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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## FBI Agent Adam Angst Speaks on Terrorism

At 7 p.m., September 11, 2006, the fifth anniversary of the World Trade Center tragedy in New York City, former Abilene resident, FBI agent Adam Angst will discuss the war on terrorism, and the FBI's role in combating terrorism. "With the world facing terrorism on a daily basis, it is important that we be accurately informed and updated on progress in fighting terrorism, and what we can do as individuals to combat this threat," said Dan Holt, director of the Eisenhower Center. "We are pleased Adam has agreed to be our speaker to help inform the community."

Prior to working for the FBI, Angst worked for the Riley County Police Department in Manhattan, Kansas, beginning in 1986, and served as a police officer, police sergeant, and lieutenant. He started his career with the FBI in 1995.

Special Agent Angst worked undercover for several years on various property, gang, drug, and domestic terrorism cases. He was working undercover for another FBI division when the events of September 11, 2001, immediately changed the priorities of the FBI and took Angst to Phoenix, Arizona.

Angst's assignments in the Phoenix area include serving as Special Events Coordinator, and Assistant Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) Coordinator. In 2004, he spent a tour of duty in Afghanistan as an FBI Liaison to the U.S. Military Special Forces in the hunt for terrorists. He serves the Phoenix division as a SWAT team leader and a firearms instructor, along with training federal, state, and local police officers in anti-terrorism training.

Angst will talk at 7 p.m. in the Library auditorium at the Eisenhower Center. This program is sponsored by both the Eisenhower Center and the Eisenhower Foundation. It is free and open to the public. To reserve a seat, please 785-263-6700 or toll free 1-877 RING IKE by September 8.

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