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Memorandum

From: Kenny Lopez (Chief of Police)

Subject: Non-Emergency calls

In support of Governor Abbott's Executive Order with Federal Guidelines to Mitigate the Spread of COVID-19 in Texas.

The Prairie View Police Department has establish a temporary policy to only respond to emergency calls and non-emergency calls will be handle through a secondary method by calling the cities non-emergency number 936-857-3614 to report any non-emergency calls This approach is to reduce the officer's exposure to the public and help in the fight of the COVID-19 epidemic .

By taking these measures; not only will it help fight the epidemic but it will also keep City Hall Officials from unnecessary exposure from the Officers, therefore making sure that the administration can still function under the these abnormal circumstances.

I encourage all other Police agencies to take these types of approaches to safe guard your first responders.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenny Lopez", written over a white background.

**Kenny Lopez
Chief of Police**

"No man in the wrong can come up against a man in the right and keep on coming"