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HPD Gives Santa a Police Escort for Mercy House

Harrisonburg, VA – The Harrisonburg Police Department is fortunate to be invited to give Santa a police escort as he arrives at the annual Mercy House Snowflake Wishes Christmas Party this Thursday, December 14. Santa's arrival will bring joy to the families and staff of Mercy House as they celebrate another wonderful year of serving Harrisonburg.

The mission of the [Mercy House](http://www.themercyhouse.org) is to provide food, clothes, and shelter to homeless families with dependent children in the Harrisonburg area, while providing services to help overcome the barriers leading to homelessness.

Note to media: There has been a location change this year and Santa will arrive behind the Elk's Lodge at 482 S. Main St. on Thursday, December 14 at 7:00pm and the media is welcome to come join the festivities. Please contact Seli Perry at the above phone or email to confirm your attendance.

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