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District 19 Police Departments Awarded Enhanced 9-1-1 Grants

TRENTON –Senator Joseph Vitale and Assemblymen John S. Wisniewski and Joseph Vas are pleased to announce that the 19th Legislative District has been approved for three Enhanced 9-1-1 Grants. On behalf of Governor Jon S. Corzine, the New Jersey 9-1-1 Commission and the Office of Emergency Telecommunications Services within the Office of Information Technology have awarded three police departments from the 19th District these important grants.

The following Police Departments have been awarded Enhanced 9-1-1 Grants:

Perth Amboy Police Department:	\$156,037.53
Woodbridge Police Department:	\$122,021.52
Sayreville Police Department:	\$399,875.10

The grant program provides financial aid for the purpose of purchasing, upgrading, maintaining and operating the technology to provide the most reliable and cost effective state-of-the-art emergency telephone reporting system in New Jersey. Funding is also available for consolidation efforts. The program is funded from the 9-1-1 System and Emergency Response Fee.

“The Enhanced 9-1-1 Grants will allow the Perth Amboy, Woodbridge, and Sayreville Police Departments to maintain the standard of excellence in the communities they represent,” said Senator Joseph F. Vitale (D-Woodbridge). “I will continue to work hard in Trenton to ensure that the police departments in District 19 have the resources to fully protect the towns in which they operate. I thank Governor Corzine and the Office of Information Technology for awarding these grants to District 19, and I look forward to seeing these funds be put to good use by our police departments.”

“The Woodbridge Police Department and the Township Office of Emergency Management work together to coordinate public safety and to make certain that the emergency 9-1-1 communications system is the most efficient and effective system possible. I would like to thank Senator Vitale and Assemblyman Wisniewski for their leadership in securing the Enhanced 9-1-1 Grant which will allow Woodbridge Township to secure new technology geared to enhance the public safety of all Township

residents.," said Woodbridge Township Mayor John E. McCormac.

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