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David S. Palmer, Chief of Police

Public Notice/Press Release

A team of Assessors from the Rhode Island Police Accreditation Commission (RIPAC) will arrive at the Hopkinton Police Department on March 23, 2022 to examine all aspects of the agency's policies and procedures, management, operations and support services.

Verification by the assessment team that the Hopkinton Police Department meets the Commission's standards is part of a voluntary process by which this agency seeks recognition of professional excellence in law enforcement.

As part of the on-site assessment, agency employees and members of the community are invited to offer comments to the assessment team by telephone. The public is invited to contact the Assessment Team at (401) 377-2100 on, March 23, 2022 between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Telephone comments are limited to 10 minutes and must address the agency's ability to comply with RIPAC standards. A Copy of the RIPAC Standards is available for review at the Hopkinton Police Department. Questions concerning compliance with any of the standards may be directed to Administrative Assistant Jill McDade at telephone number (401) 377-7750

Persons wishing to offer written comments about the Hopkinton Police Department's ability to meet the standards for accreditation are asked to write: RIPAC Executive Director, Christine Crocker at PO Box 7877, Cumberland, RI or call (401) 440-4352 or e-mail to crocker.riapc@cox.net.

Accreditation is for three (3) years, during which time the agency must submit annual reports attesting continued compliance with those applicable standards under which they were accredited.

For more information regarding the Rhode Island Police Accreditation Commission (RIPAC) please contact Executive Director, Christine Crocker.