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FLPD
Announces Partnership With
The Reality Check Program

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is happy to announce our partnership with The Reality Check Program.

The Reality Check Program- founded by Larry Lawton- is designed to prevent teens and young adults from making bad choices, by providing a first-hand account of the consequences and results of poor decisions.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department has recently acquired 10,000 Reality Check video gift cards, through the use of Law Enforcement Trust Funds. These video gift cards will be carried by our officers so that they are readily available to the community as officers encounter teens, young adults, and parents who might benefit from hearing about the realities of a life of crime or bad conduct.

The Reality Check video gift card gives viewers access to a video that can be viewed on any computer, smart phone, or tablet. The video covers topics such as: choice making; consequences of being arrested; and, avoiding and dissolving bad associations.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department believes knowledge is power. We hope that as our community youth hear the experiences of someone who has been exposed to the criminal justice system, they will understand that the choices they make today have the potential to affect the rest of their lives.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is committed to our community. This partnership between FLPD and The Reality Check Program is a positive step for our community youth.

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