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Sent Via E-mail

Dear Superintendents,

In September 2022, the Putnam County Sheriff's Office implemented the use of Body Worn Cameras (BWC's) in daily operations, joining hundreds of other law enforcement agencies across the country who already employ this modern policing tool.

The purpose of utilizing the BWC's by the Sheriff's Office is to document law enforcement activity and provide an objective record of incidents and interactions involving Members of the Putnam County Sheriff's Office, documenting those rare and occasional incidents when a School Resource Officer must step forward to perform an immediate necessary law enforcement activity or is acting to protect school staff and students.

Sincerely,

Kevin J. McConville Putnam County Sheriff

cc: Jennifer Bumgarner, County Attorney
Anna Diaz, Senior Deputy County Attorney