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Craig W. Dispenza
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To the Residents of Freehold Borough:

The death of George Floyd at the hands of four police officers is tragic; and more importantly, could have been avoided by just one of those officers doing the right thing. The Freehold Borough Police Department condemns the acts of these four officers and mourns with the Floyd Family.

Since Mr. Floyd's death, our country and state have been in turmoil. The Freehold Borough Police Department has long enjoyed a positive relationship with the community that we serve and plan to keep that relationship on track. Freehold Borough is a small town, and enjoys the benefits of being a small town, one of which is that our police officers and citizens know each other. For most of our residents, when they have an interaction with an officer they are dealing with someone they know, not a stranger in uniform. Our public officials are part of the community and accessible to all our residents. Because we have such a tight-knit community, I believe that we can solve any issue which might arise. The police department, along with local officials, have and will continue to reach out to leaders in our community to successfully navigate through this crisis. Dealing with issues by involving the community, police and town officials, has been successful in the past and I believe will be successful in the future.

Be safe and be proud of your community and stay Freehold Strong.

Sincerely,
Chief Craig W. Dispenza