



RANDOLPH POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Anthony T. Marag
Chief of Police

July 7, 2022

To: Town Council President William Alexopoulos

From: Chief Anthony T. Marag

Re: Polling Sites

I am writing to support the continuation of the current staffing of 14 police officers on Election Day in the Town of Randolph. My recommendation for staffing relates to our current practice, which was developed over the past decade, and worked extremely well. In addition, looking at the current political climate, it is important that the poll workers and voters feel safe at the polls.

In order to provide a safe and secure polling location for our residents and election staff, I request fourteen officers continue to be deployed for each election. Our officers are tasked with the transporting of ballots, voting equipment and polling lists to and from these locations, in addition to providing a safe environment for voters, campaign staff and election workers. This would entail one officer at each precinct (12), one at Town Hall, and one roving Poll Supervisor to address unforeseen issues, as well as monitoring the parking lots and entrances to the Precincts.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anthony T. Marag".

Chief Anthony T. Marag