

MEDIA RELEASE

Washington County's Public Safety Training Center Opening Soon

June 11, 2018

On Tuesday, July 16, 2019, the Washington County Sheriff's Office will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony and a preview of the new Washington County Public Safety Training Center.

Located at 600 SW Walnut Street in Hillsboro, this 20 million dollar facility has been in the works for several years. The 116,029 square foot building was designed to be an all-inclusive training center for law enforcement. It features offices, classrooms, two indoor shooting ranges, an outdoor emergency vehicle training course, defensive tactics mat rooms, armory, and the region's largest scenario village and mock jail.

This new training center brings all types of training into one centralized location. We believe this valuable resource will improve public safety training for not only our agency, but for our partner agencies as well, resulting in improved public safety for everyone.

MEDIA IS INVITED TO ATTEND THE RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY AT 12 PM, BUT MUST RSVP TO THE PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER AT 503-209-5613 or by emailing WCSOPIO@co.washington.or.us by Monday, July 15 at 5 pm. Due to limited capacity, please only plan on sending one journalist and/or photographer per media organization.

Guided tours of the new facility will be provided at this time, but a more involved, interactive media day will also be planned in the near future.

EVENT DETAILS

DATE: Tuesday, July 16, 2019

TIME: 12 pm Ribbon cutting ceremony (guided media tours will follow)

LOCATION: 600 SW Walnut St., Hillsboro, OR 97123

RSVP REQUIRED TO ATTEND (see note above)

Video preview: <https://youtu.be/Y03uO6R5q6c>



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