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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 11, 2020 11:42 AM  
**To:** Sandra Carella  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Mike DuHaime  
**Subject:** RE: Dissolution of NVERS  
**Attachments:** 2020 08 11 Draft Letter from Commissioner Petracco to Mayor Tucci and Board of Commissioners.docx

Hi Sam!

Thanks for your time yesterday – attached is a draft letter that communicates our side. Let me know if you have any feedback or questions after you have a chance to review.

Thanks so much,  
Maggie



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**Subject:** RE: Dissolution of NVERS

Hi Sam!

Thanks for this. It would be great to hop on the phone to discuss the specifics so I can draft the response. I do have background for some of it but would be helpful to discuss some of the other points. It will also be important to make sure we underscore the importance of being in the position to respond to emergencies/delivering a vital service and staying on sound financial ground – so I'll be sure to incorporate that into our response.

I'm available today from 1:30-2:30pm and any time from 3:30pm on!

Thanks,  
Maggie

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**Subject:** FW: Dissolution of NVERS

Maggie- Please take a look at the letter below. .Since this is going outside the scope of our town I think we need to have a good response. Thank you for your help.

Regards

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Senator Cory Booker and Congresswoman Mickie Sherrill are also copied on this email. They had to be sent directly through their websites.

Jonathan Arrendondo will forward this letter to the Executive Board, the Board of Trustees and the NVERS attorneys.

Donna J. Ackerman  
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July 24th

Dear Mayor Tucci and Commissioners,

I'm a 4th generation Nutley citizen. I'm also the daughter of Rich McClintick. My family has been involved with NVERS since its inception. This organization has a place in my heart. That being said, I had a meeting that lasted two hours with the leaders of NVERS. I was quite critical in my questioning. NVERS has been portrayed as a shady organization and

I wanted the truth. I needed to know what their side of the story was. My heart ached when I heard of the shady goings on as stated by Commissioner Petracco and I need to hear the other side.

This is Commissioner Petracco's fourth term. During his first term twelve years ago did he meet with the Executive Board and the Board of Trustees to set up a business plan/relationship with NVERS? How many Board meetings did he attended before the Board of Trustees were appointed? During any of his past terms was there a sit down with them to establish a business plan. What documents he would want from them? Would he have wanted monthly reports? With what information? The last time officers were installed by Commissioner Petracco was 4 years ago. He was offered a seat on the Board but declined. Now he's upset because NVERS hasn't been sending him the reports they should be. Did he establish what those documents would be? It seems he let them operate autonomously pretty much since his first term. As have previous Public Safety Directors.

Just before the end of his last term, Commissioner Petracco found out that NVERS fired Geltrude & Co for a far less expensive accounting firm and tried to fire Revenue Guard for a billing company that would have charged them 7% less than the current company's 15%. He called them and angrily asked "what the hell do you think you're doing this is an election year. Do you know how much Revenue Guard does for this town?" it looks like and smells like bad politics pure and simple. To you, Commissioner Petracco, I say you established no guidelines with them and now you're crying foul. It looks like Commissioner Petracco didn't care what they did until someone pointed something out on their 2019 tax return after Geltrude & Co was fired. Who pointed that out? He can't condemn an organization for being shady when he had twelve years to find out what was going on and set guidelines for them to follow and to participate in their Board meetings. He would have already known who the volunteers are and where they lived. He would have known when the need to hire more paid personnel was recognized and voted on. But he wasn't there.

Now, Commissioner Petracco has requested documents that are far from documents he is legally entitled to have, even according to Ordinance 60. The documents provided and the documents withheld were decided on by the Executive Board comprised of all volunteers, the Board of Trustees comprised of Dr. Maryann Alessio, Messrs.' Luther Engler, John Brown and Denis Williams and a team of attorneys working on behalf of NVERS. After the documents were sent "in good faith" and NVERS requested a sit down to try to find a solution instead of a dissolution, he refused. He finally had a meeting with the Board of Trustees. They offered all of the documents and he didn't care, he wants complete control. Are the Board of Trustees now shady? Commissioner Petracco approved all of the Board of Trustees. I highly doubt their attorneys would give them bad advice. That tells me that even if they sent all the documents that were initially requested this would be the end results. This became evident because when this went from an audit to a dissolution with no sit down or meeting with NVERS and their representatives, cooperation from Commissioner Petracco. You can't punish the child when the parent hasn't been there to teach them, set the rules, or paid attention to them.

I met with President Jonathan Arredondo, Chief Emil Pugliese, Assistant Chief Joseph DeSomma and Captain Anthony Pesci. I asked who is making the decisions that Commissioner Petracco is critical of? Especially regarding purchases and documents that were turned over and documents that were not turned over and I was advised what is stated above.

The last meeting commissioner Petracco asked for, NVERS' Chief Pugliese received a notice to attend 45 minutes prior to the meeting. When he arrived only the Nutley FD Chief and Deputy Chief were there. Did Commissioner Petracco have some type of emergent town business to attend to or was this a power play? Nowhere in Ordinance 60 does it say anything about NVERS being under the umbrella of Nutley FD.

During the height of the pandemic did he reach out to see how the EMTs were doing without mutual aid from Nutley PD and FD? Did he ask them what they needed? NVERS asked to borrow a town vehicle but the request was denied. Which brings up the Tahoe's but that is a subject for another day. Were you aware that on some occasions they were finding bodies in homes that had died days or weeks prior? That would happen maybe a couple of times a year in the past. Ask them how many this year so far? Did you ask them how it felt to tell family they would not be allowed in the hospital to see the patient and they didn't know when they would lift the restrictions on visitors.

Since the BOC meeting where the Commission introduced the resolution for the audit there have been calls that Nutley FD responded to and situations that were handled inappropriately by Nutley FD. Saturday, July 18, 2020 there was a motor vehicle accident at Harrison and Prospect. EMTs were blocked from accessing the victim by FD members. FD members then removed the victim from the overturned vehicle without an assessment, no board or collar and in a manner that could have caused permanent damage if an injury was present. When FD did put a collar on her they didn't know how to put it on. The EMTs on the scene had the experience of removing victims from cars. One of the EMTs that was blocked was Captain Pesci who has been a volunteer for eight years. Now the FD is showing up at Covid calls. Recently they arrived at a scene donned surgical masks only, no other PPE and entered the home. They were told to leave the house immediately because they were not following State mandated use of PPE. The firefighters did not decon themselves after leaving the house there by putting other firefighters at risk. These incidents have been documented by the EMTs on the scene.

The citizens of Nutley deserve better than a contracted EMS company. How are all of you going to explain to them why they have a \$800 to \$1,200 bill or higher from the contractor? NVERS does not charge citizens of Nutley and I believe Belleville. They charge insurance companies but they do not back bill and if the person doesn't have insurance they are also not charged. How will you explain to them how long the response times have become? NVERS is one of the best in this state if not the best. They train above and beyond what is required. The citizens are familiar with Nutley EMTs especially the elderly. Will they be treated with the same care and dignity that they've become accustomed to? How are they going to feel when a stranger, that cares nothing about Nutley, walks into their home? They have never been charged by NVERS and now a bill for a lot of money is received. How will you explain that to the citizens? Here's a scenario of the future with contracted EMTs. That elderly person that calls for help is going to be charged a lot of money. The next time they need to call for assistance they won't call because they can't afford it, they will lie there until it's a decent hour to call family not wanting to disturb them in the middle of the night. I worked at CMMC as an ER Tech for four years and I can't tell you how many times I heard this story. They lie there for hours and are now possibly soiled with urine and feces. Will the stranger that shows up clean him/her up with dignity? Do they not clean him/her up and leave them to do it themselves? They do not have the training that Nutley EMTs have nor the rapport that the elderly citizens are used to. You'd be doing a disservice to the Township of Nutley if you dissolve NVERS. It will cost the tax payers money because new firefighters would need to be hired. Additional training will be required. NVERS costs the Township of Nutley \$0. There are still some strings attached that I would have to say look intentional. The town pays their vehicle insurance, which NVERS would gladly pay for if it would be turned over to them.

Who is going to stand by the high school athletic events? Who will stand by during the 4<sup>th</sup> of July fireworks ready with eye wash that they use to clean ashes from eyes of spectators? At no charge. They have bicycles and are present at all street fairs and other large event just in case of a scraped knee. Again, at no charge. Does Nutley FD have the proper 1 to 2 years training to perform the BLS tasks of a Certified EMT? Do they have the training Nutley EMTs have? What about the extra training Nutley EMTs do to keep Nutley as one of the top Emergency Squads in the state.

I did speak to them about being more present in the community. They tried to have an open house two years ago. EMT's were all set to perform an extrication. Car and everything. Nobody showed up but maybe a handful. I advised them to try again, when we return to whatever the future will look like. I suggested they stage it more in the center of town. What kid can resist getting into an ambulance? I will work with them on a strategy to be more present.

How did this go from an audit to a dissolution without a sit down. NVERS offered to sit down and discuss a resolution. Commissioner Petracco refused until he had bank statements and employee and volunteer records. NVERS does not legally need to turn them over. He wouldn't legally be entitled to them with a contracted company either. Nowhere in Ordinance 60 does it mention finance records or employee and volunteer records. This Resolution is from 1953, amended in 1958, 1960, 1963 and 1987. It was supposed to be updated in I believe 2010, a document was signed by Jim Paulson and Carmen Orechio but the ordinance wasn't updated. It's been date stamped since then. The decision as to what documents were to be provided was approved by both boards and the attorneys. I know I repeated myself but Commissioner Petracco speaks of shady business and incomplete records but he refuses to meet with

them. I felt I needed to be clear. Ordinance 60 refers to Nutley First Aid Squad an organization that has not been in existence since 1976.

The fact that Commissioner Petracco did sit down with the Board of Trustees and was offered all the documents he required it didn't matter. He wants control of the finances and what contractors are used for certain services. Which would mean paying more for services NVERS found contractors that are more cost effective. I also think you are making a huge mistake and the citizens of Nutley are going to let you know. The taxes will surely increase for already over taxed citizens of Nutley. We are going to make sure we are heard. It seems to me the Mayor and all Commissioners are looking at, are great big dollar signs. It's just bad politics and a complete lack of respect to your constituents.

Kind regards,

Donna J. Ackerman

cc: Executive Board of NVERS, Board of Trustees, NVERS attorneys, Rep Cory Booker, Rep Mikie Sherrill, Essex County Executive Joseph DiVincenzo, John and Jane Q Public

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**Sent:** Sunday, August 9, 2020 6:16 PM  
**To:** Mauro G. Tucci; Joseph P. Scarpelli; John V. Kelly, III; Thomas J. Evans; Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Save the Nutley Volunteer Emergency Squad  
**Attachments:** 6th District Letter to Nutley Commissioners.pdf

Please see attached letter in support of the Nutley Volunteer Emergency Squad.

Thank you

Susan DeWitt  
Chairperson  
6th District, EMS Council of NJ

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Friday, August 7, 2020 8:53 AM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco; Alan Genitempo  
**Subject:** FW: Squad-Press release 7-22-20 final.docx  
**Attachments:** Statement from Nutley Public Safety Commissioner Alphonse Petracco on the Nutley Volunteer Emergency Rescue Squad 8-6-20 v2 CLEAN VERSION.docx

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We recommend posting this on Nutley's website, as well as Nutley's Facebook and Twitter pages. We can send it to TAPinto as well.

Let us know whose contact info you think should be on it. Last time, it was Alan's but I know he's on vacation. I left it off for now just in case.

Give me a call if you want to discuss [REDACTED].

Thanks,  
Maggie

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Hi Sam!

Thanks for sending the statement along. The Commissioner shared that draft statement with Juan previously, and Juan had some track changes – see attached. I also added a few edits.

My recommendation is that if there isn't anything new we're communicating or anything new that happened that we not send this statement out. Will call you shortly to discuss!

Thanks,  
Maggie

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**From:** Sandra Carella <[scarella@nutleynj.org](mailto:scarella@nutleynj.org)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 6, 2020 1:07 PM  
**To:** Maggie Leuzarder <[mleuzarder@mercuryllc.com](mailto:mleuzarder@mercuryllc.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Squad-Press release 7-22-20 final.docx

Maggie.. thank you for getting back to me so quickly. . See the statement below from Al.. some of it is duplicitous but call me to discuss when you are free.

From Al:

Statement should be something like this

I understand their is concern in our community regarding the Nutley Volunteer Rescue Squad. As the commissioner of public safety I have a fiduciary responsibility to oversee all aspects of the Squad. In 1953 a 501c3 was set up for NVERS with the commissioner of Public Safety having oversight of the operation. There were a lot of legal reasons for doing things this way but rest assured it was done with the best interest for our town. And things were running extremely well until this past year when it came to my attention that NVERS was making a lot of decisions without notifying me. Besides buying a boat, a new ambulance and three SUV's I saw that they had increased the annual expenses by roughly \$185,000 or 23%. Taking a loss for 2019 of \$230,000. At that rate NVERS would be broke in another 4 years. In 2019 they got a new president, changed accountants and billing services to firms unknown to the town. All these things raised red flags in my mind as I'm sure it does with you. As a fiduciary I asked to see all the details regarding all the expenses and income for 2019 and was denied access to them. Without the details it is impossible to figure out why there was such a huge increase in expenses and where exactly that money was going. Unfortunately NVERS is taking the stance that they have no obligation to give me that information although if they have nothing to hide I don't know why they wouldn't. It is my fiduciary duty to make sure every dollar that is being spent is accounted for. After asking for this information for months and being denied it, they have left me no alternative then to start the process of dissolving NVERS. Rest assured we do have a plan in place that will replace NVERS and provide the same great service you have come to expect. Of course it is still not to late for NVERS to let us see all the details we have requested so the town can have a satisfactory accounting of the expenses. Hopefully they provide the transparency required for us to keep the great working relationship that we had known for over 50 years and NVERS will live on.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 6, 2020, at 12:57 PM, Maggie Leuzarder <[mleuzarder@mercuryllc.com](mailto:mleuzarder@mercuryllc.com)> wrote:

Hi Sam!

Spoke with Juan – Alan advised Juan post it to Facebook on July 23. Here's the post:  
[https://www.facebook.com/nutleynjgovernment/posts/3229000460495190?\\_tn=K-R](https://www.facebook.com/nutleynjgovernment/posts/3229000460495190?_tn=K-R)

As I mentioned in my previous email, the post was picked up by TAPinto:  
<https://www.tapinto.net/sections/police-and-fire/articles/township-of-nutley-public-safety-director-issues-statement-about-nutley-volunteer-emergency-and-rescue-squad>

Just wrapping up another call, and I will give you a call shortly to discuss!

Thanks,  
Maggie

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Hi Sam!

Good to hear from you. It's my understanding that this press release did go out. It was posted on TAPinto on July 23: <https://www.tapinto.net/sections/police-and-fire/articles/township-of-nutley-public-safety-director-issues-statement-about-nutley-volunteer-emergency-and-rescue-squad>

I'll be connecting with Juan shortly for all the details and will give you a call after!

Thanks!  
Maggie

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Hi Maggie,

As you probably know, we have been working with Juan on several issues regarding our Rescue Squad. I am assuming the attached release was never sent out by Juan but if you can, please confirm. If not, we will be looking to have it revised and sent out soon.

Can you call me when you get a sec.. my cell is [REDACTED].

Thank you.

Sam Carella

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Mauro.. Al would like you to see this before it goes out. Please let me know once you have read it.

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I think this reads well and fully explains in greater detail our position. Please approve and I will have it sent out.

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**Subject:** Fwd: Nutley First Aid Squad

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**To:** Patricia Valesse <patvalesse@gmail.com>  
**Cc:** "Mauro G. Tucci" <mayortucci@nutleynj.org>  
**Subject:** RE: Nutley First Aid Squad

Dear Ms. Valesse,

Thank you for your letter regarding the Nutley Emergency Rescue Squad. Please know that the Squad is an invaluable agency in our Township. The care and attention they have given to our residents is without question, stellar, and those services have never been in question. There are aspects of the Squad's management, though, that I feel need further investigation including financial reports. We have asked the Squad to provide further insight which they have neglected to do. As your elected official, it is my responsibility to ensure that all aspects of all departments falling under Public Safety (Police, Fire and Squad) are held to the highest standards which in turn will provide our residents with the best possible services possible. Also, under no circumstances would I ever look to have any monetary gain for any special interest and that the issues with the squad are simply an effort to make sure that all of their financial endeavors are properly maintained and are without question, 100% sound. Hopefully we will be able to review their documents soon so we can find that to be true.

In the meantime, you have my assurance that the quality of medical services you have learned to expect from Nutley will never change.

Sincerely,

Commissioner Alphonse Petracco

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-----Original Message-----

From: Patricia Valesse [mailto:patvalesse@gmail.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 10:43 AM  
To: Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>; commissonertucci@nutleynj.org  
Subject: Nutley First Aid Squad

I'm fairly a new resident of Nutley and am quite concerned with the possible 'take-over' of the squad. From the facts being reported, it seems the discrepancy in the financial reporting looks like a bogus attempt to find anything to support this blatant act. Why? Why would you bring an outside agency to run the squad? Hopefully it isn't for a monetary payout to your own special interests. I'm very concerned about this action.

Sent from my iPad

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Antoinette Samuelson <AntoinetteSamuelson@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 4, 2020 4:15 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Re: First Aid Squad

Al, I suggest you and the other Commissioners go on NextDoor Nutley. There are a lot of irate people raising questions regarding the taxes. Are they going to go up, who will take over, will it still be a volunteer Squad etc.? Perhaps you or the Mayor or one of the other Commissioners can answer these questions. People are really upset.

Just my suggestion.

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**From:** Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 4, 2020 12:22 PM  
**To:** Antoinette Samuelson <antoinettesamuelson@msn.com>  
**Subject:** Re: First Aid Squad

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**Sent:** Monday, August 3, 2020 1:05 PM  
**To:** Kiwanis Ambulance Service of Boonton, Inc.  
**Cc:** Mauro G. Tucci; Thomas J. Evans; John V. Kelly, III; Joseph P. Scarpelli; jarredondo@nutleyrescue.org; njsfacsixth District; kjhardin315@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** Re: Letter of Support: SAVE NUTLEY VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY & RESCUE SQUAD

Dear Mr Esposito,

Thank you for your email .....it was very nice of you to take the time out of your day to reach out to our great town. ....As the Public Safety Commissioner, I have a fiduciary obligation to make sure that all of our services under my watch are being transparent to our residents and all monies are accounted for. I'm sure your town of Boonton follows these transparency requirements as well being the beautiful township you are. Thank you for the email.

Sincerely,

Commissioner Al Petracco

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 2, 2020, at 3:58 PM, Kiwanis Ambulance Service of Boonton, Inc. <info@bkfas.org> wrote:

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Respectfully,

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Boonton Kiwanis First Aid Squad

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**150 Lathrop Avenue**  
**P.O. Box 16**  
**Boonton, NJ 07005**  
**Main Phone: 973-334-4985**  
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**From:** Alan Genitempo  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 30, 2020 6:46 PM  
**To:** Mauro G. Tucci; Joseph P. Scarpelli; Thomas J. Evans; John V. Kelly, III; Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Fwd: NVERS  
**Attachments:** 2020-07-29 Ltr to Genitempo 2.pdf; ATT00001.htm

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Regards, Alan

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Matthew Streger <[matthew@keavneystreger.com](mailto:matthew@keavneystreger.com)>  
**Date:** July 30, 2020 at 12:31:30 PM EDT  
**To:** Alan Genitempo <[agenitempo@nutleynj.org](mailto:agenitempo@nutleynj.org)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: NVERS



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On July 30, 2020 at 12:27:02, Matthew Streger ([matthew@keavneystreger.com](mailto:matthew@keavneystreger.com)) wrote:

Alan, I attempted to send you this message yesterday but just got a delivery delay notification. Please confirm for me that you have gotten this?



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**To:** Mark Jacobsen  
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Sent from my iPhone

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**To:** John V. Kelly, III  
**Subject:** Re: Local R2-806 / NVERS

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**To:** Thomas J. Evans  
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**From:** Dianne Wong <diannewong7@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 24, 2020 12:31 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** NVERS

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DIANNE WONG

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 23, 2020 3:29 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Squad-Press release 7-22-20 final.docx  
**Attachments:** Squad-Press release 7-22-20 final.docx

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 23, 2020 12:44 PM  
**To:** jmelli@mercuryllc.com; Alan Genitempo  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Petracco Press release  
**Attachments:** Squad-Press release 7-22-20.edited.docx

Gentlemen, Please see the attached revision per Commissioner Petracco. Let me know your thoughts.  
Thanks Sam

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*Sandra Carella*

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**From:** Thomas J. Evans  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 23, 2020 10:44 AM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo; Mauro G. Tucci; Alphonse Petracco; Joseph P. Scarpelli; John V. Kelly, III  
**Cc:** Ceci Tramontana  
**Subject:** RE: NVERS articles

I can't read the articles. Need to be a subscriber for their online service.

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**From:** Alan Genitempo  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 22, 2020 3:41 PM  
**To:** Mauro G. Tucci <mayortucci@nutleynj.org>; Thomas J. Evans <commissionerevans@nutleynj.org>; Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>; Joseph P. Scarpelli <commissionerscarpelli@nutleynj.org>; John V. Kelly, III <commissionerkelly@nutleynj.org>  
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### Mayor and Commissioners:

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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 21, 2020 10:06 AM  
**To:** Mauro G. Tucci; Joseph P. Scarpelli; John V. Kelly, III; Thomas J. Evans; Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** Ceci Tramontana  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Monday, July 20, 2020 3:23 PM  
**To:** Ramon Rivera; Alan Genitempo  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Paul Cafone  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Friday, July 17, 2020 11:34 AM  
**To:** Matthew Streger  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Ramon E. Rivera (rrivera@scarincihollenbeck.com); Sandra Carella  
**Subject:** RE: NVERS  
**Attachments:** 2020-07-06 Ltr to Streger.pdf

**Mr. Streger:**

Be advised that your production of “financial records” is not in good faith, is deficient, does not include the records for 2020 and are clearly not the universe of documents requested in my letter of July 6<sup>th</sup> or my discussion with you. If I do not receive, by the end of business today, the totality of the documents I requested in my letter, (another copy of which I have attached for your reference) the Commissioner will have no choice but to take drastic measures to force compliance with the ordinance.

I have given your client ample time and opportunity to be transparent and provide the requested documents. It is clear that they are hiding information from the Commissioners, and that a small faction of the squad, with a personal vendetta against the Commissioner is making decisions without the full authority of the Board.

Be advised that this continued defiance of the Commissioners authority and responsibility will not be tolerated.

Please produce all of the requested documents by 5:00 pm today.

**Alan Genitempo**  
**Township Attorney**

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Alan, as we discussed, this was harder than it should have been. I hope that this will continue to show good faith moving forward on behalf of both of our clients.

Subject to the aforementioned agreement, here are the Squad's financial documents for your review.



RECIPIENT, PLEASE CONTACT THE SENDER BY REPLY E MAIL AND DESTROY ALL COPIES OF THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE.

## Alphonse Petracco

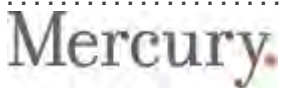
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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 14, 2020 7:35 PM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Dan Geltrude (dgeltrude@geltrude.com); Sandra Carella; Mauro G. Tucci; Thomas J. Evans; Joseph P. Scarpelli; John V. Kelly, III  
**Subject:** Re: Final Press Release 7-14-20 .docx

Hi Alan,

Here is the link to the post on TapInto Nutley: <https://www.tapinto.net/towns/nutley/sections/police-and-fire/articles/commissioner-alphonse-petracco-the-director-of-public-safety-of-the-nutley-board-of-commissioners-statement-on-financial-review-of-nutley-volunteer-emergency-rescue-squad>

Juan

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**Thanks, Alan**

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**To:** Alphonse Petracco; chopmeat11@aol.com  
**Cc:** Sandra Carella; Juan Melli  
**Subject:** NVERS press release  
**Attachments:** NVERS 7-13-20 Draft (2).docx

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Alan,

This looks good to me. I have attached a red-lined copy with very minor changes related to adding commas for clarity.

Thank you!

Dan

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**From:** Alan Genitempo <AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 6, 2020 5:19 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** Ramon Rivera; Sandra Carella  
**Subject:** Fwd: Nutley Volunteer Emergency Rescue Squad  
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Alan

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**Date:** July 6, 2020 at 4:54:54 PM EDT  
**To:** "matthew@keavneystreger.com" <matthew@keavneystreger.com>  
**Cc:** Alan Genitempo <agenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Subject:** Nutley Volunteer Emergency Rescue Squad

Mr. Streger,

Please see attached on behalf of Mr. Genitempo. Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Layne Ross <lross@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 6, 2020 4:52 PM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo; Alphonse Petracco; Ramon E. Rivera (rrivera@scarincihollenbeck.com)  
**Cc:** Sandra Carella  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

Commissioner and Mr. Rivera,

[REDACTED]

Regards,  
Layne Chiaravalloti

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**Cc:** 'Sandra Carella (scarella@nutleynj.org)' <scarella@nutleynj.org>; Layne Ross <lross@pirozinnalaw.com>  
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**Commissioner and Ramon:**

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**Commissioner and Ramon:**

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Alan

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Holger Henke <hhenke@verizon.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 3, 2020 9:54 AM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** tstrumolo@nutleypd.com  
**Subject:** Re: Letter to the Community from Chief Strumolo & Commissioner Petracco - a response

Dear Commissioner Petracco,

Thanks so much for taking time to read and respond with the kind note you have issued below. It is much appreciated. As a family who has lived in Nutley for over two decades, we love and support the community, and the police and other first responders serving it. The episode I described happened many years ago and I shared it just now not in the spirit of a complaint, but as an opportunity to improve. I am happy to see that it was received in that same spirit. Together we are always stronger and better!

I wish you and family, all first responders serving Nutley a safe and Happy Fourth of July.

With kind regards,  
Holger Henke

-----Original Message-----

From: Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>  
To: Holger Henke <hhenke@verizon.net>  
Cc: Chief Tom Strumolo <tstrumolo@nutleypd.com>  
Sent: Thu, Jul 2, 2020 10:04 am  
Subject: RE: Letter to the Community from Chief Strumolo & Commissioner Petracco - a response

Mr. Henke,

As a follow up to Chief Strumolo's response, please know we will make effort to ensure our Police department is actively and positively involved with our community. We want all residents to feel free to visit our Police, Fire or Emergency Rescue Squad Departments whether it is to discuss a particular issue they have, to learn about programs we offer or just to take their children on a tour of our building. I feel strongly that effective Community Policing is key to keeping our town safe and residents informed and involved.

When your family visits the department, I will make every effort to join you to give you a tour of our building. Have a safe and healthy Fourth of July weekend.

Regards,  
Al Petracco

## Alphonse Petracco

*Commissioner, Director of Public Safety*  
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**From:** Thomas Strumolo, Jr. [mailto:tstrumolo@nutleypd.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 1, 2020 4:00 PM  
**To:** Holger Henke <hhenke@verizon.net>  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>  
**Subject:** RE: Letter to the Community from Chief Strumolo & Commissioner Petracco - a response

Dear Mr. Henke,

Thank you for your letter in support of the Nutley Police Department and our mission. In these difficult times, we will continue to strive to encourage strong community relations with our residents and foster positive interactions with our department. With that being said, I have to apologize for the situation that happened to your wife. Even if a resident visits our department during a busy time, they should be treated with the utmost respect and given a warm and engaging welcome. We try to encourage all of our police personnel to take every visit from the public as an opportunity to learn more about what is going on in town and to nurture positive relationships that in the end, help us as a police agency. When leaving the police department on a positive note, these are the residents are more likely to become involved in Neighborhood Watch, send their children to our Junior Police Academy and look forward to programs and activities we have. We look forward to keeping these relationships for years to come.

I would like to invite you along with your wife and son back to the Nutley Police department for another visit, this time with me in the Chief's office.

**Thomas J. Strumolo**  
*Chief of Police*

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**From:** Holger Henke <[hhenke@verizon.net](mailto:hhenke@verizon.net)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 30, 2020 11:27 AM  
**To:** [alert@nutleynj.org](mailto:alert@nutleynj.org)  
**Cc:** [commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org](mailto:commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org); Thomas Strumolo, Jr. <[tstrumolo@nutleypd.com](mailto:tstrumolo@nutleypd.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Letter to the Community from Chief Strumolo & Commissioner Petracco - a response

Dear Chief Strumolo, dear Commissioner Petracco,

Thank you for reaching out to the Nutley community to explain your values, training, and programs in these - particularly - trying times. This, as well as the surely difficult and emotionally and physically taxing job of policing and keeping the community safe for everybody, is much appreciated and certainly finds most everybody's full support. We love this community, my family has lived here for over 25 years.

Many of the things you describe - mission statement, training, ongoing professional development, community relationships, accreditation etc. - resonate positively and are valuable policies, best practices, and programmatic tools. But, as someone who in the past has worked in higher education and lead institution-building ventures, I also know well that establishing an institutional culture, an *esprit de corps*, and an everyday lived value-system within any organization goes beyond these tools and policies, and requires intentional leadership and uncompromising teaching by example from the top. So, again, in that regard I am very pleased to see your extensive and public statement.

Not that these things should really matter in our country, but I am the white-as-they-come (and like many other Nutley families) immigrant from Europe father of a young adult son who in some ways looks more like President Obama than me. And so, I want to take a quick moment to share with you the deeply felt and truly existential horror, terror, and profound ongoing anxiety one experiences as parent of a non-white child, particularly a male child, when we repeatedly see these pictures on TV, knowing that things like that happen way too often and even when we don't hear of them in the media.

Let me also share with you that after the death of Eric Garner in 2014 my wife - out of that same diffuse feeling of fear for the well-being of one's own flesh and blood - took it upon herself to come to the police station, without any open or hidden agenda but just simply to say hello and introduce our son to your officers as one Nutley resident who has been living here all his life. Maybe the moment she walked into the station was inopportune, something urgent or emergent was going on, or it was just otherwise a bad day, but her initiative was just received with a brief - not formally inaccurate, but seemingly austere and unwelcoming - statement that "if he doesn't do anything illegal, he won't have a problem with the police." I am sharing this moment with you as one small example where community relations happened outside of a training context or scheduled program event, and where families like us sometimes are not sure that it is enough to be just law-abiding, tax-paying, and otherwise citizens of good standing in the community. In short, rightly or wrongly, my wife left your police station - her moment of community-relations with the police - disappointed by the kind of reception she found.

Thanks much again for your time, all the work you are doing to provide safety and security, your efforts to provide the best possible service for the community, and all intentions to always improve. As mentioned above, it is truly appreciated and supported.

With kind regards,  
Holger Henke  
(Cambridge Heights, Nutley)

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From: Township of Nutley NJ <[alert@nutleynj.org](mailto:alert@nutleynj.org)>

To: [hhenke@verizon.net](mailto:hhenke@verizon.net)

Sent: Fri, Jun 26, 2020 8:03 pm

Subject: Letter to the Community from Chief Strumolo & Commissioner Petracco

## Letter to the Community from Chief Thomas Strumolo & Commissioner Alphonse Petracco

Over the last several weeks since the tragic incident that took place in Minneapolis which led to the death of George Floyd, We've been speaking to many residents and citizens and answering many questions regarding what we do in the Nutley Police Department. We, along with all the officers of the Nutley Police Department, were angered and saddened by what took place in Minneapolis and will continue to work hard to provide the highest level of public safety in a fair and equitable manner.

We want to ensure all residents and citizens that the Nutley Police Department takes pride and is committed to treating all citizens with **Integrity, Respect, Fairness and Service**. These are our core values as expressed in our mission statement and all officers are committed to policing in a professional manner. In the Nutley Police Department, we strive to hire the best qualified people and provide continual training to ensure all our officers are properly trained in the best practices in policing. After being hired and completing initial training at the police academy, all officers enter into our field training program and are mentored by a trained a field training

officer for a minimum of 8 weeks. It's during this time that we instill these core values into our new officers and ensure they are sufficiently trained before releasing them from the program. From there, all officers of the department continue to receive mandatory in-service training throughout the year in areas of use of force, domestic violence, de-escalation tactics, bias incidents, first aid and other critical areas that require additional training. We take great pride in the training we provide our officers and have a full-time training unit that ensures all officers receive the latest training available.

The Nutley Police Department is accredited through the New Jersey State Association of Chiefs of Police and has continued to meet these stringent requirements since first attaining accreditation status in 2011. As part of our accreditation standards, we are required to update our policy and procedures on a yearly basis to ensure that our officers are following the best practices in policing. As part of these standards, supervisors review all calls and incidents to ensure officers are complying with these policies. In addition, all use of force and critical incidents are reviewed by command staff to ensure compliance. We hold all of our officers to the highest standards and they are committed to treating all citizens in a professional and fair manner.

We, along with all the officers of the Nutley Police Department, have worked hard for many years building relationships throughout our community through many of the programs we offer to interact on a positive note with all residents. We will continue to build the trust from our residents by working together with them. Every officer in the department is committed to our community policing programs and these programs will continue to allow us to build relationships and trust with all citizens. One of the programs we offer at an early age for our children is the Junior Police Academy. Children ages 10-13 spend 5 days with officers learning what police officers do and interact with officers on a positive note learning how to make the right choices and decisions in life and learning to work as a team with the other children in the program. Feedback from the parents of the children who attended the academy have expressed that the experience helped their children develop relationships with officers so when they see them in public, they feel comfortable coming up and interacting with them. This program has been extremely well received with our residents. In addition, our officers teach the national LEAD program, which stands for Law Enforcement Against Drugs in all our elementary schools throughout the year. This curriculum allows officers to go into the schools and work with children for 10 weeks. The officers coach and mentor the students on making right choices in life and how to think about the choices they are faced with in addition to having the courage to make the right decision. Another program we began implementing several years ago is the PALS (Police at Lunch with Students) program where officers select a different school each month and bring pizza to have lunch with a group of children and interact with them on a positive note. All these programs have allowed us to build great relationships with the children in the community and we will continue to provide these types of positive programs.

In addition, the Nutley Police Department also offers events for adults including the nationwide initiative of Coffee with Cop. This program allows our officers to interact with citizens in a relaxed and less formal setting. Officers are encouraged to sit down with members of the community to discuss a wide variety of matters and concerns to answer questions, and to

become better acquainted with the citizens who reside or visit our community. We also offer safety related training to citizens. In the Fall of 2019, we hosted a medical training course that instructed citizens on what to do in case of a medical emergency in their home or workplace. The Nutley Police Department has also been working to develop a Citizen's Police Academy Program to provide citizens with an in-depth look at police work in their community. We are committed to continuing these programs and to remain engaged with these community policing events and programs. The Nutley Police Department adheres to all NJ Attorney General Guidelines and Accreditation standards and restricts or requires the following:

1. Chokeholds and strangleholds are banned, unless it is a deadly force situation.
2. We require all officers to de-escalate situations whenever possible, by communicating with subjects and maintaining distance. Officers are provided specific ongoing training in this area.
3. We require verbal warnings, when possible, prior to discharging a firearm.
4. We require officers to exhaust all alternatives, when possible, before discharging a firearm.
5. We require all officers to intervene and stop excessive force and report the incident to command staff. In addition officers must report any and all misconduct.
6. Officers are not permitted to shoot at moving vehicles, unless it is a deadly force situation and no other option is available.
7. We require adherence to a strict use of force continuum, and only use deadly force as a last resort.
8. We require officers to document and report each time they use or threaten to use force. These incidents are reviewed by our command staff.

Once again, we would like everyone to know that the Nutley Police Department is dedicated to working with the public as partners in Public Safety. We will continue to work with all areas of society and government to provide this service. We are committed to the highest levels of professionalism and Public Safety for all persons, regardless of race, religion or creed. We will continue to work hard to expand our partnership with the public and always strive to improve the level of service that we provide on a day to day basis. We would also like to personally assure all citizens that no member of the Nutley Police Department will tolerate police misconduct of any kind including any kind of excessive force or any form of racial bias. In closing, we want to thank you for your support and to tell you that it is our distinct honor to serve as the Chief of Police and Commissioner of Public Safety for the Township of Nutley.

**- In an Emergency Dial 911 -**

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## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 1, 2020 11:33 AM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco; Alan Genitempo; Ramon Rivera  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

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*Sandra Carella*

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 1, 2020 10:47 AM  
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**Subject:** Rescue Fin Breakdown.xlsx

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 30, 2020 3:32 PM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo; rriveria@scarincihollenbeck.com; Alphonse Petracco; Paul Cafone  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

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**Date:** June 19, 2020 at 4:07:00 PM EDT  
**To:** Alan Genitempo <agenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>, Ramon Rivera <RRivera@sh-law.com>  
**Cc:** Commissioner Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>, "Mauro G. Tucci" <mayortucci@nutleynj.org>  
**Subject:** revised Squad ordinance

All,

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Have a good weekend.

Regards, Sam

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**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2020 7:33 AM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo  
**Cc:** John V. Kelly, III; Joseph P. Scarpelli; Thomas J. Evans; Mauro G. Tucci  
**Subject:** Re: [REDACTED]

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On Jun 18, 2020, at 5:31 PM, Alan Genitempo <[AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com](mailto:AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com)> wrote:

Commissioners

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On Jun 18, 2020, at 4:23 PM, John V. Kelly, III  
<[commissionerkelly@nutleynj.org](mailto:commissionerkelly@nutleynj.org)> wrote:

Jonathan,

Thanks for reaching out. I do not think a meeting with myself is appropriate regarding an internal matter with the Squad. You should work with Commissioner Petracco. I am happy to speak with you on other matters/issues.

However, I did want to reach out to you regarding the CARE committee. It is a committee that is run out of my office that has been dormant for some time. Its focus is to get help to the most vulnerable citizens in Nutley. In the past, the rescue squad had a member participate in the committee meetings.

Would the squad be interested in participating?

Best,  
John

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**Commissioner John V. Kelly, III**  
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**From:** Jonathan Arredondo [<mailto:jarredondo@nutleyrescue.org>]

**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2020 3:30 PM

**To:** Joseph P. Scarpelli <[commissionerscarpelli@nutleynj.org](mailto:commissionerscarpelli@nutleynj.org)>; Thomas J. Evans  
<[commissionerevans@nutleynj.org](mailto:commissionerevans@nutleynj.org)>; John V. Kelly, III  
<[commissionerkelly@nutleynj.org](mailto:commissionerkelly@nutleynj.org)>

**Subject:** Meeting

Good afternoon Commissioners,

My name is Jonathan and I'm the current President of the Nutley Volunteer  
Emergency And Rescue Squad.

I'd like to set up a meeting with each of you when possible to discuss an ongoing  
matter with NVERS. The meeting can either be done in person or over the phone.

Kindly let me know your availability when possible.

Best regards,

**Jonathan Arredondo**

President & CEO

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## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Sandra Carella  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2020 4:08 PM  
**To:** Alan Genitempo; Ramon Rivera  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Mauro G. Tucci  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

All,

[REDACTED]

Regards, Sam

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*Sandra Carella*

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**To:** John V. Kelly, III  
**Cc:** Joseph P. Scarpelli; Thomas J. Evans; Alphonse Petracco; Mauro G. Tucci  
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**From:** Jonathan Arredondo [mailto:jarredondo@nutleyrescue.org]  
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**From:** Alan Genitempo <AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 16, 2020 11:43 AM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** Sandra Carella; Paul Cafone; Ramon E. Rivera (rrivera@scarincihollenbeck.com)  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
**Attachments:** [REDACTED]

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Alan

## **Alphonse Petracco**

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**From:** Alan Genitempo <AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2020 5:32 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** Sandra Carella; Paul Cafone  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]  
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**From:** Alan Genitempo <AGenitempo@pirozinnalaw.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2020 4:45 PM  
**To:** Mauro G. Tucci  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Sandra Carella  
**Subject:** First Aid Squad  
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**Alan**



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**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2020 10:45 AM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Cc:** Sandra Carella; Emil Pugliese  
**Subject:** Meeting | 6/17/2020

Good morning Commissioner,

We had a meeting with our Board of Trustees over the weekend and they will be attending the meeting scheduled for Wednesday at 3pm along with myself, Chief Pugliese and our legal counsel.

Thank you,

**Jonathan Arredondo**

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**From:** John Lee <jlee@tapinto.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 8, 2020 9:26 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco  
**Subject:** Re: EMS at BLM Rally?

Thanks!

**John Lee**  
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**From:** sam0280 Carella <sam0280@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 7, 2020 8:04 PM  
**To:** Alphonse Petracco; chopmeat11@aol.com  
**Subject:** To post On Facebook

This has obviously been an incredibly difficult and scary time for all of us. On daily basis, we continue to see the numbers increase, the death toll highlighted in big bold letters and specific horror stories adding to our misery and feelings of depression and anxiety. We have also read, heard and watched these very same things as it directly relates to our backyard here in Nutley. However, there are some very positive and news worthy things happening that we don't ever here about. This is one of those stories. Please share and cascade this across the town in an effort to spread hope and positivity. Having said this, we are certainly also aware, saddened and praying for all of the people and their families that have lost loved ones or are very sick from this evil and devastating pandemic.

Walter McDonald has been living in Nutley for over 50 years. He raised his family here, served over 35 years on the Nutley Rescue Squad and is now 85 years young. Wally has fought through many ailments over the last several years including; COPD, emphysema, skin and prostate cancers, stroke, diabetes and has 3 stents, just to name a few. Wally began developing symptoms of COVID-19 just over 3 weeks ago and needless to say, it put enormous fear throughout our family. His home care nurses aid basically told us that she believed that he had the Corona Virus. His daughter and family decided that going to the hospital was not the best option primarily because he would be left alone and there was no cure anyway. He also didn't appear to need a ventilator. He was never officially tested but his symptoms began to worsen as we watched him continue to decline. Our family, very carefully, began the process of dealing with this and caring for him. All of the available precautions were taken by everyone as the mission to help Pop Pop recover was now underway. Jumping into the unknown and led by his daughter, the family, along with God, all worked together rotating shifts day and night, while obviously protecting themselves to care for Wally.

An oxygen tank was brought in as his breathing dissipated, applesauce, capri sun and anything else he would agree to was given in order to hydrate him. Hydration was becoming his enemy at 1 week in, his lungs and breathing were the problem in week 2 followed by body aches and consistent incoherent behavior. We are now over the 3 week mark and this high risk, 85 year old, warrior has broken

through the darkness and is 90% back to his old self. Wally is talking, moving, singing and smiling again.

I am sharing this because there is indeed light at the end of the tunnel in many cases. We just don't always hear about them. But this is a testimony that even an elderly, extremely high risk individual can beat COVID-19. Pop-Pop will continue to be monitored at home by HIS own private first responders. It was also heart-warming and amazing to receive all of the love, support, phone calls, distance visiting and overall concern from our Nutley family of friends. Again, our thoughts and prayers go out to everyone during this crazy and un-certain time but try to stay positive, stay strong and stay well.

Please share your stories and help us spread a virus of hope, love and positive energy throughout our community in Nutley.

## Alphonse Petracco

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**From:** Jonathan Arredondo <jarredondo@nutleyrescue.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 26, 2020 5:13 PM  
**To:** Sandra Carella  
**Cc:** Alphonse Petracco; Paul Cafone; tstrumolo@nutleydpd.com; Emil Pugliese  
**Subject:** Fwd: Uber Eats Free Meals | Nutley Volunteer Emergency & Rescue Squad  
**Attachments:** Promo Codes Fire + PD.xlsx

Hi Sandra,

I hope everyone is well.

To recap our conversation this morning, I was able to get Uber Eats to donate the squad 60 free meals valued up to \$25.

The squad would like to donate 40 of those meals(20 to Fire and 20 to PD).

We're all a team during this crisis and we need to do anything we can to prevent our first responders from leaving the building to pick up food and potentially risking contracting this virus during a time where social distancing is crucial.

I've attached the promo codes for you all to use on the Uber Eats app. The promo codes expire in 14 days and can be given to each individual member to use at their convenience.

Thank you all and stay healthy,

**Jonathan Arredondo**

President & CEO

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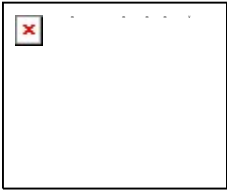
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Jonathan,

Thank you for requesting free meals to first responders impacted by COVID-19. As a thank you to you and your colleagues for keeping our communities safe and healthy, Eats is offering **60** free meals with the promo codes attached. The promo code is valued at \$25 (not including taxes and service fees). This offer is limited to one redemption per user. This offer will expire in **14 days**. Please distribute this document to your team and colleagues. **Please securely distribute the promo codes in the attached document. Sharing these codes outside of the org may mean that the first responders they are intended for will not be able to use them.** How to apply the code? It's easy!

- Just open your Uber Eats app
- Start adding to cart
- When you're ready to place your order, go to your cart
- Tap Add Promo Code to enter code **PROMOCODE**

**Here are some helpful links if you have any questions:**

- [How to apply a promo code](#)
- [How to place an order on Eats](#)
- [FAQ](#)

Feel free to reach out to [social-impact-support@uber.com](mailto:social-impact-support@uber.com) with any questions.

Thank you!

*Disclaimer*

This offer is intended for first responders and healthcare professionals only. Limited time only, while supplies last. Offer expires 2 weeks after this promo is applied to the user's account. Offer can no longer be applied after 11:55pm PT on April 30, 2020. The offer is valid for up to \$25 off your next order only (before taxes and fees). Taxes and a Service Fee still apply. A Delivery Fee and a Small Order Fee may apply. You must apply the promo code in the app before completing your order. Valid only in the US. Terms subject to change. See Uber Eats app for details and location availability.

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**Sent:** Friday, March 20, 2020 2:54 PM  
**To:** Emil Pugliese; Steven L. Rogers; Thomas Strumolo, Jr.; Paul Cafone; David Hollywood; Chris Lohman; Anthony Santoro; William Vonroth; Jason M. Kirk; Salvatore Ferraro; David Berry; Thomas Restaino; epainter@nutleyfamily.org; Daniel Jacoby; Frank DeMaio; Michael Luzzi; Phil N Chief; Eleni Pettas; Mauro G. Tucci; Thomas J. Evans; Joseph P. Scarpelli; Alphonse Petracco; Sandra Carella; nferrara@nutleyschools.org; Dr Julie Glazer; Patricia Cruz; Michael Goitiandia; Cathy Kelly; Alan Genitempo; Joanne Cocchiola; Salvatore Scarpelli; Linda Diacheysn; Robert Irwin; Meredith Blank; Courtney Johnson; joanneC51@aol.com  
**Subject:** RE: COVID-19 (2020)

Good Afternoon Everyone,

The number of confirmed cases in Nutley has risen today. We are going to send an alert out for 4pm today to notify the public. I am adding information on postponement of home revaluations. If anyone has anything they need to add please (reply all by 330). Monday afternoon at 130 pm we will have another teleconference call to go over any new information over the weekend. My phone will be on me over the entire weekend, if you need me for any reason day or night don't hesitate to reach out. Unless more cases come over the weekend I am planning on sending the next alert out for Monday.

### Teleconference Monday 3/23/2020 at 130pm

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 18, 2020 10:10 AM

**To:** Emil Pugliese <epugliese@nutleynj.org>; Steven L. Rogers <commissionerrogers@nutleynj.org>; 'Thomas Strumolo, Jr.' <tstrumolo@nutleypd.com>; Paul Cafone <pcafone@nutleynj.org>; David Hollywood <dhollywood@nutleynj.org>; Chris Lohman <clohman@nutleynj.org>; Anthony Santoro <asantoro@nutleynj.org>; William Vonroth <wvonroth@nutleynj.org>; Jason M. Kirk <jkirk@nutleynj.org>; Salvatore Ferraro <sferraro@nutleynj.org>; David Berry <dberry@nutleynj.org>; Thomas Restaino <trestaino@nutleynj.org>; 'epainter@nutleyfamily.org' <epainter@nutleyfamily.org>; Daniel Jacoby <djacoby@nutleynj.org>; Frank DeMaio <fdemaio@nutleynj.org>; Michael Luzzi <mluzzi@nutleynj.org>; 'Phil N Chief' <philnicollette@gmail.com>; Eleni Pettas <epettas@nutleynj.org>; Mauro G. Tucci <commissionertucci@nutleynj.org>; Thomas J. Evans <commissionerevans@nutleynj.org>; Joseph P. Scarpelli <mayorscarpelli@nutleynj.org>; Alphonse Petracco <commissionerpetracco@nutleynj.org>; Sandra Carella <scarella@nutleynj.org>; 'nferrara@nutleyschools.org' <nferrara@nutleyschools.org>; 'Dr Julie Glazer' <jglazer@nutleyschools.org>; Patricia Cruz <pcruz@nutleynj.org>; Michael Goitiandia <mgoitiandia@nutleynj.org>; Cathy Kelly <ckelly@nutleynj.org>; Alan Genitempo <agenitempo@nutleynj.org>; Joanne Cocchiola <jcocchiola@nutleynj.org>; Salvatore Scarpelli <sscarpelli@nutleynj.org>; 'Linda Diacheysn' <ldiacheysn@nutleypd.com>; 'Robert Irwin' <rirwin@nutleypd.com>; Meredith Blank <mblank@nutleynj.org>; Courtney Johnson <cjohnson@nutleynj.org>

**Subject:** RE: COVID-19 (2020)

Good Morning,

I wanted to remind everyone that today at 130pm we are going to have a quick teleconference call to go over new information so we can continue to be on the same page throughout this event. Details on accessing the conference call are listed below. We will be sending out an alert today between 3pm and 4pm if anyone has any additional information they want out to the public, please reply all with the information have.

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Sincerely,

Will

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Chief,

I agree with you. I will let everyone know once I get off the phone with them and county officials.

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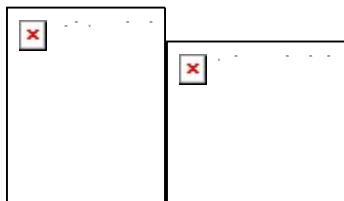
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On Mar 16, 2020, at 11:48 AM, Emil Pugliese <[epugliese@nutleynj.org](mailto:epugliese@nutleynj.org)> wrote:

Lt. Cassidy can you please post this today for EMS.

On behalf of Nutley EMS

To all our Residents:

Our members at Nutley Volunteer Emergency and Rescue Squad are available to respond to all emergencies during the COVID-19 outbreak.

If you are quarantined (mandatory or self-imposed) in your home due to possible or confirmed COVID-19 exposure. PLEASE notify 911 when you call and advise the dispatcher.

We also ask that you place a sign/note on your front door to alert our emergency responders to take infection-prevention precautions before entering you home or business.

We need to protect our crews so that they will be able to continue to meet the emergency needs of the community. Elsewhere, there have been entire EMS departments quarantined after they responded to quarantined homes and were not notified before arrival to the residence. Those first responders will not be able to help anyone for 14 days.

Thank you for your understanding.

Chief Emil Pugliese and the Members of NVERS.

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Thank you,  
Will

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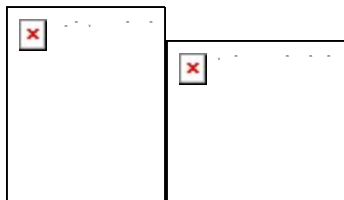
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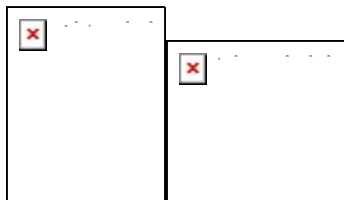
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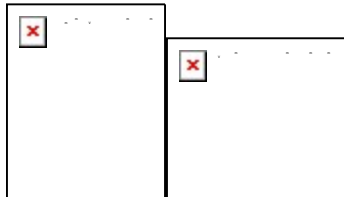
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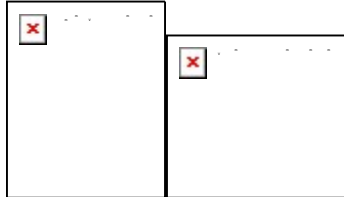
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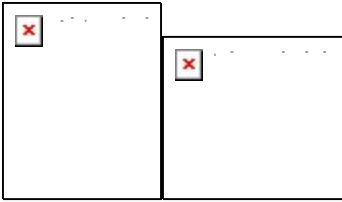
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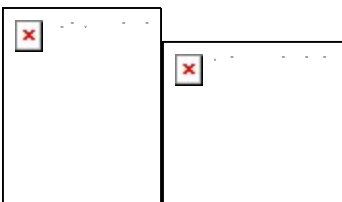
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**To:** Township Employees  
**Subject:** IN MEMORY OF PAT INTINDOLA

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*Pat designed a handicap home for Michael Reilley of Nutley, and designed and built the Special Young Adults Building, Nutley.*

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