



**Richmond City Sheriff's Office**  
**Sheriff C. T. Woody, Jr.**



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## **RICHMOND POLICE CHIEF TOURS JUSTICE CENTER**

RICHMOND, VA -- Last week Sheriff C.T. Woody, Jr. led two tours of the Richmond City Justice Center for Richmond Police Chief Alfred Durham. They visited pods on each floor of the facility, and stopped to address each group of residents and answer their questions.

Since taking over as Chief of Police, Durham has held frequent "Walk and Talk" sessions in neighborhoods throughout the City of Richmond. Sheriff Woody commended Chief Durham's proactive approach to delivering a message of cooperation in order to make a safer world for our families. "During my tenure as Sheriff, this is the first time any Police Chief has asked to meet face-to-face with jail residents in order to address their concerns," he said. Sheriff Woody continued, "Chief Durham recognizes the importance of establishing better communication between the community and the police – this is a step which could pay dividends towards solving crime in the near future."



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