SHERIFF PENZONE TO JOIN THE PRESIDENT’S COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT AND THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

Maricopa County Sheriff Paul Penzone has been invited by the U.S. Attorney General and National COPS Director to participate as a Working Group Member for The President’s Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice. This exclusive group of national experts and leaders will work with the U.S. Attorney General, Department of Justice and the Administration to focus on mental illness, homelessness and substance abuse impacting public safety and our communities across the nation.

“I’m honored to represent the Arizona law enforcement community as part of this important group to dig deeper into the problems of crime in our nation to better understand the challenges we face and be more proactive and thoughtful in our approach to ensure safety and improve our relationship with the community,” said Sheriff Penzone.

The group was first established in 1967 by President Lyndon B. Johnson and is charged with conducting a system-wide, comprehensive review of the criminal justice system, identifying gaps, needs and opportunities and developing a strategic plan that will guide efforts for years to come.

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