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**MEDIA ADVISORY**  
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**Oakland Police Deputy Chief to sit on roof of Fremont store to raise  
\$10,000.00 for Special Olympics**

- WHAT:** Bucks for Badges  
A charity fundraiser benefiting Special Olympics
- DATE:** Saturday, January 31, 2004
- TIME:** 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
- LOCATION:** Food Maxx  
39441 Fremont Blvd.  
Fremont, CA 94538
- WHO:** Oakland Police Department Deputy Chief Peter Dunbar  
California Highway Patrol Lieutenant Jim Leonard  
Local Law Enforcement Personnel from Alameda and Contra Costa Counties  
Various Special Olympics Athletes

(Fremont, CA) On Saturday, January 31, 2004, Oakland Police Deputy Chief Peter Dunbar and California Highway Patrol Lieutenant Jim Leonard will sit on the roof of Food Maxx Store, in Fremont, to raise awareness of the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run. Deputy Chief Dunbar and Lt. Leonard will sit on the roof while fellow officers and store employees encourage customers to make donations to the Special Olympics. A total donation of \$10,000.00 will get Deputy Chief Dunbar and Lt. Leonard off of the roof.

There will also be many fun activities located in the parking lot, such as: Fun Zones with booths, games and activities, an opportunity to take a picture next to a police car, motorcycle or canine and a bounce house for children.

Deputy Chief Dunbar has been involved with the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run for eighteen years, and has been the Torch Run Director for the last five. "These times have been hard on funding for Special Olympics. The building sit is our opportunity to demonstrate our commitment to the athletes and our communities," states Dunbar. Over the years, the Torch Run has grown from a small run to one with torch routes throughout Northern California. Last year, \$850,00.00 was raised for the Special Olympics.

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