



## Social Media Behavior Guidelines

Disclaimers shall be placed on social media platforms that state the social media platforms will not be monitored on a twenty-four (24) hour basis, and that the Sheriff's Office reserves the right to remove a post at any time if it violates the terms of use established by the Sheriff's Office or the terms of use of a specific social media platform. This shall include:

- a. Obscene, profane, explicit or racist language (including links to obscene or sexually explicit material)
- b. Potentially libelous statements, personal attacks, threats, name calling, harassment, insults or language inciting violence
- c. Content that promotes, fosters or perpetuates discrimination on the basis of race, creed, color, age, religion, gender, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, national origin, physical or mental disability, sexual orientation or political party
- d. Sexual content or links to sexual content
- e. Plagiarized material or material that potentially violates intellectual property rights
- f. Commercial product promotions, solicitations or spam
- g. Campaign related posts of any kind
- h. Violate any law or promote violation of any law, or conduct or encouragement of illegal activity
- i. Information that may tend to compromise the safety or security of the public or public systems
- j. Comments that are not topically related to the current discussion or thread



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