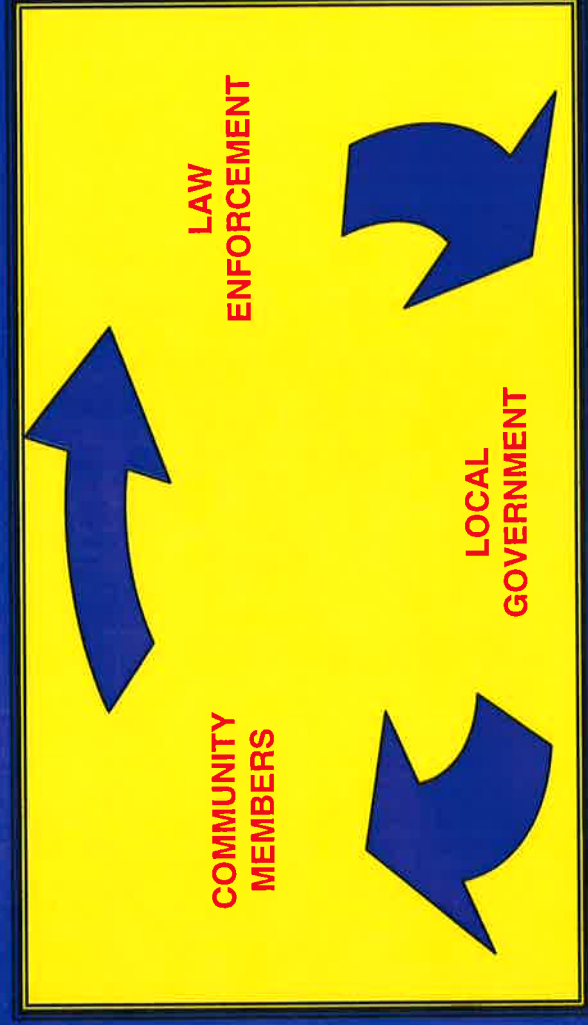


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Community Oriented Policing:



Developing the Next Step

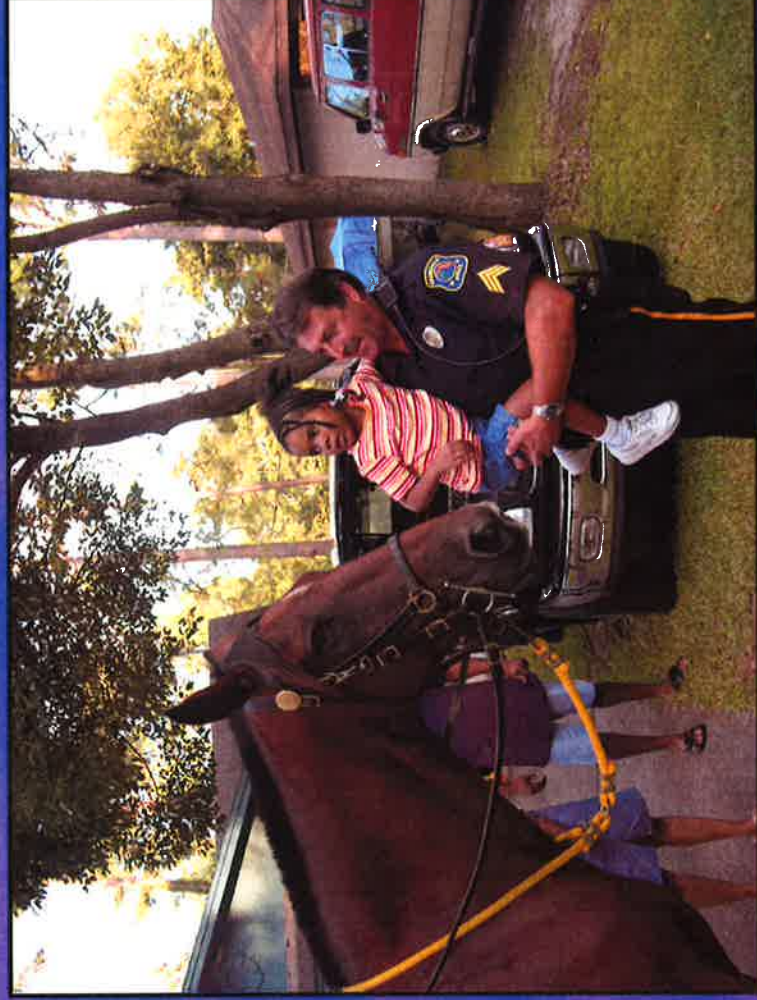
What is COPS?

- Definition: 25 yrs.
- Policing strategy
- Partnerships
- Empowerment



What is COPS cont..

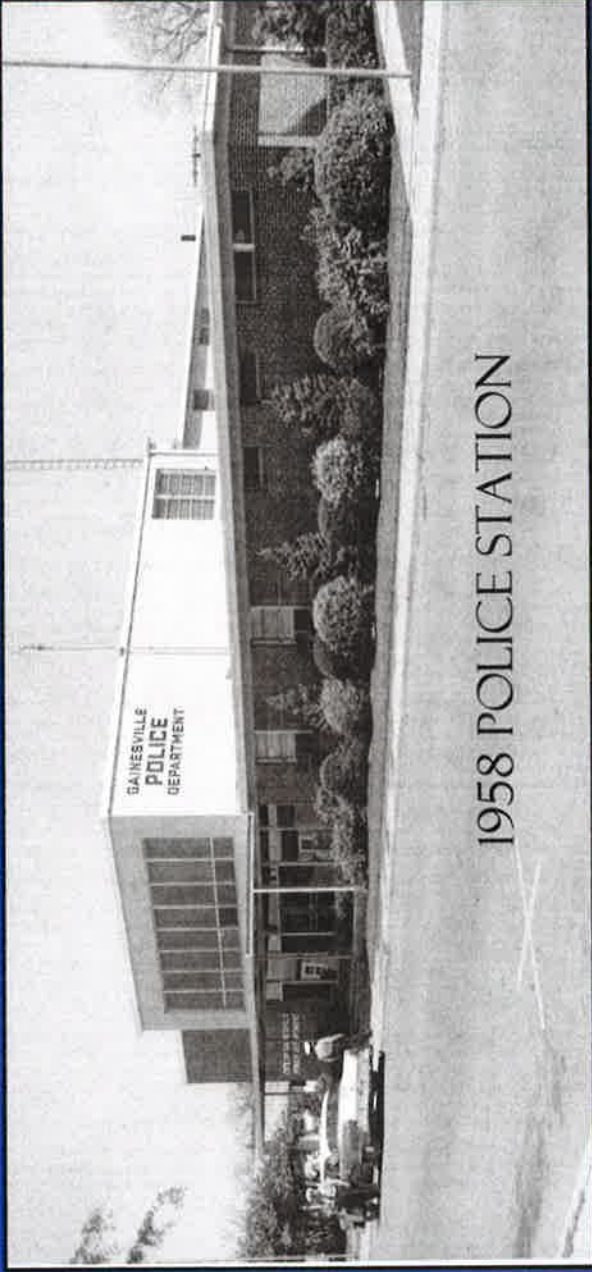
- Our City: Gainesville
- District Policing
 - Empowerment
 - Accountability
- Neighborhood Patrol
 - Foot Patrol
 - Bike Patrol
 - Mounted Unit



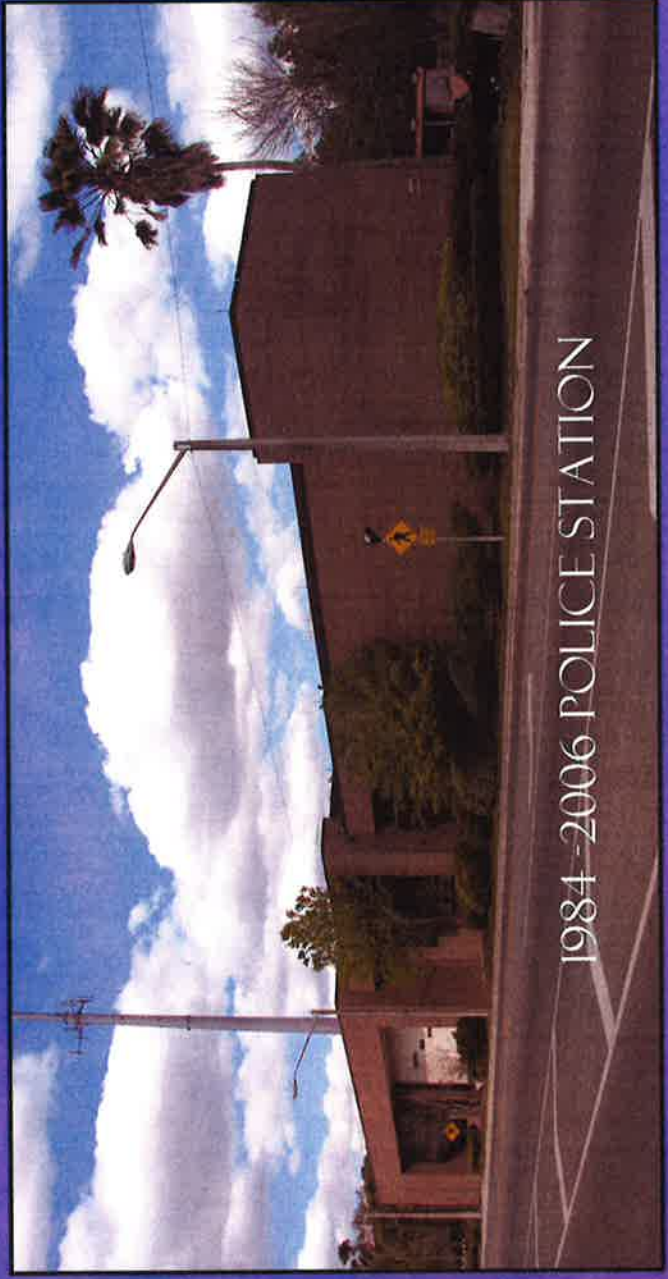
Changing Demographics

- Demands on Public Service
- Growing Population
- Efficient Utilization of Resources
 - Police/ Community/COPS





1958 POLICE STATION



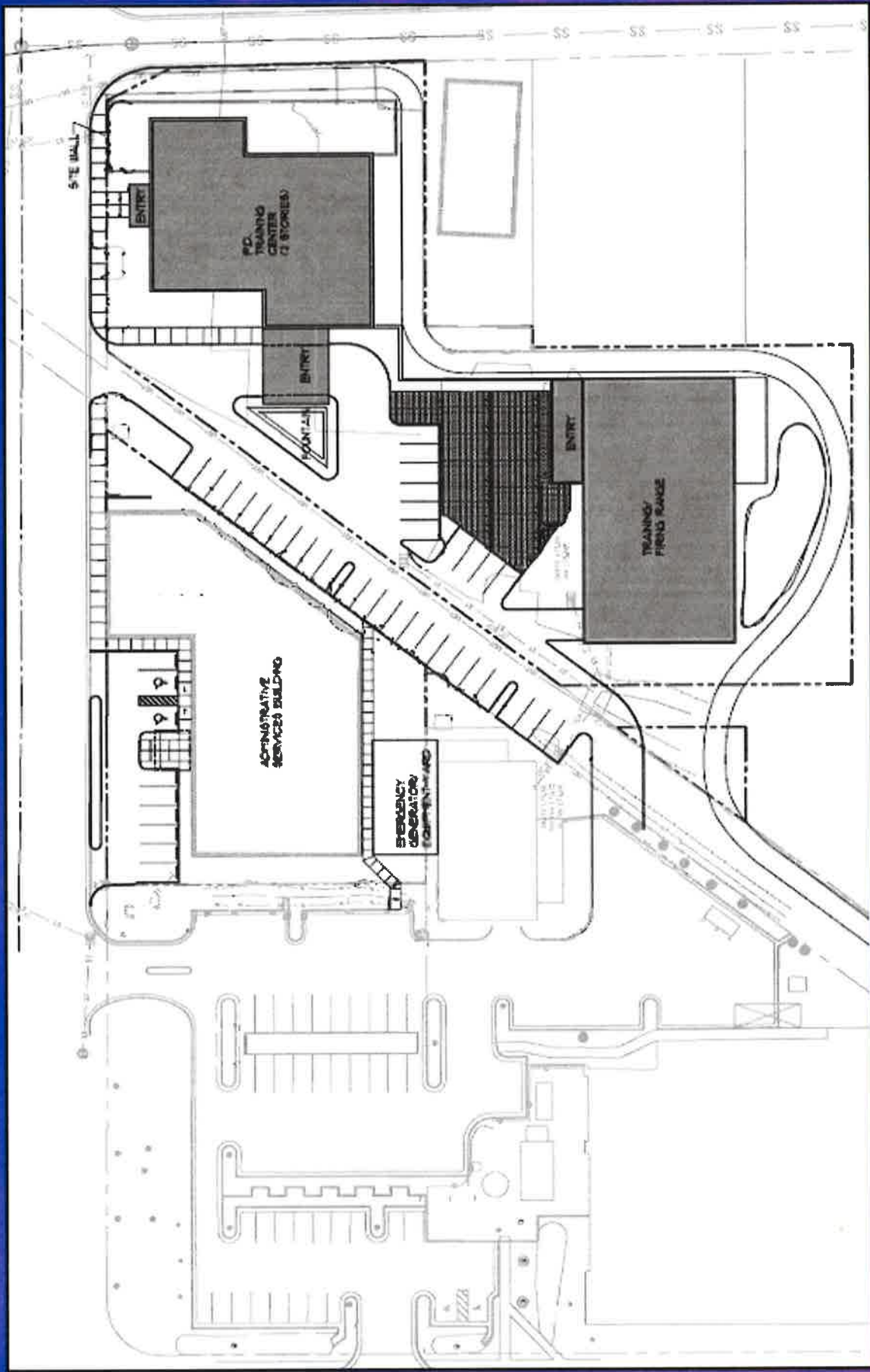
1984-2006 POLICE STATION

Land Acquisition



- Walker Furniture Building/ 14000 sq ft
- Voyles Food Bank/ 8700 sq. Ft.
 - Addition 18,200 sq. ft.
- Small City lot
- Dentist Office/2600 sq. ft.

Community Training & Development Center Proposed Master Plan



Campus Concept



- Three Additional Buildings
 - Community Policing Training Center Addition
 - Administrative Building
 - Firing Range
- 40,000 sq. ft. of New Space
- 9.3 Million Dollars for Project
 - Combination of LECFTF and bond money

Campus Concept

- Rerouting Rail to Trails
- Enhancement of NW 8th Avenue Corridor
- Community/User friendly Environment





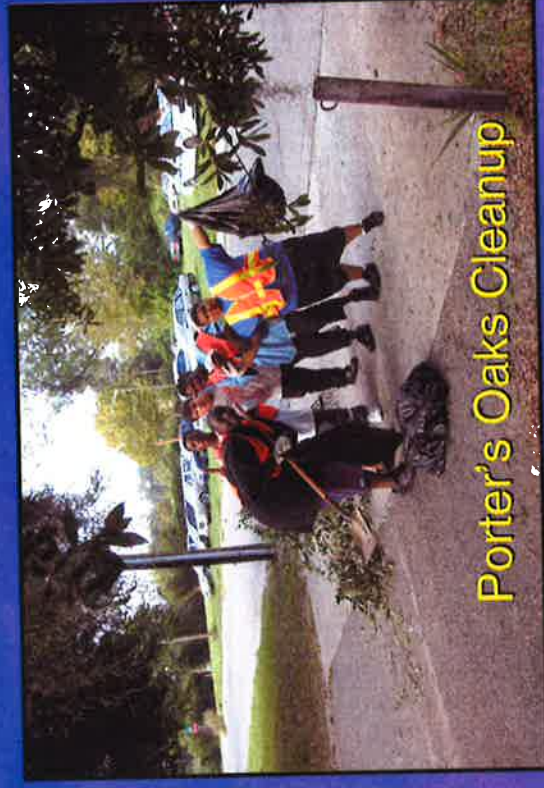
Taking the Next Step

- Neighborhood Mediation
- Restorative Justice
- Community Advocates
- Citizens Academy
- Black on Black Crime Task Force
- Virtual Library
- Computer Kiosks
- CPTED
- Advanced COP Training

Neighborhood Mediation



- Minor Offenses Removed From the Court System.
 - Noise Complaints
 - Property maintenance
 - Boundary Disputes
 - Evictions/Landlord Tenant



- Voluntary Process
- Problem Solving with Mediator
- Reduces Repetitive Call Load



Restorative Justice

“Restore the Victim & Aid the Violator”

- Community is strengthened & empowered through the concept.
- Coalition between victim, community, law enforcement, criminal justice system and the offender.
- Cost effective alternative to traditional system.
- 9% recidivism rate.

Community Advocates

- Six week program at Univ. of Florida & Santa Fe Comm. Col.
 - 2 hour classes
- Program Designed for Crime Prevention done through Outreach and Service
- Allows young people to teach young people vital safety concepts
- Fosters Communication within Student's Neighborhoods



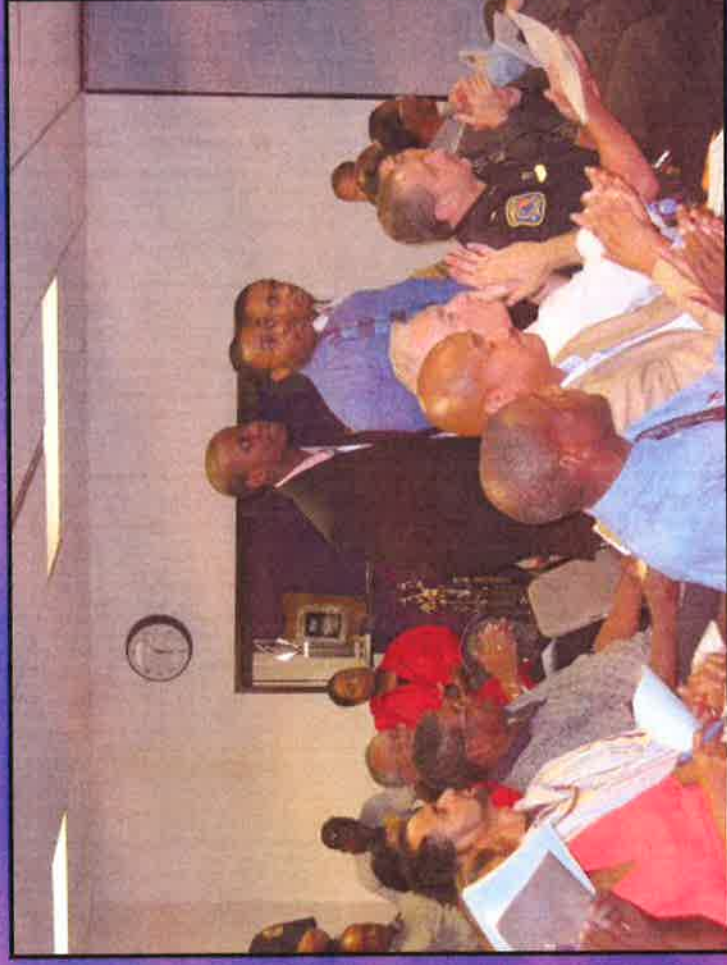
GPD Citizens Academy

- 10 week program
- Citizens get in depth look into day to day functions of GPD
- Designed to educate
 - Laws of Arrests
 - Search and Seizure
 - Crime Prevention, etc
- Culminates with a ride along



Black on Black Crime Task Force

- Meets monthly in partnership with law enforcement
 - Formulates strategies to reduce crime
 - Addresses issues in local neighborhoods
- Long lasting Partnership with GPD
- Official Office in New Facility

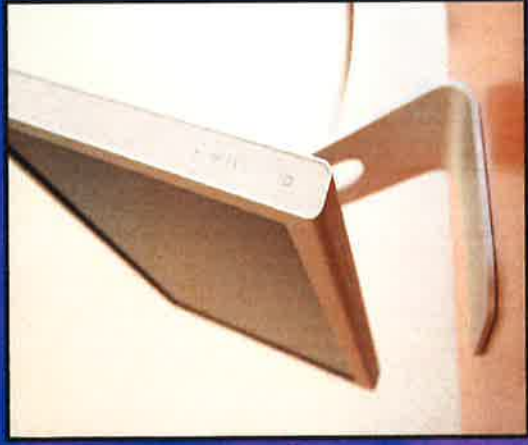




Virtual Library

- Created for Citizens & Officers
- Provide Video Training on commonly asked questions.
 - Noise Violations
 - Local Ordinances
 - Personal Safety Tips



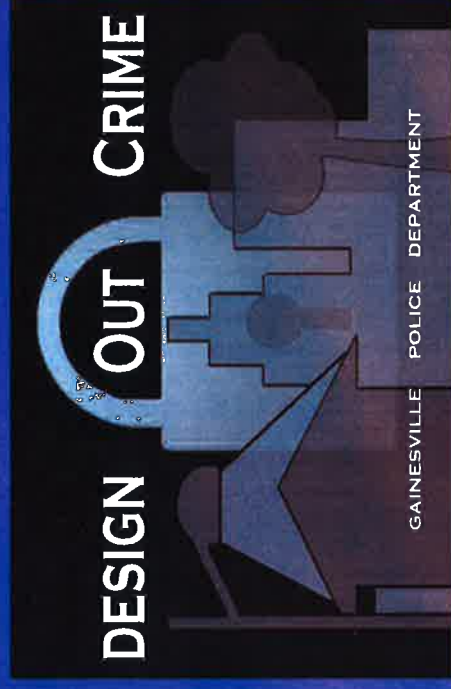


Computer Kiosks

- Public Access to Computer Kiosks within main entrance
- Database of Information for Citizens
 - Crime information in neighborhoods
 - Directory of issues and law enforcement contacts
- Involve the Community in Problem Solving

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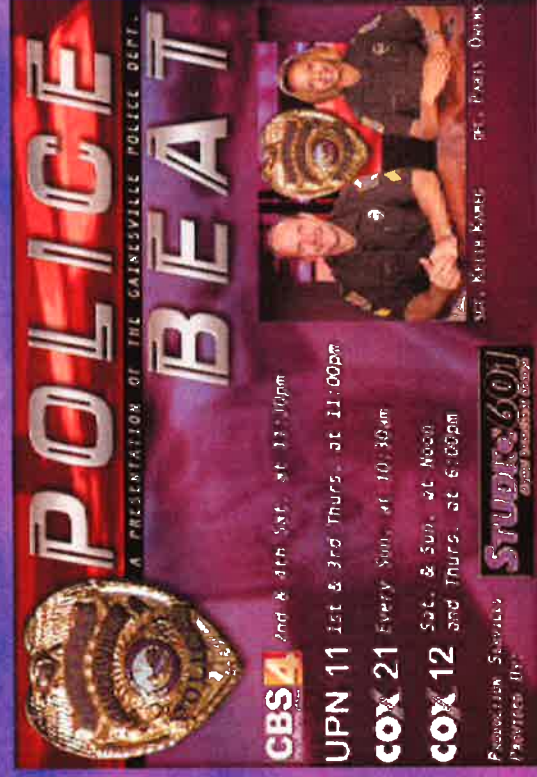
Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design



- Proper design and affective use of the built environment
 - Reduction in Fear
 - Reduction in Crime
 - Improvement in Quality of Life
- Focus on:
 - Physical Environment
 - Behavior of People
 - Productive Use of Space
 - Crime Loss Prevention

Advanced COP Training

- New Defensive Tactics Labs
- Computer Class Rooms
- Firearms/Driving Simulators



POLICE BEAT
A PRESENTATION OF THE GAINESVILLE POLICE DEPT.

CBS 2nd & 3rd Sat. at 11:00pm
UPN 11 1st & 3rd Thurs. at 11:00pm
COX 21 Every Sun. at 10:30am
COX 12 Sat. & Sun. at Noon
and Thurs. at 6:00pm

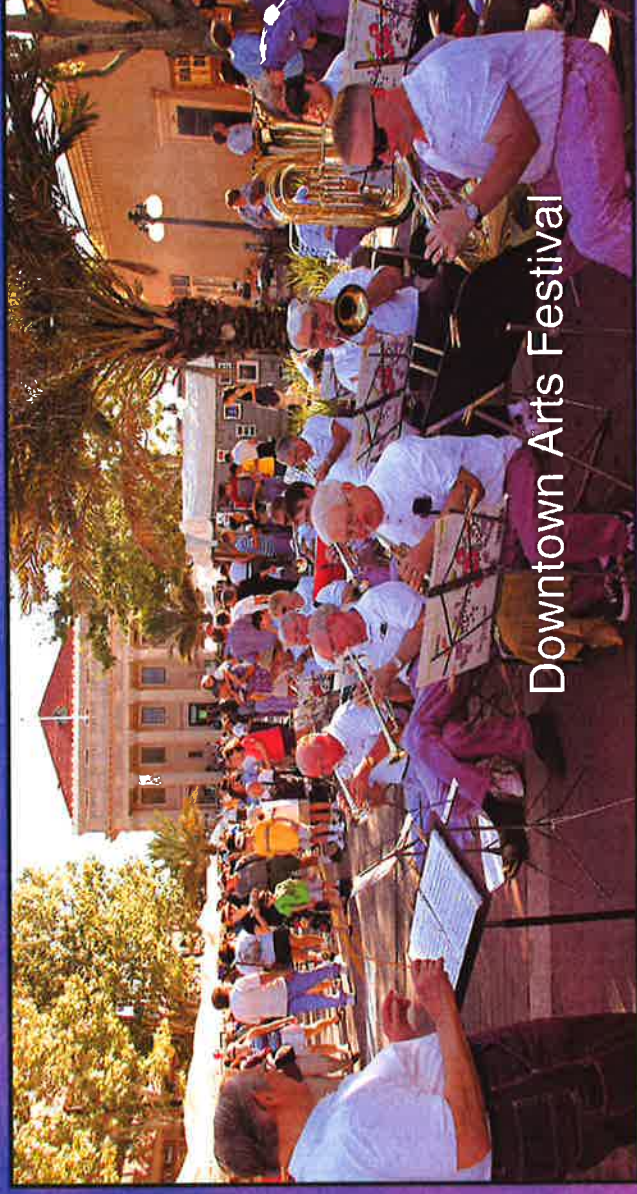
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- Indoor Firing Range
- Joint Community/Police COP Training

Benefits

- Reduction of Minor Offenses in Court System
- Reduction of Repetitive Calls for Service
- Cost effective/Ability to Replicate Program
- GPD/Gainesville – a chance at #1



Downtown Arts Festival

Endorsements



State Representative Chestnut

Representing the Office of State Representative Chestnut is

District Secretary Nancy Williams

Letter of Support

"I applaud Chief Botsford and the entire GPD force in its efforts to increase community involvement in policing our community through a concept unlike any in the country."

Endorsements



State Representative Cretul

- Currently Approaching Other Representatives of the State Government with a Law Enforcement Background
- Impressed with the Potential of the Program

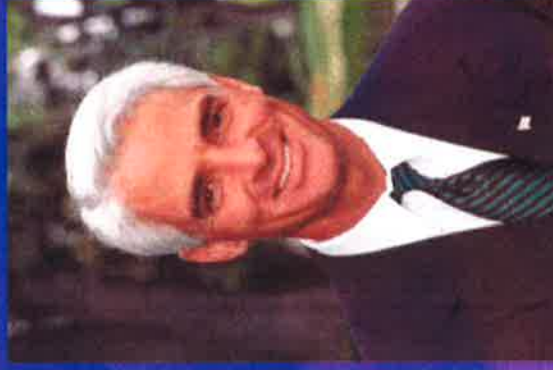
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State Senator Oelrich

Representing the Office of State Senator Oelrich is
Legislative Assistant Jessica Throckmorton

Endorsements



Forwarded Information to Governor Crist

Fundraising

- Why We Give
- Community/Business Outreach
- Budget Issues & Recurring Expenses
- Growing Needs for Services



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