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TO: UPPER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
FROM: MARK F. SCHMIDT – CHIEF OF POLICE
DATE: 04/21/2020
RE: MONTHLY POLICE REPORT

TRAINING

Training for next year will include Mandatory In-Service, Crisis Intervention Team (CIT), Supervisory Training for all Sergeants, Officer Safety, Crisis Against Children, Enhancing School Safety, Crimes Against Older Adults, crime scene processing, firearms recertification, basic accident investigation, crime scene processing and evidence collection techniques for the new Officers. While the COVID-19 virus has cancelled a number of the above noted trainings, Officers have completed on-line mandatory in-service training.

Normal Business

March 23, received a thank you note from a local resident for just being there when needed.

April 5, The Advance of Bucks County highlighted the swearing in of Officer Eric Farra at the March 3 BOS meeting.

During this time period, patrol was increased throughout the township. All crimes in progress or life-threatening calls for service have been answered. The police department lobby remained open for expired drug drop off at the medi-return box and if someone needed to talk to an Officer. Since social distancing with the public was stressed, we took a different approach on our presence in the community. Officers on patrol sit for approximately a half hour to be seen by the public and then move to another high visibility location for another half hour time period.

MOTOR CARRIER ENFORCEMENT, DRUG TAKEBACK & DARE

CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19