



Village of Croton on Hudson  
**Police Department**

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To continue to reinforce the police-community relationship, the Village of Croton-on-Hudson must convene stakeholders for a fact-based and honest dialogue about the public safety needs of their community. **These meetings will take place between October and December of this year.** Stakeholders who will be included are:

- Members and leadership of the Village of Croton-on-Hudson Police Department.
- Members of the community that represent the diversity within our Village.
- Representatives from the local school district.
- Interested non-profit and faith-based community groups.
- Representatives from the local District Attorney's Office.
- Representatives from the Public Defender's Office.
- Local Elected Officials.

The collaborative process will consist of but is not limited to:

**October – December 2020**

- Review the needs of the community and services provided by the Police Department.
- Circulate survey to the residents and review the results.
- Evaluate the Police Department's current policies and practices.
- Establish policies that allow police to effectively and safely perform their duties.
- Involve members of community in the discussion/review.
- Develop policy recommendations resulting from the discussion/review.

**January – April 2021**

- Develop and offer a plan for public comment and present to the Board of Trustees.
- Call for a Public Hearing on the plan.
- Initial Public Hearing.
- Certify adoption of plan with the State Budget Director by April 1, 2021.