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SUFFOLK POLICE TAKE PART IN THANK YOU VIDEO CHALLENGE

SUFFOLK, VA (August 10, 2016) After the shootings of the Dallas and Baton Rouge police officers, Suffolk citizens showed such concern and support in unprecedented ways that the Suffolk Police Department challenged their Officers to make a 'Thank You' video showing appreciation for our citizens. The original intent was to string together a number of amateur cell phone videos of Officers saying "Thank You", but the results were truly works of art!

Three sections of the Suffolk Police Department stepped up to produce wonderful videos that were far more creative and entertaining than previously imagined or expected. Suffolk Police are looking to award a prize to the team that has the best and most creative video. As a result, they are leaving it up to the citizens to make the selection. Police have posted the top three videos to their Facebook page (www.facebook.com/suffolkpolicedepartment) and the video that receives the most likes, shares, and views combined by 12 p.m. on Wednesday, August 17th will win.

The Suffolk Police Department wants everyone to be a part of their "Thank You" campaign to recognize the strong community bonds that make Suffolk such a great place to live, work and play!

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