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## MEDIA ADVISORY: CCSO hosting inaugural 'Shop with the Sheriff' initiative

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Monday, December 15, 2025

**NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C.** – The Charleston County Sheriff's Office is proud to announce its inaugural 'Shop with the Sheriff' event, held in partnership with Walmart and Chick-fil-A. This heartwarming program is designed to support children and families in need during the holiday season. This Friday, participants will gather at Chick-fil-A before heading to Walmart for a festive shopping experience with Charleston County deputies. Twenty children will take part in the event. This meaningful event aims to build positive relationships between law enforcement and the community through compassion, connection, and holiday cheer.

Who: The Charleston County Sheriff's Office, in partnership with Walmart and Chick-fil-A

What: Charleston County Sheriff's Office Shop with the Sheriff Initiative

When: Friday, December 19, 2025, at 1 p.m.

**Where:** Staff from the Charleston County Sheriff's Office will meet at the Chick-fil-A located at 1000 Floyd Drive for lunch before heading to the Walmart located at 3951 West Ashley Circle for holiday shopping.

**Media Contact:** Members of the media interested in attending the event can contact Charleston County Sheriff's Office Director of Communications Mark Ruppel at 843-693-4335 or via email at mruppel@charlestoncounty.org.