



Hendry County Sheriff's Office

Sheriff Steve Whidden

CIVIL RIGHTS FACT SHEET



The purpose of this civil rights statement is to inform applicants, participants and potentially eligible persons of the policy of nondiscrimination and the procedure for filing a civil rights complaint to the Office of Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice.

In accordance with federal law and U.S. Department of Justice policy, the Hendry County Sheriff's Office is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex (including pregnancy, gender identity and sexual orientation), age, or disability.

To file a complaint of discrimination with the Hendry County Sheriff's Office, please contact Cindy West, Administrative Services Director, (cwest@hendrysheriff.org), 863-674-5622, PO Box 579, LaBelle, FL 33975.

To file a complaint of discrimination with Hendry County, please contact Audelia Bustamante, Human Resources Manager, (audelia.bustamante@hendryfla.net), 863-674-5352, PO Box 2340, LaBelle, FL 33975.

To file a complaint of discrimination, contact or write Office for Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice, 810 7th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20531 or call 202-307-0690 (Voice) or 202-307-2027 (TDD/TYY). Individuals who are hearing impaired or have speech disabilities may also contact OCR through the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339 (TTY), 877-877-8982 (Speech), or 800-845-6136 (Spanish). Or contact the Department of Legal Affairs, PL-01 The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399, or call 850-414-3300.