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### News Release

#### **Sheriff's Office to Assist During Democratic National Convention**

**July 17, 2012, Monroe, NC** – The Union County Sheriff's Office will assist the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department (CMPD) during the Democratic Nation Convention (DNC) Sept. 4 – Sept. 6.

The DNC has been designated as a National Special Security Event by the U.S. Secret Service which necessitates special security procedures be taken for the event. CMPD has requested assistance from across North Carolina and the country to ensure the convention has adequate law enforcement staffing.

Officers from the Union County Sheriff's Office will be available to CMPD from Aug. 28 – Sept. 7 for training and assistance before, during and after the event.

Any use of Union County resources, such as Sheriff's vehicles, will be billed to CMPD at the conclusion of the DNC for reimbursement.

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