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2009 LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL DAY

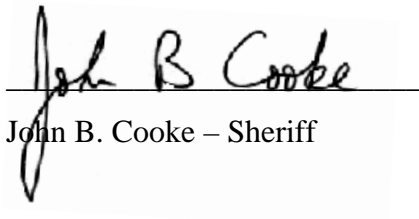
GREELEY, Colo. – The 7th annual Peace Officer’s Memorial Ceremony will be held Friday, May 15th, at 12:00 noon as part of “National Police Week.” Weld County law enforcement agencies will observe the day with a ceremony at the Veteran's memorial located in Bittersweet Park at 16th St. & 35th Ave, Greeley.

This day is set aside each year to honor the service and sacrifice of America's law enforcement officers and their families. It also promotes increased public support for the law enforcement profession and helps to promote law enforcement safety. Sheriff Cooke will be acknowledging the Sheriff’s Office’s only line of duty death, Earl J Bucher, which occurred in 1940. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

For more information on National Police Week visit <http://www.nationalpoliceweek.com>

A map to Bittersweet Park can be found at: <http://alturl.com/j9xb>

The Officer Down Memorial Page can be found at: <http://www.odmp.org/year.php?year=2008>



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