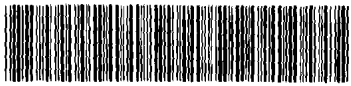


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**WELD, CELLUCCI ANNOUNCE \$12.1M IN STATEWIDE
COMMUNITY POLICING GRANTS
Lowell awarded \$617,000 for grassroots outreach effort**

Governor William Weld and Lieutenant Governor Paul Cellucci today announced the awarding of \$12.1 million in community policing grants to 240 cities and towns across the state, an increase of \$1 million from fiscal year 1995. The announcement was made at the Lowell Police headquarters, where Weld and Cellucci awarded \$617,000 to the City's community policing program.

"This \$12.1 million is possibly the best-spent money in state government," said Weld. "We're giving this money with no strings attached -- only our best wishes and the expectation that local police departments will find creative ways to bring police closer to the people they serve."

"Cities like Lowell, which have created such successful community policing programs, are a tribute to the dedicated police officers that we are fortunate to have protecting us and our families every day," said Cellucci.

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The community policing grant program, as authorized by the Legislature, directs \$9 million to the 22 communities which participated in the fiscal 1995 grant program, including \$1.9 million to the City of Boston. The Administration employed a competitive grant program to distribute nearly \$3 million to 218 other communities, including \$823,469 to 71 communities which are participating in the program for the first time.

"We want to see police departments working with each other to develop promising initiatives just as they already are working with neighborhoods to fight crime," said Public Safety Secretary Kathleen M. O'Toole.

This year's average grant award increased by approximately 80%, from \$7,608 in fiscal 1995 to \$13,864 in fiscal 1996. The awards are administered in a tiered system based on community population through a new competitive application process. Under the new system, this year an additional 71 communities will employ innovative policing strategies which utilize community resources such as neighborhood watches, 'beat' officers, and other efforts to foster closer working relationships between the police and the community.

"The police chiefs are extremely appreciative of the efforts of the Weld-Cellucci administration to bring more departments on line," said Easthampton Chief of Police Robert Redfern, President of the Massachusetts' Chiefs of Police Association, who accepted the \$12.1 million mock check on behalf of the local police departments. "Community Policing has now become commonplace in Massachusetts."

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Weld also commended Lowell for their effective programs which include a mobile command center that promptly responds to neighborhood concerns and designated problem areas; six precinct police sub-stations throughout the City; and an anti-gang community policing program which aggressively works with local school officials and students to stymie juvenile crime.

"This money has a significant impact in the neighborhoods of Lowell. We have used the funding to reach out to develop and nurture partnerships with community residents and business people," said Lowell Police Superintendent Edward Davis, who accepted the grant award from Weld. "The success of our combined efforts can be measured in not only double digit decreases in crime, but more importantly in the increased feeling of safety and security in our neighborhoods."

Weld and Cellucci also released the first Community Policing Manual, a resource book produced by the Executive Office of Public Safety, which lists exemplary programs since the inception of the community policing grant program two years ago.

"This manual will serve as a road map to other communities who are eager to experiment with innovative policing programs," added Weld.

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FY96 COMMUNITY POLICING GRANT AWARDS

<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
1 ABINGTON	19,456
2 AGAWAM	19,914
3 AMESBURY	9,500
4 AMHERST	20,000
5 ARLINGTON	20,000
6 ASHLAND	20,000
7 ATHOL	14,250
8 ATTLEBORO	20,000
8 AUBURN	19,000
10 BARRE	4,500
11 BECKET	4,500
12 BEDFORD	9,500
13 BELCHERTOWN	14,250
14 BELLINGHAM	9,500
15 BELMONT	20,000
16 BERNARDSTON	4,500
17 BEVERLY	39,700
18 BILLERICA	20,000
19 BOLTON	4,500
20 BOSTON	1,922,000
21 BOURNE	20,000
22 BOXBOROUGH	4,500
23 BOYLSTON	4,500
24 BRAINTREE	20,000
25 BREWSTER	9,500
26 BRIDGEWATER	20,000
27 BROCKTON	590,848
28 BROOKLINE	75,000
29 BUCKLAND	4,500
30 BURLINGTON	20,000
31 CAMBRIDGE	380,843
32 CANTON	9,500
33 CARLISLE	4,500
34 CHELMSFORD	14,820
35 CHELSEA	377,229

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<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
36 CHICOPEE	187,158
37 CLINTON	9,500
38 CONCORD	9,500
39 DALTON	4,500
40 DANVERS	30,000
41 DARTMOUTH	20,000
42 DEDHAM	40,000
43 DEERFIELD	4,500
44 DENNIS	14,250
45 DIGHTON	4,400
46 DOUGLAS	4,500
47 DOVER	4,500
48 DRACUT	20,000
49 EAST BRIDGEWATER	14,250
50 EAST BROOKFIELD	6,750
51 EASTHAM	14,250
52 EASTHAMPTON	20,000
53 EASTON	25,341
54 EDGARTOWN	6,750
55 ERVING	14,250
56 EVERETT	30,000
57 FALL RIVER	283,509
58 FALMOUTH	30,000
59 FITCHBURG	65,000
60 FOXBOROUGH	9,500
61 FRAMINGHAM	83,970
62 FRANKLIN	20,000
63 GARDNER	30,000
64 GILL	6,750
65 GLOUCESTER	30,000
66 GOSHEN	6,750
67 GRAFTON	14,250
68 GRANBY	6,750
69 GREAT BARRINGTON	6,750
70 GREENFIELD	14,250

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<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
71 GROTON	6,750
72 GROVELAND	6,750
73 HADLEY	4,427
74 HALIFAX	6,750
75 HAMILTON	14,250
76 HANOVER	14,250
77 HANSON	4,500
78 HARDWICK	6,750
79 HARVARD	14,250
80 HARWICH	14,250
81 HATFIELD	4,250
82 HAVERHILL	288,760
83 HINGHAM	14,250
84 HOLDEN	14,250
85 HOLLAND	6,750
86 HOLLISTON	14,250
87 HOLYOKE	413,486
88 HOPEDALE	6,750
89 HOPKINTON	14,250
90 HUBBARDSTON	25,721
91 HUDSON	14,250
92 HULL	14,250
93 IPSWICH	14,250
94 KINGSTON	6,750
95 LANCASTER	6,750
96 LAWRENCE	488,056
97 LEE	4,500
98 LEICESTER	9,392
99 LENOX	6,750
100 LEOMINSTER	30,000
101 LEXINGTON	20,000
102 LITTLETON	6,750
103 LONGMEADOW	9,500
104 LOWELL	617,667
105 LUDLOW	9,500

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	<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
106	LUNENBURG	4,500
107	LYNN	292,437
108	MALDEN	26,409
109	MANSFIELD	9,500
110	MARBLEHEAD	19,800
111	MARION	4,500
112	MARLBOROUGH	20,000
113	MARSHFIELD	20,000
114	MASHPEE	4,500
115	MATTAPOISETT	4,500
116	MAYNARD	9,500
117	MEDFIELD	14,250
118	MEDFORD	71,817
119	MELROSE	20,000
120	MENDON	4,500
121	MERRIMAC	4,500
122	METHUEN	240,163
123	MIDDLEBOROUGH	9,500
124	MILFORD	20,000
125	MILLBURY	9,500
126	MILLVILLE	4,500
127	MILTON	20,000
128	MONSON	4,500
129	MONTAGUE	4,500
130	NATICK	30,000
131	NEEDHAM	20,000
132	NEW BEDFORD	304,717
133	NEW BRAINTREE	4,500
134	NEWBURY	4,500
135	NEWBURYPORT	14,250
136	NEWTON	20,000
137	NORFOLK	4,500
138	NORTH ADAMS	9,500
139	NORTH ANDOVER	40,000
140	NORTH ATTLEBORO	40,000

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<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
141 NORTH BROOKFIELD	4,500
142 NORTH READING	9,500
143 NORTHAMPTON	25,000
144 NORTHBOROUGH	14,250
145 NORTHBRIDGE	14,250
146 NORTHFIELD	4,500
147 NORTON	9,400
148 NORWOOD	56,333
149 OAKHAM	6,750
150 ORANGE	6,750
151 ORLEANS	6,750
152 OXFORD	9,500
153 PALMER	9,500
154 PAXTON	6,750
155 PEABODY	20,000
156 PEMBROKE	9,500
157 PETERSHAM	6,750
158 PHILLIPSTON	4,500
159 PITTSFIELD	305,450
160 PLAINVILLE	6,750
161 PLYMPTON	4,449
162 PRINCETON	6,750
163 PROVINCETOWN	32,188
164 QUINCY	30,000
165 RANDOLPH	30,000
166 RAYNHAM	4,500
167 READING	20,000
168 REVERE	414,000
169 ROCKLAND	14,250
170 ROCKPORT	4,500
171 ROWLEY	4,500
172 ROYALSTON	4,500
173 SALEM	39,700
174 SALISBURY	14,250
175 SANDISFIELD	4,500

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	<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
176	SAVOY	4,500
177	SCITUATE	14,250
178	SEEKONK	14,250
179	SHARON	14,250
180	SHEFFIELD	6,750
181	SHELBURNE	6,750
182	SHIRLEY	4,500
183	SHREWSBURY	30,000
184	SHUTESBURY	6,750
185	SOMERSET	14,250
186	SOMERVILLE	354,366
187	SOUTHAMPTON	6,750
188	SOUTHBOROUGH	6,750
189	SOUTHBRIDGE	14,250
190	SOUTHWICK	6,750
191	SPENCER	14,250
192	SPRINGFIELD	620,160
193	STERLING	6,750
194	STONEHAM	30,000
195	STOUGHTON	19,887
196	STURBRIDGE	6,750
197	SUDBURY	9,500
198	SUTTON	4,500
199	SWAMPSCOTT	9,500
200	SWANSEA	14,250
201	TEWKSBURY	20,000
202	TISBURY	4,500
203	TOWNSEND	6,750
204	TRURO	6,750
205	UPTON	6,750
206	UXBRIDGE	14,250
207	WAKEFIELD	30,000
208	WALPOLE	30,000
209	WALTHAM	34,133
210	WARE	4,500

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<u>TOWN</u>	<u>FY96 AWARD</u>
211 WAREHAM	14,250
212 WARREN	6,750
213 WARWICK	4,429
214 WATERTOWN	30,000
215 WEBSTER	9,500
216 WELLESLEY	30,000
217 WELLFLEET	4,500
218 WENDELL/NEW SALEM	6,750
219 WENHAM	6,750
220 WEST BOYLSTON	6,750
221 WEST BROOKFIELD	4,500
222 WEST NEWBURY	6,750
223 WEST SPRINGFIELD	30,000
224 WEST TISBURY	6,750
225 WESTBOROUGH	14,250
226 WESTFIELD	30,000
227 WESTFORD	14,250
228 WESTWOOD	14,250
229 WEYMOUTH	30,000
230 WHATELY	6,750
231 WHITMAN	14,250
232 WILBRAHAM	14,250
233 WILMINGTON	9,500
234 WINCHESTER	20,000
235 WINDSOR	4,500
236 WINTHROP	14,250
237 WOBURN	53,000
238 WORCESTER	687,000
239 WRENTHAM	4,500
240 YARMOUTH	30,000