There may be ongoing changes being made to this document. Please check back for a final version if you are able before sending to your police dept/troop.

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Please forward responses you receive from police departments to: nocopolicereform@gmail.com

Recommendations for sending these messages:

- 1. Send the message on <u>Thursday, June 25th</u>. Some edits may be made before then, so check back for the most up to date version if you can. If you don't see this before then, send the message as soon as possible after.
- 2. Send the message to **both** your town's police department and the State Police troop covering your county.
- 3. **Share widely!** The more people making a coordinated request, the more powerful it will be. Anyone, anywhere can use this template to contact their police departments, not even just people in the North Country. That is our current target audience, but there is no reason others can't use it.
- 4. You are welcome (even encouraged) to make any changes to the message you want, but consider these thoughts first:
 - a. Personalized messages are probably more powerful, so I actually encourage changing things. However, I think it is important to stay on the specific message of transparency and posting policies publicly.
 - b. A unified message is powerful, and this is only a first step. I intend this to be the first in a series of coordinated messages sent to police departments/town governments in the area. Future messages will include specific policy reforms that we request as a group (e.g. choke hold ban, use of force continuum and reporting, redirecting of funds to non-police first responders like social workers). Consider waiting to make major policy requests until we do so as a group.
 - c. We want to be taken seriously, and not seen as aggressors. It's my belief that most police departments in the area will react better to a gradual increase in pressure. If we start with "defund the police," I think we will be dismissed out of hand, and future requests will have less power. Defund the police is my eventual goal, and I think this is the way to get there. You are welcome to disagree with this approach and use this template in taking a stronger initial stance.
 - d. I wrote respectfully on purpose. Yes, we are angry. Yes, it is absolutely ridiculous that police should expect a respectful tone in response to years of

literal killings. However, and this is my opinion again, I think it will be more effective to initially approach departments respectfully. Again, if you disagree you are still more than welcome to use this template to write a less respectfully toned message.

5. **Proofread!** Fact check! I quite likely made some typos that I didn't catch. There were also some towns where I wasn't confident about who their police chiefs are. Please let me know and I can fix them or make you an editor so you can.

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Generic

Send to: *email*

Chief *Name of Police Chief*
Town Name Police Department
Police dept address line 1

Police dept address line 2

Dear Chief *last name of police chief*,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the *Town name* Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of *Town name* has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Berlin

Send to Chief Peter Morency using this online form: https://www.berlinnh.gov/user/173/contact

Chief Peter Morency Berlin Police Department 135 Green Street Berlin, NH 03570

Dear Chief Morency,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Berlin Police Department and the public. This would significantly build public trust in the department, creating the sort of transparency required for the community-oriented law enforcement promised in your Vision Statement.

Although the community of Berlin has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Bethlehem

Send to: police@bethlehemnh.org

Chief Alan DeMoranville Bethlehem Police Department 2155 Main St. Bethlehem, NH 03574

Dear Chief DeMoranville,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Bethlehem Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Bethlehem has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for

the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Carroll/Twin Mountain

Send to: No email listed. You can try selectmen@townofcarroll.org or townofcarroll.org

Chief Tadd Bailey
Carroll Police Department
480 Route 3 South
Twin Mountain, NH 03595

Dear Chief Bailey,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Carroll Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Carroll has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel

safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Colebrook

**There are conflicting online listings for Colebrook police chief. I'm going with what's on the town website (Stephen Cass), but I also see Michael J Sielicki listed here: https://www.usacops.com/nh/p03576/index.html. If anyone knows more, let me know.

Send to: scass@colebrooknh.org

Chief Stephen Cass
Colebrook Police Department
17 Bridge Street
Colebrook, NH 03576

Dear Chief Cass.

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Colebrook Police Department and the public. This added

transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Colebrook has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

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Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Conway/North Conway

Send to: police@conwaypd.com

Chief Edward K. Wagner Conway Police Department 35 East Conway Road PO Box 538 Center Conway, NH 03813

Dear Chief Wagner,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request

that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Conway Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Conway has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Dalton

**Very limited info on Dalton's website. If anyone knows their police chief's name or any details about their department, please reach out.

Send to: police.chief@townofdalton.com

Dear Dalton Police Department,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request

that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Dalton Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Dalton has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

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Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Gorham

Send to Chief Adam Marsh using this online form: https://www.gorhamnh.org/user/443/contact

Chief Adam Marsh Gorham Police Department 20 Park Street Gorham, NH 03581

Dear Chief Marsh,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and

procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Gorham Police Department and the public. This would significantly build public trust in the department, creating the sort of transparency required for the proactive community policing that is your stated department mission.

Although the community of Gorham has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Franconia

Send to: police@franconianh.org

Chief Martin A. Cashin Franconia Police Department P.O. Box 900 Franconia. NH 03580

Dear Chief Cashin,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement

activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Franconia Police Department and the public. This would significantly build public trust in the department, creating the sort of transparency promised in your Vision Statement.

Although the community of Franconia has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Lancaster

Send to: police@lancasternh.org

Chief Timothy Charbonneau Lancaster Police Department 11 Mechanic Street Lancaster, NH 03584

Dear Chief Charbonneau.

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request

a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Lancaster Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly "Strengthen public confidence in the department," as stated in your department goals, by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Lancaster has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Lincoln

**Lincoln already has a start at a publicly available list of policies ("General Orders" https://www.lincolnnhpd.org/library/index.htm). I encourage people to look at their posted policies and add any to this letter that you think are important and missing. Send to: chiefofpolice@lincolnnh.org

Chief Chad Morris Lincoln Police Department PO Box 488 Lincoln, NH 03251 Dear Chief Morris,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. Although your department does post some General Orders, many facets of policing are missing from or not comprehensively covered by these documents. As an example of a more complete list of policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that the complete list of policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, as the General Orders currently are. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Lincoln has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Lisbon

Send to: chiefofpolice@lisbonnh.org

Chief Benjamin Bailey

Lisbon Police Department PO Box 222 Lisbon, NH 3585

Dear Chief Bailey,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Lisbon Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Lisbon has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Littleton

Send to: chief@littletonpd.org

Chief Paul J. Smith
Littleton Police Department
2 Kittridge Lane
Littleton, NH 03561

Dear Chief Smith,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Littleton Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Littleton has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

NH State Police Troop E (Belknamp, Carroll County)

*Jurisdiction includes all towns in Belknap and Carroll counties.

Send to: <u>TroopE@dos.nh.gov</u>

Commander Kevin Duffy
NH State Police Troop E
1864 White Mountain Highway
Tamworth, NH 03886

Dear Commander Duffy,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between Troop E and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in Troop E by clearly laying out the ways in which State Police keep us safe.

Although our community has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our State Police are working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

^{**}No specific leadership listed online that I can find, but Duffy lists it on LinkedIn

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

- **Your Name**
- **Your town of residence**

NH State Police Troop F (Grafton, Coos County)

- *Jurisdiction includes all towns in Grafton and Coos counties.
- **No specific leadership listed online that I can find, but Landry listed in news stories from 2016

Send to: TroopF@dos.nh.gov

Commander Todd Landry NH State Police Troop F 549 Route 302 Twin Mountain, NH 03595

Dear Commander Landry,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between Troop F and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in Troop F by clearly laying out the ways in which State Police keep us safe.

Although our community has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel

safe, knowing that our State Police are working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Your town of residence

Northumberland

**Conflicting info about their police chief. The town lists Peter Pelletier (https://northumberlandnh.weebly.com/emergency-services.html), which I think is correct, but the police department website lists Marcel E. Platt (http://northumberlandpd.weebly.com/chief-marcel-e-platt.html). Please let me know if you know more than this.

Send to: npd@northumberlandpd.com, p.pelletier@northumberlandpd.com,

Chief Peter Pelletier Northumberland Police Department 10 Station Square Groveton, NH 03582

Dear Chief Pelletier,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request

that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Northumberland Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Northumberland has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Randolph

Send to: ** there is no police department email, but sending to the selectmen/Town Clerk may work: selectmen@randolph.nh.gov, townclerk@randolph.nh.gov

Chief Alan Lowe Randolph Police Department

Dear Chief Lowe,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Rayshard Brooks, and David McAtee at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures posted by the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Randolph Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Randolph has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Sugar Hill

Send to: police@sugarhillnh.org

Chief Michael Ho-Sing-Loy Sugar Hill Police Department 1411 Route 117 Sugar Hill, NH 03586

Dear Chief Ho-Sing-Loy,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of

the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Sugar Hill Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe, and it is an important part of the community policing philosophy that is your goal.

Although the community of Sugar Hill has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name

Whitefield

Send to Chief Edward Samson III using this online form: https://www.whitefieldnh.org/user/273/contact

Chief Edward Samson III Whitefield Police Department 56 Littleton Road Whitefield, NH 03598

Dear Chief Samson,

I hope that this message finds you well in this tumultuous time. As I'm sure you are well aware, recent events, specifically the killing of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor at the hands of those sworn to protect them, have made communities around the world begin to reevaluate the

practices of police departments within their cities and towns. It is with this in mind that I request a comprehensive copy of your operating policies and procedures, including your policies in such areas as use of force, evidence handling, search and seizure, reporting of enforcement activities, hiring, fiscal management, collective bargaining, and much more. As an example of the policies I wish to be able to access, here are the policies and procedures of the Northampton, MA Police Department:

https://www.northamptonpd.com/administration/policies-and-procedures.html. I also request that these policies be made permanently publicly accessible online, in the interest of full transparency between the Whitefield Police Department and the public. This added transparency would significantly strengthen public confidence in the department by clearly laying out the ways in which the department keeps us safe.

Although the community of Whitefield has not, to my knowledge, seen the type of violent incidents that have spurred thousands across the nation to lift their voice, it is nonetheless a moment in which transparency in policing is of the utmost importance. In fact, I view this as an opportunity to ensure that such acts of violence never occur in our community, and that the public can feel safe, knowing that our police department is working diligently to maintain the safety and well-being of our town.

Please respond by July 2nd, 2020, indicating your intent to fulfill my request and the timeline on which you believe it will be feasible to do so. We know that this may be a major undertaking for the department, and understanding that, we as a community are willing to assist in making it a reality.

Thank you for your hard work in ensuring the safety of our community. I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Your Name