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Greetings and welcome to the Hawthorne Police Department web site,

I am honored to be the Chief of Police and lead the talented organization of dedicated employees of the Hawthorne Police Department. The Hawthorne Police Department is a service oriented police agency that strives to provide the safest environment for its community, and anyone who finds themselves visiting or traveling through the Borough.

As a department we remain committed to reducing crime and enhancing the quality of life through an active partnership with the community. With the support and cooperation of the Mayor and Council, the Hawthorne Police Department strives to provide the most proficient and outstanding law enforcement services possible. The department is committed to providing exceptional police services that deters and reduces crime, brings offenders to justice, protects citizens and their property, controls traffic, and provides a comfortable and safe atmosphere for anyone within the Borough's limits. The department strives to keep pace with new advances, practices and tactics in the law enforcement application, and trains officers on a continuing basis to attain this.

I am proud of our officers and all police department personnel not only for their knowledge and abilities, but for the commitment they show to the residents and the community.

Our objective of keeping your family safe, in a peaceful community that values every person, is a result of the hard work and dedication of every member of the Hawthorne Police Department.

We are all proud to serve this great community. Thank you for visiting our site and don't hesitate to reach out to me with a request, question or just to say hello.

I can be reached at 973-427-1800 or email at rmcauliffe@hawthornepdnj.org

Sincerely,

Richard M. McAuliffe
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