

**INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF UPPER BROOKVILLE  
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May 9, 2011

Dear Residents,

I am pleased to report that the Village of Upper Brookville has reached an agreement with Old Brookville, Brookville, Matinecock, Mill Neck and Cove Neck to continue to provide police protection services for our residents through the Old Brookville Police Department (OBPD). We six Villages have agreed to terms in a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) which will support the OBPD for another year beginning June 1, 2011.

This morning, the Board of Trustees of Upper Brookville met in a special session and unanimously agreed on a Resolution to execute the MOU, which I have signed this afternoon.

Rightsizing the OBPD to serve six rather than seven communities will not be an easy task. However, we are glad to have found common ground, and working together, we are optimistic that we can restructure the Department to make it sustainable far into the future.

The other Trustees and I thank you for your participation in the Village meetings held on this topic. We hope you have felt well informed as we wrestled with the complex issues concerning police protection for the community, and we appreciate the input you have provided.

Sincerely Yours,

Mayor Terry L. Thielen