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## **Police Chief's Monthly Report for November 2016**

I am pleased to report that the newly installed Roselle Park AM radio station became fully operational on November 15, 2016 and is now available for public broad cast on AM radio station **750**. The public may currently tune into Roselle Park emergency news station **750** at any time of day where they will hear a recorded message informing the listeners that they are dialed into Roselle Park emergency news channel. During extreme emergencies the public may listen to live broad casts, or recorded broad casts which will keep the public informed with all up to date information concerning any extreme emergencies, or weather related events that may be occurring in the Borough. This newly formed radio station will certainly be a valuable addition to the public service announcement procedures that are already in place which help to direct, and inform our residents during emergency situations. Residents may access the Roselle Park Radio **750** on any AM station at home or in a vehicle.

On October 21, 2016 the Roselle Park Police Department received **The Traffic Safety Commendation** from New Jersey Triple – A (AAA) in recognition of having zero traffic related fatalities in 2015. This award is a direct reflection on the patrol officers, traffic division, and the school crossing guard staff who dedicate themselves to keeping motorists, and pedestrians safe while traveling, and walking our roadways in Roselle Park. The Police Department will continue to strive in making Roselle Park a safe community for all residents, as well as all who visit our Borough.

Beginning on November 28, 2016 Roselle Park Police Officers will be issuing gift cards to motorists who are observed obeying pedestrian traffic laws by stopping for pedestrians who are in crosswalks crossing roadways. In an effort to assist the Police Department in promoting safe driving Councilwoman Storey, and Councilman Meola have donated 16 American Express gift cards to the Police Department which will be issued to motorists as a reward for their safe driving. When an officer observes a motorist stopping for a pedestrian who is about to cross a roadway the officer may conduct a motor vehicle stop of that motorist. At the time of the motor vehicle stop the officer will inform the driver of the pedestrian safe driving campaign and issue the driver an envelope containing a gift card. The Police Department is thankful for this donation and are hopeful that this safe driving initiative will be helpful in promoting safe driving among motorists, and bring more awareness to pedestrian safety.

Due to a family obligation I will not be available to attend the December 1, 2016 council meeting, Lieutenant David Pitts will be attending in my absence and will inform me of any police related issues that may arise during the meeting.

Very truly yours,

Paul W. Morrison  
Chief of Police







