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U. S. Congressman Michael Waltz Endorses Sheriff Rick Staly for Re-election

BUNNELL, FL: The Keep Rick Staly Sheriff Campaign announces that Congressman Michael Waltz has endorsed Rick Staly for re-election as Flagler County Sheriff.

"Sheriff Staly is the leader Flagler County needs to keep as Sheriff. As a young Deputy Sheriff he was battle tested after being shot three times saving the life of a fellow Deputy Sheriff. For his actions on that fateful day he was awarded the Governor's Medal of Heroism and the Medal of Valor. As Flagler County Sheriff he has motivated a team, implemented new technology and implemented Guardianship and District policing resulting in a 47% reduction in crime, the lowest crime rate in Flagler County since 1995. Sheriff Staly has been endorsed by the deputies and firefighters that serve you and every nearby Sheriff, 7th Circuit State Attorney and Flagler County Clerk of Court. It is for these reasons I proudly endorse Sheriff Rick Staly for re-election and encourage all Flagler County voters to Keep Rick Staly your Sheriff," Congressman Michael Waltz.

"I am honored to be endorsed by Congressman Waltz," said Sheriff Rick Staly. "Congressman Waltz's knows what it's like to be in battle to protect our country and always has the back of law enforcement and first responders. I am honored to receive his endorsement and to call him my friend."

Sheriff Staly was previously endorsed by the Constitutional Sheriff's and Peace Officers Association, local Mayors, past and current Flagler County Commission Chairmen Sullivan and O'Brien, police chiefs, Volusia Sheriff Chitwood, St. Johns Sheriff Shoar, Putnam Sheriff Gator DeLoach, Brevard Sheriff Ivey, retired Flagler Sheriff Fleming, local state Representative Renner and state Senator Hutson, U. S. Senator Scott, State Attorney Larizza, the local and state Fraternal Order of Police lodges, Coastal Florida Police Benevolent Association, who represent the men and women of the Flagler County Sheriff's Office, the Florida Police Benevolent Association, Clerk of Court Tom Bexley and the Florida Police Chiefs Association. Sheriff Staly has also been endorsed by the Palm Coast Professional Firefighters Association and the Flagler County Professional Firefighters Association along with Parenthood Florida.

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