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Duxbury Police Participating in the Ring Neighbors Program

Duxbury – April 4th, 2022

The Duxbury Police Department is happy to announce that it has joined the Ring Neighbors Program. The program allows residents to share information and video about criminal activity in their neighborhood with their neighbors and Public Safety personnel. Homeowners with Ring or other brands of video camera can participate in the program and only video specifically shared by the homeowner is visible to other members. The system also allows for non-camera owners to receive alerts and information regarding activity in their area.

See the attached information sheet.

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Ring's mission is to make neighborhoods safer. That's why Ring provides Neighbors as a free tool for communities to connect and share valuable safety information--whether or not they own a Ring device.

About Neighbors

Neighbors is a free app created for residents to connect and share hyper-local safety updates and information from reliable sources. Neighbors Public Safety Service is an interface that allows local public safety agencies to join Neighbors to help keep residents safe and informed.

Key Neighbors Features

- **Stay Informed:** Millions of residents in communities across the U.S. have joined Neighbors and use it to receive real-time, hyper-local safety updates from fellow neighbors and the public safety agencies that serve them.
 - **Share Safety Updates:** Share safety-related updates with your community by creating a new post or commenting on existing posts in your local Neighbors feed.
 - **Customize Your Experience:** Select your neighborhood area of interest and adjust your settings to see only the types of updates you wish to receive and how often you would like to receive them.
 - **Helpful Safety Services:** In some neighborhoods, public safety agencies use Neighbors to connect with residents and share hyper-local safety updates in the communities they serve. Visit Ring's [Active Agency Map](#) to see if your local public safety agency is on Neighbors.
 - **User Privacy & Control:** When using Neighbors, police and other public safety agencies can only view what residents have posted publicly to Neighbors or what they have shared in response to a [video request](#). Police and other public safety agencies do not have access to users' Ring devices, live streams or personal information when using Neighbors.
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How to Join Neighbors

For Residents: Download the Neighbors App for free on [iOS](#), [Android](#) and [FireOS](#) devices. You do not need to own a Ring device or any home security system in order to participate on Neighbors.

For Public Safety Agencies: Visit Ring's website at communityprograms.ring.com to complete the form and learn more about NPSS.

To learn more about Neighbors, visit <https://ring.com/neighbors>
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