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## **For Immediate Release**

### **12<sup>th</sup> Annual Lamar Hunton Memorial Motorcycle Ride**

**(Paulding County, GA)** Paulding County Sheriff Gary Gullede is hosting the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Lamar Hunton Memorial Ride to benefit Georgia Sheriffs' Youth Homes on September 19, 2015. The cost is \$35 per bike and \$15 per passenger. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Paulding County Senior/Community Center (54 Industrial Way North Dallas, GA 30132). The ride will leave at 10:00 a.m. and end back at the Paulding County Senior/Community Center. We will have a full escort by a Deputy Sheriff, lunch, door prizes, drawing for a Glock pistol, and a 50/50 cash drawing. We will also have t-shirts for all pre-registered riders.

This ride is in memory and honors the life of Major Lamar Hunton who founded the ride in 2004. Major Lamar Hunton was the Jail Administrator for the Paulding County Sheriff's Office who passed away on October 21, 2004, only days before the first ride took place.

The ride benefits Georgia Sheriffs' Youth Homes. The purpose of Georgia Sheriffs' Youth Homes is to provide the best possible full-time residential care for the dependent, neglected, abandoned and abused children of Georgia. The homes are not reform schools or correctional institutions. They are warm, caring and secure places for a child to live. The Youth Homes provide a secure future for Georgia's needy and worthy children, to give them love, guidance, discipline and all the advantages that is every American child's birthright.

The five campuses urgently need funding. Georgia Sheriffs' Youth Homes, Inc. is a non-profit 501(c)(3) tax-exempt child care agency. Your donation is not only tax deductible, but will help us give Georgia's needy and worthy children a chance to have a normal and memorable childhood.

Please send your donation to:

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Please make your check payable to GA Sheriffs' Youth Homes. If you have any questions or need more information, you can contact Melanie Thompson at 770-505-5533, Tracy Parker at 770-443-3016, or Tom Murphy at 770-443-3015.

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