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Chief Ronald Haddad Dearborn Police Department 16099 Michigan Avenue Dearborn, MI 48126 313-943-2235 rhaddad@ci.dearborn.mi.us

Subject: Dearborn Police Department 'House Check Registration Program'

Dear Chief Haddad:

The purpose of this letter is to thank you, and Department officer and staff members for their contribution to the subject.

As you may know, and as the Department *does* know, my work involves frequent out-of-town and out-of-country periods, sometimes lasting up to two weeks.

Previously referred to as "Vacation Watch" and implemented through direct Department contact and hard copy, the new system is internet based and called House Check Registration (attachment). \*

So, how is the new system working? Upon return from a recent extended trip (to the east coast), I just happened to be home, as I had scheduled/registered. On October 12 I had the pleasure to greet the officer assigned to the subject for my home; he was on-premises observing and securing my homestead per the subject (Having possibly misread my 'return date' of 11 October).

The program is working. Again, I wanted to thank you, and extend same to the Department officers and staff members.

Respectfully yours,

Paul V. Sheridan

\* <a href="http://www.cityofdearborn.org/component/rsform/form/20-police-house-check-registration">http://www.cityofdearborn.org/component/rsform/form/20-police-house-check-registration</a>

cc: Mayor John O'Reilly Dearborn City Council



## Police House Check Registration

Your Name (\*)

Your Address (\*)

17.09.18

Date you will be leaving (\*)

September 2018									
Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
26	27	28	29	30	31	1			
2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29			
30	1	2	3	4	5	6			

Date you will be returning (\*)

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Your Phone

Number (\*)

Your Email

Who, if anyone, will have access to your house while you're away? (\*)

Contact person while

you are away: (\*)

Phone number for contact person while you are away: (\*)

Did you have the papers and mail halted? (\*)

Is there a radio or light on a timer at the home? (\*)

Will there be a vehicle parked at the property? (\*)

Additional Comments

Yes No	
Yes No	
Yes No	
Yes No	