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## Leon County Sheriff's Office and Deputies Finalize Collective Bargaining Agreement

The Leon County Sheriff's Office and the Leon County Deputies Chapter of the Florida Police Benevolent Association are pleased to announce a bargaining agreement, beneficial to Leon County Sheriff's Office deputies, as well as the agency.

As part of the new contract, a competitive salary plan is established with a new minimum of \$50,000 for all sworn members of the agency.

"Our employees are our top priority, and their well-being is essential to providing quality service to the citizens of Leon County," said Sheriff Walt McNeil.

PBA President Javier Vides stated, "We want to thank the Sheriff and his negotiations team for forming a mutually beneficial working relationship. Our purpose is to assist the Sheriff in delivering the highest quality of law enforcement to the citizens of Leon County. We look forward to working with the Sheriff in the future."

The Leon County Sheriff's Office and the Leon County Deputies Chapter of the Florida Police Benevolent Association will continue to work together to support the deputies as they carry on the vital mission of law enforcement in Leon County.

This three-year agreement will take effect on October 1, 2022.