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**TO: Millersville Borough Safety Committee
The Honorable Borough Council
Citizens of the Borough of Millersville**

It is Mayor Moriarty's and my pleasure to present you with the Millersville Borough 2012 Annual Police Report. This extensive report reflects on the nature, volume and extent of crime as well as other police related activities within the Borough of Millersville during this past year. This annual report will also highlight some of the major achievements and accomplishments of your Police Department. It should be noted that the statistics used to compile this report have neither been audited by the Pennsylvania State Police nor the Federal Bureau of Investigations and may vary slightly once the audits have been completed.

When it comes to our annual year end review the entire Department looks inward in an effort to evaluate not just what we did, but also how well we did. We are particularly concerned with the quality of service we offer and the protection we provide to our citizens. Especially during these difficult economic times, it is more vital than ever that we must continue to provide the best professional law enforcement services to our citizens.

We would also like to thank Borough Council for their continued support. Your ongoing support has enabled our Department to address the increasing needs and demands placed on our Department in the area of law enforcement. Without your continued support it would hinder our efforts of keeping our citizens safe while ensuring the quality of life that they deserve and expect.

Our Department continues to be comprised of highly trained, result-oriented professionals. We believe in both high professional standards as well as attitudes that are dedicated to high ethical and moral standards with uncompromising honesty. The Millersville Borough Police Department is a progressive law enforcement agency committed to providing excellent professional law enforcement services in the most responsive, efficient and effective manner, all while maintaining fiscal conservative principles. The Mayor and I are very thankful for these loyal employees. Without their ongoing commitment and professionalism, the Department's success this past year could not have occurred. The Millersville Borough Police Department staff is honored to serve the citizens of Millersville and we will strive to continue to meet the needs of our community while delivering the highest professional law enforcement services to our community.

Respectfully,

John D. Rochat
Millersville Police Chief

2012 - Executive Summary

The Borough of Millersville experienced a 44.03% (48) increase in reported major serious crimes (Part One Crimes) last year, from 109 reported in 2011 to 157 reported in 2012. Of the 157 reported major crimes, 60 (38.20%) have been cleared to date. This clearance rate should keep Millersville comparable to the County, State and National clearance averages. In addition, we saw a 13.7% (72) decrease in the number of reported less serious crimes (Part Two Crimes) from 525 reported in 2011 to 453 reported in 2012. Of the 453 reportable Part Two Crimes in 2012, 350 have been cleared to date, giving the Borough a 2012 Part Two clearance rate of 77.26%. When combining both Part One and Part Two Crimes, Millersville handled a total of 610 criminal offenses during 2012. Of the 610 total criminal offenses handled during 2012, 410 cases have been cleared to date, giving Millersville a combined clearance rate of 67.2%. It should be noted that 25 burglaries were attributed to one individual's burglary spree who was arrested. Even if you subtract those 25 from the 157 total Part One Crimes, reducing the total to 132, the Borough still incurred an increase of 21.1% in Part One Crimes for 2012.

Reportable Part One Offenses

<u>CRIME</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>NOTATIONS</u>
Homicide	0	0	No Change
Rape	5	3	40% Decrease
Robbery	3	5	66.66% Increase
Felonious Assault	12	9	25% Decrease
Burglary	20	54	170% Increase
Larceny	68	84	23.5% Increase
Motor Vehicle Theft	1	2	100% Increase
Arson	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	No Change
TOTALS	109	157	44.03% Increase