



PRESS RELEASE

From Floyd County Democratic Sheriff Elect John Hunt

September 25, 2014

I understand that Sheriff John K. Blackburn will be retiring effective September 30, 2014. Accordingly, per my conversations with Floyd County Judge Executive Robert Marshall I will be sworn in on Tuesday, September 30, 2014 at 4:00pm in the courtroom of the Floyd County Court House on the 2nd floor.

I am assuming the office at a very difficult time as many of you know tax bills and collections must begin in a matter of days. I ask everyone for your patience and goodwill as I undertake this immediate challenge more than anything else I ask for your prayers. My hope in assuming this office on such short notice is that the time can be used to bring about long lasting benefits to us all. I give my earnest thanks to Sheriff Blackburn for making such a hard selfless decision. I also promise him and his family, me and families steadfast prayers for better days and health ahead.

Sincerely,

John Hunt

Floyd County Democratic Sheriff Elect