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PRESS RELEASE

From Sheriff Kevin T. Harrison
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Warren County Sheriff Kevin Harrison is proud to report that crime data for his agency is now accessible online for free via his agency website located at www.wcsdmo.net. The idea of providing reliable and timely information to citizens has been a long time goal, and partnering with CrimeReports has finally given us the ability to keep the public informed on a regular basis as to what is going on in our community. Harrison stated he regularly receives inquiries from the public asking why deputies were at a specific location, or they want information about activity near their homes. Persons also call inquiring about a specific area prior to purchasing or renting a new home to determine the frequency of law enforcement calls for service and criminal activity. Our crime maps even allow the public to view the location of the registered sex offenders living throughout our community. This information and more is now available as a result of the partnership with CrimeReports.

CrimeReports is currently working with over 700 law enforcement agencies across North America, and is the largest and most accurate online resource for up-to-date crime information. The CrimeReports network offers a series of affordable, easy-to-use software tools for law enforcement agencies to understand crime trends and share up-to-date neighborhood crime data with the public.

The public can access the crime map 24 hours a day through the Sheriff's Department website, the CrimeReports website, or through the CrimeReports iPhone app that is available for free download in the Apple iTunes store. Harrison stated the new service even allows the public to sign up for daily, weekly, or monthly customizable email alerts, so they can stay on top of crime in their neighborhood. Harrison stated he hopes by making the information readily available it will empower the citizens of Warren County to make informed decisions to help improve the safety of their neighborhood and community.