The Providence Police Department is in the process of obtaining Accreditation. As part of that process, all Department programs are being reviewed to determine if they comply with CALEA standards. One of these programs being reviewed is the Reserve Program. CALEA does not allow the Reserve Program to function as it is presently established.

In conjunction with CALEA standards, the Rhode Island Interlocal Risk Management Trust, a risk management organization, also does not recommend the utilization of a Reserve Program as it is presently established.

Therefore, after carefully reviewing the recommendations of both CALEA and the Rhode Island Interlocal Risk Management Trust, effective immediately, the Providence Police Department Reserve Program is **DEACTIVATED**.

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