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DEAR FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS,

Thank you for the tremendous outpouring of community following the launch of the Southampton Public Safety Foundation. In a remarkably short time—and without hosting a fundraising event—we have received nearly \$70,000 in contributions to date.

We are also pleased to share an important milestone: we have received our IRS determination letter. With this formal recognition as a 501(c)(3) public charity, Southampton Public Safety Foundation is fully authorized to deploy philanthropic resources in support of our mission and to begin advancing priority initiatives in partnership with Southampton Village’s public safety leadership.

In addition, our [website](#) is now live, and we are pleased to offer the ability to accept [donations online](#), making it even easier for residents and supporters to get involved.

In the coming months, we will share more details on program priorities and how SPSF will invest in officer support, training, community engagement, and other mission-aligned initiatives that strengthen public safety and community trust.

We are deeply grateful to everyone who has contributed, helped spread the word, and shown support for this important work. Please help continue the positive momentum by sharing this newsletter, making an online donation and [opting in](#) to our mailing list for future updates.

With appreciation,

Michael Falk
Co-Founder

Annie Falk
Co-Founder

Tim Moran
Co-Founder

Our mission is to enhance public safety and strengthen community well-being in the Village of Southampton. Community-driven programs are a pillar in executing this mission. The Southampton Public Safety Foundation will launch three core programs in 2026: Police Department Supplements, a Retention Program and a Scholarship Program. Visit our [website](#) for further details on these programs.



Police Department Supplements

The Southampton Public Safety Foundation ensures that our first responders have the tools and resources they need to perform their duties safely and efficiently, ultimately benefiting the entire community. Through the generous support of donors, we strive to bridge the gap between limited resources and the ever-growing needs of our police department.

[Learn more](#)

Program Retention

To ensure the long-term stability and effectiveness of our police force, the Southampton Public Safety Foundation is developing initiatives aimed at improving retention among first responders. This program seeks to address the challenges of officer burnout, recruitment competition, and career sustainability. By investing in retention, we help maintain a highly trained, experienced, and motivated police force dedicated to protecting Southampton.



[Learn more](#)



Scholarships

As part of our commitment to strengthening the bond between law enforcement and the community, the Southampton Public Safety Foundation proudly supports the families of those who serve. Through our scholarship program, we provide educational opportunities for the children of eligible Southampton police officers and sworn civilian employees, honoring their dedication to our town. These scholarships are awarded annually to students who demonstrate academic excellence, leadership, and a deep commitment to community service.

[Learn more](#)

LAUNCH EVENT

Supporters gathered at a beautiful home in Southampton this past July to learn more about Southampton Public Safety Foundation. Below are a few photos of our first event. [Read more in the Southampton Press.](#)



The Southampton Public Safety Foundation supports the Southampton Village Police Department through the acceptance and stewardship of tax-deductible gifts. The Foundation’s efforts are organized and supported by town residents and the broader community independent of the Village of Southampton.

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“We’re happy and grateful for this opportunity that the Falks and Tim Moran are building this out here in this community.” - *Southampton Village Police Chief Suzanne Hurteau*



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