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PRESS RELEASE

SPRINGETTSBURY TOWNSHIP CHIEF OF POLICE

York, PA - Springettsbury Township is pleased to announce that Lieutenant Thomas Hyers of the Philadelphia Police Department has been hired as the new Chief of Police for Springettsbury Township. Lieutenant Hyers will be retiring from the Philadelphia Police Department and will begin his employment with the Township on May 14, 2012.

Upon being notified of the appointment, Commissioner Charles Ramsey, Philadelphia Police Department is quoted as saying "Congratulations on adding such a great man to the mix. Lieutenant Tom Hyers has led a distinguished law enforcement career here in Philadelphia for the past 25 years. Prior to my arrival, Tom had successful stints in Patrol, Narcotics, Internal Affairs, and the Training Bureau. However, for the past couple of years he has been a member of my Executive Team leading the newly formed 'PPD 2020'. Recently, Tom served as my Accreditation Manager working tirelessly to bring our department of 6,600 sworn members up to the required professional standards."

After an extensive review, Lieutenant Hyers was selected from a group of over 35 qualified applicants from across the country. His depth of experience and leadership skills will help prepare the Springettsbury Township Police Department meet the challenges of the present and the future.

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