

# PRESS RELEASE

## **BUILDING A SAFER COMMUNITY**

*Village of Hempstead Meeting on Public Safety at the Hempstead Public Library  
Wednesday, April 7 at 7:00 PM*

The Village of Hempstead Mayor Wayne J. Hall, the Board of Trustees and the Police Department will hold a special meeting concerning critical public safety issues impacting the Village on April 7, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

“We are aggressively working to expand public safety in our village,” said Mayor Hall. “The safety of our residents is our highest priority. With this meeting, we look to further community involvement while improving our area.”

“With community partnership and involvement we will work together in making Hempstead safer for our community,” stated Chief Joseph Wing, who will be present at the meeting to represent the Hempstead Police Department.

Recent changes to the Hempstead police force include an addition of 17 officers with plans to add 8 more officers to the force. This is the largest group police force expansion in the village since the 1970s.

The meeting will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 7, 2010 in the Hempstead Public Library, 115 Nichols Court, Hempstead. For any further information, contact the Village of Hempstead at 516-489-3400.