



March 22<sup>nd</sup> at  
8 a.m. thru  
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# Global Police Tweet-a-thon

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Join other agencies promoting policing through social media. Sign up now to be part of this first of its kind event.

Email [lauri@lawscomm.net](mailto:lauri@lawscomm.net) with the following information:

- Your agency name
- Contact name and email
- Your time zone

All agencies will use the same hashtag - to be announced - to call attention to police work and issues police face as well as promote the use of social media in policing. Tweet any portion of the 24 hour period.

## Why participate?

“Our participation in the global tweet-a-thon is based on the hope that other agencies break from the reactive isolationist nature of traditional law enforcement, and begin realizing the benefits of sharing timely and relevant information through social media.” -Chief Scott Silverli, Thibodaux, LA

“Locally, we hope to use the event as a virtual ride-along, giving the community a glimpse of the daily activity and a behind the scenes look at the typical day of a patrol officer; and, on a larger scale, we hope our participation continues to positively influence the rapidly growing acknowledgement, acceptance, and use of social media by other public safety agencies.” -Sergeant Tom LeVeque, Arcadia, CA

“By doing the global police tweet-a-thon, the Denton Police Department hopes to show that by using Social Media in general we are opening our doors not only to the Citizens of Denton, Texas but to the world.” -Officer Ryan Grelle, Denton, TX