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Franklin County Sheriff Shannon Oliver Announces Support for Jay Mitchell in Alabama Attorney General Race

BIRMINGHAM, AL—Franklin County Sheriff Shannon Oliver today announced his endorsement of former Alabama Supreme Court Justice Jay Mitchell for Attorney General.

Sheriff Oliver has led the Franklin County Sheriff's Department since 2011. He served as the Alabama Sheriffs Association President in 2023, and he has held various leadership roles in other regional and statewide law enforcement initiatives. He has also earned a reputation for strong local policing and effective interagency cooperation.

Sheriff Oliver said, "***Jay Mitchell stands shoulder to shoulder with law enforcement. He understands what it takes for us to keep Alabama families safe and will have our backs as the state's top cop. I've seen too many politicians talk tough but disappear when it counts—Jay's not one of them. He's the real deal. I'm proud to support Jay Mitchell for Alabama Attorney General.***"

Mitchell welcomed the endorsement and underscored his commitment to Sheriff Oliver's priorities.

"Sheriff Oliver has delivered tangible public safety improvements for residents of Franklin County and law enforcement partners across northwest Alabama. His leadership speaks for itself, and I understand the responsibility of having his endorsement," said Mitchell.

Mitchell said, "***As Attorney General, Alabama can count on me to back the blue and support our law enforcement leaders with what they need to create lasting change in their communities.***"

Sheriff Oliver's endorsement adds to a growing coalition of law enforcement leaders across Alabama who trust Jay Mitchell to fight crime and back the blue.

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