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Throop Borough Council,

The year 2018 will have to go down as one of the most progressive in the Department's history, definitely the thirty five years I have been a member.

Starting in January with addition of two full time Officers, increasing the force to eight, we never looked back. In May, four part time officers joined the ranks, bringing the total to twelve.

For about the last ten years the Department was issued a new vehicle yearly. This year we were all in awe of a complete fleet replacement. Six fully equipped vehicles with the tools the officers need to provide the best possible protection of our residents. As if the vehicles weren't enough, all have new state of the art surveillance cameras, and laptops allowing officers to do almost anything in the field that they can in the office. This alone was a substantial investment.

Police Headquarters itself received a complete facelift, from interior and exterior paint, to new signs and lettering, upgraded security cameras, new roof and new telephone system. In addition, several monitors will allow us to view security footage from other borough owned assets.

In August, through the Borough's generosity, we held another successful National Night Out event. The turn out was great and we were fortunate enough to give away about 30 new bicycles to local children.

The investment in the Department paid off earlier this month, as Officer Brandon Straub was the recipient of the John Wilding Blue Heart Award for community drug enforcement.

On behalf of the entire Police Department I want to thank you for your support of and trust in the Throop Police Department. We look forward to continuing this trend into 2019 and beyond.

Respectfully Submitted,


Police Chief