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MEMO:

TO: Chief Anderson Williams
FROM: Mayor Van W. Johnson, Sr. *VWJ, Sr.*
DATE: October 30, 2007
SUBJECT: Community Policing Program

Effective November 5, 2007, you are hereby instructed to implement a Community Policing Program within the Apalachicola Police Department. The intent of the program is to allow Officers to interact with the residents and business owners of the community. This interaction is vital and essential to crime prevention and crime reduction. To accomplish this goal, during a set time throughout the day, a designated Officer will be out of his/her patrol car walking the streets and reclaiming its corners.

From 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, at least one Officer needs to be assigned to walk the entire downtown area. While there the Officer needs to interact with each business owner or manager to see if there is any assistance the officer can offer the business.

From 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM, at least one Officer needs to be assigned to walk the 6th Street Park area and the corner of 11th Street & Avenue L. While there the Officer is to be courteous, professional and respectful.

From 12:00 AM - 3:00 AM, at least one Officer needs to be assigned to physically check the door of every business located within the city limits of Apalachicola.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me, if there are no questions I expect full implementation by the aforementioned date.