Carolina Governor's Highway Safety Program at the beginning of 2007. This grant covers the cost of one deputy specifically tasked with traffic enforcement and education. "We at the Sheriff's Office believe that the education component is just as important as the enforcement component" says Sheriff Rick Davis. "An educated driving force is a safer driving force." Deputy Cordell has been serving in the capacity as Traffic Officer since February 12, 2007.

Following is a list of locations and times for the Town Hall Meeting scheduled throughout the county.

May 9, 2007
Main Branch, Henderson County Public Library
6:30pm

May 10, 2007
Mills River Town Hall
7:00pm

May 14, 2007
Fletcher Town Hall
7:00pm

May 15, 2007
Gerton Community Center
6:30pm

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