



## News Release

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Washington County Sheriff Tim Helder is pleased to announce the recent graduation of Lieutenant J. Scott **YOUNG** from a prestigious law enforcement training school.

Lieutenant J. Scott **YOUNG**, a fifteen (15) year veteran of the Washington County Sheriff's Office and lieutenant over the Enforcement Division, recently graduated from the School of Police Staff and Command at Northwestern University. Lieutenant **YOUNG** attended the ten (10) week Staff and Command program in Nashville, Tennessee from October 5 – December 18, 2009. He is the third officer from the Washington County Sheriff's Office to attend the school.

The School of Police Staff and Command provides upper-level college instruction in a total of twenty-two (22) core or mandatory blocks of instruction and utilizes nine additional optional blocks of instruction during each session. The major topics of study include: Management and Management Theory, Organizational Behavior, Human Resources for Law Enforcement, Budgeting, Staffing Allocation and Personnel Deployment.

Each student is academically challenged through a total of eighteen written examinations, projects and quizzes, in addition to two research papers that are a required part of the curriculum. Upon successful completion, students may be awarded a total of 8 units of undergraduate credit from Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois.

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Currently, over 750 graduates hold the title of Chief of Police and 39 of the 50 Directors of State Police agencies are also graduates of this program. The Washington County Sheriff's Office anticipates a variety of benefits from Lieutenant **YOUNG** attending this program.

Photograph is available upon request or via the Washington County Sheriff's Office website.

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