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POLICY & PURPOSE:

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POLICY: It is the policy of this department that all members maintain uniforms and personal equipment in accordance with department specifications.

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PURPOSE: The purpose of this policy is to outline specifications and authorize all personal equipment and apparel used/worn by department members. It will ensure uniformity of patrol officers' apparel and

professional appearance for all members and employees. It will ensure body armor is immediately available to all officers assigned to routine uniformed field duty and prevent use of unauthorized or substandard items.

BREAST BADGES AND NAMETAGS: Breast badges and nametags are to be worn on the outermost garment. All officers will wear a silver or gold color nametag depending on their rank or assignment. The base color of the metal shall match the base color of the breast badge. It will be approximately 1/2 inch wide by 2 1/2 inches to 3 inches long with 1/4 inch high block letters inlaid with black ink. The inscription shall be the officer's first initial, middle initial (optional), and last name. The nametag will be worn at the top of the right hand shirt pocket (or on outer most garment) centered in relation to the garment's pocket and the lower edge of the nametag will abut the top seam on the pocket flap of the uniform shirt.

IDENTIFICATION CARD: All employees shall be issued a Woodbridge Township Police Department Identification Card, which shall have the employee's photograph, name, identification number, rank or job title, and such other information as directed by the Police Director.

1. Upon request members and employees will identify themselves by name and if applicable identification or badge number.