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Putnam County Sheriff's Office Rehabs Bikes for Kids

PUTNAM COUNTY, TN – Sheriff Eddie Farris and the Putnam County Sheriff's Office have partnered with Sabra and Greg Guttridge in an innovative project to repurpose unclaimed or confiscated bicycles from various local law enforcement agencies and give them to children in need at a Bike Safety Rally next April.

“Currently, we have about 50 bikes that have been donated,” said Sabra Guttridge. “We are so excited about the enthusiastic response from law enforcement about this program and are looking forward to seeing the looks on the kids faces when they receive their new bikes.”

The bikes are currently being cleaned up, repaired and repainted by some of the Trustees at the Putnam County Jail. The Putnam County Sheriff's Office has donated the necessary parts to get the bicycles in safe working condition.

“I am always pleased when citizens in our community want to partner with us on worthy projects like this,” said Sheriff Farris. “Our department is committed to making a difference and this will really impact the lives of some of our most at risk children.”

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