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## Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office Concludes Sex Offender Operation "Watchful Eye"

(CHARLOTTE, NC) - Mecklenburg County Sheriff Garry L. McFadden is pleased to announce the results of this year's Sex Offender Verification Operation "Watchful Eye". The operation ran from Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup> through October 29<sup>th</sup>. During this operation law enforcement worked to verify the addresses of 1014 registered sex offenders in Mecklenburg County. The results of the operation are as follows:

Operation Watchful Eye 2021:	Totals:
Sex Offenders to Be Verified:	1014
Verification Attempts:	1837
Verifications Completed:	744
Violations Discovered:	45
Warrants Issued:	10

Sheriff McFadden commends his staff for working to ensure our county, city, and townships are safer, especially ahead of Halloween festivities.

As a reminder, Mecklenburg County Residents can check the sex offender registry by visiting [www.mecksheriff.com](http://www.mecksheriff.com) clicking on the "Links" tab and clicking on "Sex Offender Search". If you have information about a sex offender's whereabouts that does not match the information on the registry, you can contact the Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office at (704) 336-8730.