

# Town of Franklin

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OFFICE OF THE TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

## Memorandum

December 11, 2020

To: Town Council  
From: Jamie Hellen, Town Administrator

**Re: Resolution 20-79: Gift Acceptance - Franklin Police Department**

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The Franklin Police Department has received a generous donation totaling \$100 from Joan Spiegel. This donation will be allocated towards the purchase of safety and other related equipment for Franklin Police Officers as well as various Police Department Programs.

We would like to thank Mrs. Spiegel for her generous donation.

If you have any additional questions please feel free to ask.



**TOWN OF FRANKLIN  
RESOLUTION 20-79**

**Acceptance of Gift – Franklin Police Department**

**WHEREAS,** The Franklin Police Department has received a generous donation totaling \$100 to be used at the discretion of the Franklin Police Department for the purchase of safety and other related equipment and to fund Police Department programs.

Donation Summary:

- 1. Joan Spiegel - \$100

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The Town Council of the Town of Franklin on behalf of the Franklin Police Department gratefully accepts this generous donation to be used at the discretion of the Franklin Police Department for the purchase of safety and other related equipment and to help fund departmental programs.

This resolution shall become effective according to the provisions of the Town of Franklin Home Rule Charter.

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**DATED:** \_\_\_\_\_ , 2020

**VOTED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**UNANIMOUS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**A TRUE RECORD ATTEST:**

**YES:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NO:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ABSTAIN:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ABSENT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RECUSED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nancy Danello  
Temporary Town Clerk**

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**Glenn Jones, Clerk  
Franklin Town Council**



## FRANKLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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December 7, 2020

Jamie Hellen, Town Administrator  
Town of Franklin  
355 East Central Street  
Franklin, MA 02038

SUBJECT: Gift Donation Made to the Franklin Police Department

Mr. Hellen,

I am pleased to announce the Franklin Police Department recently received the following gift donation:

- Joan E. Spiegel – Donated \$100.00 in recognition of the Police Departments service to the Franklin community (see attached card).

The donations will go long way in supporting our community related programs, assisting with training needs and the purchase of essential equipment for the officers. We sincerely appreciate the support of the residents and business community. Upon the acceptance of the Town Council, we will deposit the donations into the Police Gift Account.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas J. Lynch  
Chief of Police



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December 7, 2020

Ms. Spiegel

Dear Ms. Spiegel,

On behalf of all the personnel at the Franklin Police Department I wish to extend our sincere appreciation for the donation of \$100.00 you recently made to our organization. We sincerely appreciate your continued support and recognition.

Your generous donation will support the Franklin Police Department in our continued efforts to provide needed equipment to the officers as they protect and serve the Franklin community and to support the many programs the department offers. It is through donations like yours that we are afforded the opportunity to purchase equipment that the department would otherwise not be able to attain due to limited funding. Similarly, your generosity supports many community policing initiatives the department takes pride in offering.

Again, I want to thank you for the generous donation!

If you have any questions or require further information, Please feel free to contact me at anytime.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas J. Lynch".

Thomas J. Lynch  
Chief of Police

Christmas, 2020

*We wish you the special gifts  
of this holiday season...*

Peace, Joy and lasting Happiness.

Thank you for all you  
do for our community.

Happy Holidays

Sincerely,

Joan Spiegel