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Hon. Richard Nicolello Presiding Officer Nassau County Legislature 1550 Franklin Avenue Mineola, NY 11501 Hon. Kevan M. Abrahams Minority Leader Nassau County Legislature 1550 Franklin Avenue Mineola, 11501

Dear Presiding Officer Nicolello and Minority Leader Abrahams:

Today, Nassau County is filing with the Clerk to the Legislature an updated draft of the Nassau County Police Reform and Reinvention Plan. This effort is the product of more than 120 public input sessions and written proposals submitted from residents and community stakeholders, and it represents the latest blueprint for policing reforms in Nassau County.

Based upon public input, the updated draft plan focuses on three main cornerstones for reform and reinvention: Robust Community-Orientated Policing, Transparency and Accountability. The Nassau County Police Department has engaged in comprehensive community input and incorporated approximately 86 recommendations in whole or in part. As we move forward and build on our current efforts to reform policing, we welcome legislative input. We plan to treat this updated plan effort as a living document, which is intended to reform Nassau County policing now and in future years. We look forward to feedback from the Legislature for any proposed plan amendments.

It is important to move ahead with a community policing effort that meets the needs of all our residents.

Sincerely,

Laura Curran

cc: Police Commissioner Patrick Ryder