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Sheriff Patrick W. McDermott Launches “Norfolk County Heroes” Initiative

DEDHAM – Norfolk County Sheriff Patrick W. McDermott today launched a new “Norfolk County Heroes” award program designed to recognize acts of heroism, community building, and public service by the residents of Norfolk County.

“We all know people who are motivated by a desire to make life better and safer for others. They’re the people who keep our communities thriving,” said Sheriff McDermott. “Norfolk County is full of these kinds of heroes, and it’s important that we take every opportunity to recognize them. The Norfolk County Heroes award is one way that we can honor the hard work of those whose actions make life better for everyone else.”

Starting today, nominations will be accepted online for the Norfolk County Heroes award. Recipients will receive a certificate of merit from the Norfolk County Sheriff, have their name listed as a Norfolk County Hero on the Sheriff’s website, and be recognized in a ceremony. (Because of COVID-19 precautions, a later group ceremony will be held to recognize all awardees who received their award during the pandemic.)

McDermott added, “I encourage anyone who knows someone deserving recognition for their acts of selflessness and heroism to nominate them for this award.”

Recipients will be chosen from nominations made by Norfolk County residents, who can nominate individuals and groups. To make a nomination and learn more about the Norfolk County Heroes award, visit www.NorfolkSheriff.com/NorfolkCountyHeroes.

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