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Hendersonville – Sheriff Rick Davis has been invited by El Centro and the Latino Advocacy Coalition to meet with the Latino Community of Henderson County on Saturday, February 10, 2007. This meeting will begin at 4:00pm and will be held at the Kaplan Auditorium at the Main Branch of the Henderson County Public Library. This meeting should conclude around 5:00pm.

Sheriff Davis will take this opportunity to discuss the 287(g) program and how it relates to the community as a whole. This will be an opportunity for the community to hear directly from Sheriff Davis and ask him questions relating to the proposed use of the 287(g) program in Henderson County. The 287(g) program is part of the Immigration and Nationality Act and allows local law enforcement personnel, with a particular emphasis on detention officers, to be trained as Immigration Officers.

The community is invited to attend this public meeting and Sheriff Davis feels “this is an excellent opportunity for the community to hear about and ask questions relating to the 287(g) program.” The Sheriff encourages those with questions to attend.

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