



WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP POLICE

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MEDIA RELEASE

Date of Incident	-	Incident #	-
Time of Incident	-	Incident Type	Public input - accreditation process
Incident Location	1 McClure Drive (Washington Township Police Department)		
Investigating Officer(s)	n/a		
Other Involved Agencies	Commission on the Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) New Jersey Public Safety Accreditation Coalition		
Media Release Approved By	Deputy Chief John Dalesandro		

Incident Narrative

The Washington Township Police Department is scheduled for an on-site assessment as part of its program to achieve accreditation by verifying that it meets nationally recognized professional standards. Administered by the Commission on the Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA), the accreditation program requires agencies to comply with best practice standards in four basic areas: policy and procedures, administration, operations, and support services.

As part of the on-site assessment, agency employees and members of the community are invited to offer comments during a call-in public information session on Sunday November 8, 2009. Agency employees and the public are invited to offer comments by calling 856-466-5017 between the hours of 2:00PM – 4:00PM.

Comments will be taken by the Assessment Team, are limited to 5 minutes and must address the agency's ability to comply with CALEA's standards. A copy of the standards is available at the Margaret Heggan Free Public Library, 208 East Holly Avenue, Sewell, New Jersey 08080.

The Assessment Team is comprised of Captain Louis Moreto, Manaplan (NJ) Police Department and Captain Michael Rogers (ret.), West Orange (NJ) Police Department.

Subject 1

Name		Age	
Address			
Vehicle (if applicable)			
Injuries (if applicable)			
Charges		Arrest (Yes/No)	

Subject 2

Name		Age	
Address			
Vehicle (if applicable)			
Injuries (if applicable)			
Charges		Arrest (Yes/No)	