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## **Back to School Press Conference**

**Charleston, WV.** – We would like to invite all our media colleagues to our annual Back to School Press Conference on **August 14, 2024, at 9:30 a.m.** The conference will be hosted at Metro 911 of Kanawha County, 200 Peyton Way in Charleston, WV., and will be held indoors to ensure that we have no delays related to weather.

Sheriff Michael Rutherford, Chief Deputy Joseph Crawford, our Kanawha County Commissioners, members of the Kanawha County School Board, and multiple law enforcement and first responder leaders from across Kanawha County will be present to speak and show support as we plan to return to school. Our children are always a top concern to our county leaders, and as always, we want to ensure the 2024-2025 school year is safe with a smooth kick-off.

We plan to address several important topics such as dates our children will be returning to school, reminders of school traffic times, school zone and school bus safety, and our children's overall safety while they are at school this coming calendar year.

We look forward to seeing everyone this week and should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.



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