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THE HALEDON POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPANDS ITS SPECIAL NEEDS REGISTRY PROGRAM

The Haledon Police Department, under the command of Chief of Police Angelo J. Daniele, is proud to announce the expansion of its Special Needs Registry Program. This initiative aims to create a comprehensive database of individuals with special needs within our community, providing essential information to our officers and enabling them to respond effectively to calls involving individuals with special needs.

Our voluntary registry designed to assist our officers in understanding the specific needs and requirements of individuals with special needs when dealing with them during emergency or routine interactions. By providing key details about communication styles, sensory needs, and other pertinent information, officers can approach situations involving individuals with special needs in a more informed and sensitive manner.

Building on the success of our Autism Registry Program, the Haledon Police Department is introducing the First Responder Special Needs Alert Registry. This expanded program will now encompass residents with various mental health conditions, including Autism, Dementia, Alzheimer's, Bipolar Disorder, and more. Participation in the registry is entirely voluntary and aims to enhance the safety and well-being of the community.

Sergeant George Kelly will serve as the primary contact for the First Responder Special Needs Alert Registry. Residents interested in participating or seeking additional information can reach Sergeant Kelly via email at gkelly@haledonpd.org. The registration form can also be downloaded from the Haledon Police website at https://www.haledonporonj.com/police-department.

Mayor Michael Johnson expressed his enthusiasm for the program's expansion, stating, "We are committed to creating a safer and more inclusive community for all our residents. The First Responder Special Needs Alert Registry is another significant step forward in providing our officers with the necessary tools and information to better serve our community members with mental health conditions. We encourage eligible residents to participate voluntarily and help us build a more connected and supportive environment."

The Haledon Police Department remains dedicated to promoting community safety and fostering positive interactions between law enforcement personnel and individuals with unique needs. By expanding the Autism Registry Program to include the First Responder Special Needs Alert Registry, the department underscores its commitment to an inclusive approach, ensuring the well-being of all residents.

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HALEDON POLICE DEPARTMENT - RESIDENT ALERT REGISTRY

Chief of Police Angelo J. Daniele • Deputy Chief of Police George Guzman, Jr.

ENROLLMENT FORM – For HALEDON RESIDENTS ONLY – We want to learn about any SPECIAL NEEDS you have, in order to better serve you in the case of an emergency.

MAIL completed form with photo to:

Haledon Police Department ● 510 Belmont Avenue ● Haledon, New Jersey 07508 OR EMAIL completed form with a photo to Sergeant George Kelly at gkelly@haledonpd.org

We care about your privacy. Information shared is strictly VOLUNTARY. Personal information will remain CONFIDENTIAL and protected according to federal HIPAA regulations. It will only be used to help you in the event of an emergency. It will not be used or result in the alteration or change in standard Police, Fire or EMS emergency procedures. It is your responsibility to inform us about what you would like First Responders to know about you. We will keep your information registered in our First Responders' files, until we are told by you to remove it.

Please answer all questions on this form. Write in your information, or check the box that applies to you.

HOW DO WE FIND YOU?								
NAME					DATE		AGE	
MALE	EMAIL ADDRESS							
FEMALE								
PHONE NO.			CELL PHONE NO.					
ADDRESS			APT	CITY AND STATE ZIP		ZIP		
□ SINGLE FAMILY HOUSE □ MULTI FAMILY HOUSE								
APARTMENT BUILDING ☐ YES ☐ NO FLOOR			ELEVATOR □ YES □ NO					
DO YOU LIVE ALONE? ☐ YES ☐ NO DO YOU LIVE			E WITH FAMILY? ☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ OTHERS					
IS THERE AN OWNER OR MANAGER OR NEIGHBOR IN YOUR BUILDING TO CONTACT TO HELP US IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY? □YES □NO								
WHO ELSE HAS KEYS OR ACCESS TO YOUR HOME TO HELP US REACH YOU?								
CONTACT NAME			UNIT OR APT#		PHONE			
PLEASE TELL US IF YOU HAVE SPECIAL MEDICAL NEEDS, OR SPECIAL MEDICAL EQUIPMENT								
DO YOU MOVE FREELY ON YOUR OWN? YES NO NEED ASSISTANCE? YES NO YOUR WEIGHT								
DO YOU USE OXYGEN AT HOME? ☐ YES ☐ NO HOW IS IT STORED?								
DO YOU HAVE LIFE SUPPORT EQUIPMENT? YES NO DIALYSIS EQUIPMENT? YES NO								
DO YOU HAVE AN ELECTRIC POWERED WHEELCHAIR OR MOTORIZED SCOOTER? YES NO STANDARD WHEELCHAIR? YES NO								

HEARING IMPAIRMENT □ YES □ NO DO YOU USE A TDD SYSTEM? □ YES □ NO							
BLIND □ YES □ NO LEGALLY BLIND □ YES □ NO OTHER VISUAL PROBLEMS □ YES □ NO							
IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN							
PLEASE TELL US IF YOU HAVE DEVELOPMENTAL DISAB	ILITIES OR MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES						
DEVELOPMENTAL OR NEUROLOGICAL DISABILITIES YES NO AUTISM	M OR SIMILAR CHALLENGES □ YES □ NO						
DIFFICULTY SPEAKING WITH OTHER PEOPLE 🗆 YES 🗆 NO 💮 ARE YOU UNABLE TO SPEAK 🗀 YES 🗀 NO							
PROBLEMS DEALING WITH STRANGERS ☐ YES ☐ NO DIFFICULTY RESPONDING TO WHAT PEOPLE ASK YOU TO DO ☐ YES ☐ NO							
SIGNIFICANT MOBILITY DIFFICULTIES □ YES □ NO LIFESAVER TRACKING DEVICE □ YES □ NO							
PTSD □ YES □ NO WANDER AWAY □ YES □ NO SERVICE ANIMAL □ YES □ NO							
FRIENDS, FAMILY, AND EMERGENCY CO	NTACT INFORMATION						
ARE YOU FILLING OUT THIS ENROLLMENT FORM OR IS SOMEONE ELSE FILLING OU	T THIS FORM FOR YOU? □SELF □OTHER						
NAME	PHONE NO.						
EMERGENCY CONTACT (WHO TO CALL IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY)							
NAME	PHONE NO.						
WHO IS YOUR DOCTOR, IN CASE WE NEED TO CALL ON YOUR BEHALF?	L						
NAME	PHONE NO.						
OTHER INFORMATIO	N						
NICKNAME □ YES □ NO IF YES:							
PRIMARY LANGUAGE □ ENGLISH □ SPANISH □ OTHER IF OTHER:							
IS THERE A WEAPON IN YOUR HOME? ☐ YES ☐ NO A GUN OR OTHER FIREARM? ☐ YES ☐ NO							
DOGS? ☐ YES ☐ NO OTHER PETS? ☐ YES ☐ NO IF YES, ARE THEY AGG	RESSIVE? YES NO						
ALARM SYSTEM □ YES □ NO							
KEYHOLDER NAME	KEYHOLDER PHONE NO.						
IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE SPECIAL OR DIFFERENT ABOUT YOU THAT WE SHOULD KNOW IN ORDER TO HELP YOU?							
SIGNATURE	DATE						
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