MEDIA ADVISORY
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Chatham County Police Department to Sign Memorandum of Understanding with Fraternity Chapter
Part of Fraternity Initiative to Strengthen Relationships Between Law Enforcement and the African-American Community

Chatham County, GA (February 8, 2021) – Chatham County Police Chief Jeff Hadley and representatives of Phi Beta Sigma Incorporated's Tau Beta Sigma Chapter will sign a memorandum of understanding (MOU) on Tuesday, February 9, 2021.

The MOU is part of an initiative by Phi Beta Sigma Incorporated's Tau Beta Sigma Chapter to strengthen relationships between law enforcement and the African-American community. Several Chatham County Police Department officers are members of the fraternity, and approached the department with the idea of hosting a series of programs and events that are outlined in the MOU. The ultimate goal of the partnership is to foster a stronger and safer community.

Phi Beta Sigma was founded in 1914 by three African-American men at Howard University, and now boasts thousands of members around the United States – including roughly 70 members in the Chatham County area.

Event Details:
Date: Tuesday, February 9, 2021
Time 1:00 p.m.
Place: CCPD Headquarters located at 295 Police Memorial Drive, Savannah Ga 31405

In the event of rain, the event will take place indoors. Members of the media will be required to socially distance and wear a mask while inside the building.

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