## WIRELESS EMERGENCY ALERT (WEA)

- A WEA IS A MESSAGE SENT TO MOBILE DEVICES IN ORDER TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF AN EMERGENCY
- THERE ARE MULTIPLE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES THAT HAVE ACCESS TO SEND OUT A WEA- INCLUDING FDLE MEPIC
- FDLE MEPIC USES THE WEA TO INFORM THE PUBLIC WHEN A CHILD HAS BEEN KIDNAPPED OR IF A MISSING CHILD IS IN IMMINENT THREAT OF DEATH OR SERIOUS BODILY INJURY



## WEA SUCCESS STORIES



A FLORIDA ENHANCED MISSING CHILD ALERT WAS ISSUED ON BEHALF OF THE JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR AN AUTISTIC, NON-VERBAL, 13-YEAR-OLD MALE. THE CHILD WAS RECOVERED SAFELY WHEN A CITIZEN RECOGNIZED THE MISSING CHILD FROM THE WIRELESS **EMERGENCY ALERT** (WEA) AND NOTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT.

A FLORIDA AMBER
ALERT WAS ISSUED ON
BEHALF OF THE
ORANGE COUNTY
SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR
A 1-YEAR-OLD MALE.
THE CHILD WAS
RECOVERED SAFELY
WHEN A CITIZEN
RECOGNIZED THE
MISSING CHILD FROM
THE AMBER ALERT AND
NOTIFIED LAW
ENFORCEMENT.

A FLORIDA ENHANCED MISSING CHILD ALERT WAS ISSUED ON BEHALF OF THE **JACKSONVILLE** SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR AN AUTISTIC 13-YEAR-OLD FEMALE. THE CHILD WAS RECOVERED SAFELY WHEN A CITIZEN RECOGNIZED THE MISSING CHILD FROM THE WIRELESS **EMERGENCY ALERT** (WEA) AND NOTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT.

HOW CAN YOU BE OUR NEXT HERO?

TURN ON YOUR AMBER AND PUBLIC SAFETY ALERTS!



← Wireless emergency alerts	
Alerts	
National alerts National warning messages, Can't be urned off.	
Extreme threats Extreme threats to life and property	
Severe threats Severe threats to life and property	
AMBER alerts Child abduction emergency bulletins	
Public safety messages Recommended actions that can save lives or property	