Fugitive Safe Surrender in Washington, D.C.

30 Offenders Wanted on Warrants Have Already Surrendered

Fugitive Safe Surrender Begins <u>Tomorrow</u>

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Thirty offenders wanted on warrants have already surrendered to the Superior Court. The Superior Court sent out a mailing to those with recent warrants. Thirty offenders walked into Superior Court or made arrangements with court officials to surrender. The number is expected to increase by close of business today. One individual flew to D.C. yesterday from New York City to surrender. One offender surrendered at the Bible Way Church this morning while staff was making final preparations for tomorrow's event.

Fugitive Safe Surrender Basics

When: The program will commence on Thursday, November 1 and run through Saturday, November 3. Hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Where: The location is the Bible Way Church, 1100 New Jersey Ave, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001 at the intersection of New York and New Jersey Avenues.

Please add the following to your web sites to assist citizen inquiries:

- www.dcsafesurrender.org
- Telephone Answering System at 202-585-SAFE

Fugitive Safe Surrender is a national program of the US Marshals Service and is being supported by the DC Criminal Justice Coordinating Council. The national program web site is http://www.usmarshals.gov/safesurrender.