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Sheriff Garry L. McFadden Appointed to Faith-Based Security Advisory Council

(Charlotte, NC) – The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) has appointed Sheriff Garry L. McFadden and 24 other members to the reinvigorated Faith-Based Security Advisory Council. Council members will advise the Secretary on the needs of the faith community relating to security and preparedness matters across all aspects of the DHS mission. The Council is expected to enhance DHS' work to protect houses of worship, improve the sharing of threat information with the faith community; and prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from acts of targeted violence, terrorism, and other threats.

"It is truly an honor to be appointed to this council and I don't take the responsibility lightly. I look forward to working with DHS and my fellow members as we look to keep our communities safe," says Sheriff Garry L. McFadden.

The first meeting of the Faith-Based Security Advisory Council will take place on Thursday, October 6, 2022.

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