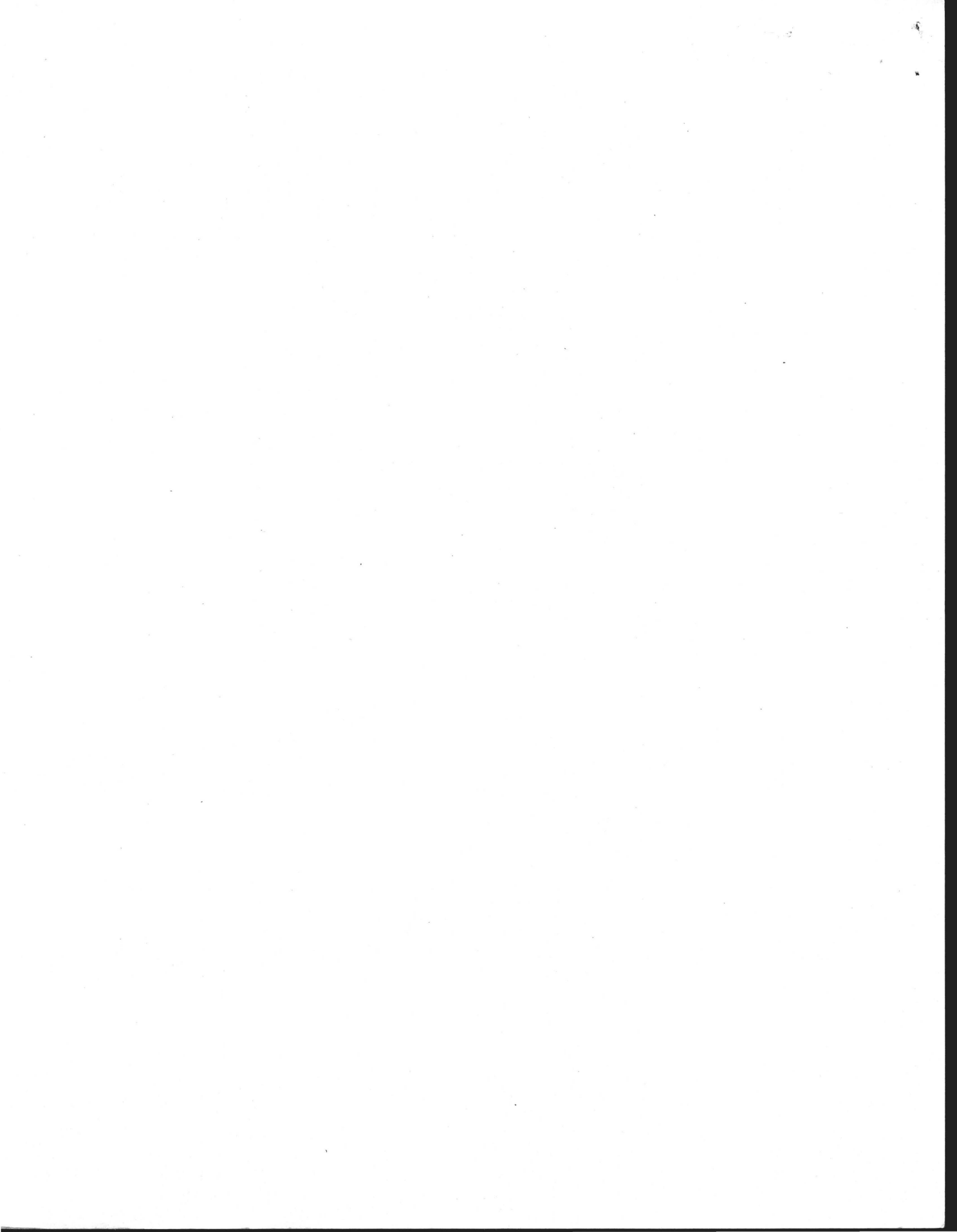


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ARTICLE I
MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

1.1: THIS AGREEMENT entered into this 1st day of April 2005, by and between the Township of Redford (hereinafter referred to as the Employer or the Township) and the Police Officers Association of Michigan (hereinafter referred to as the Union) on behalf of the Redford Township Police Officers Association (hereinafter referred to as the Association), whereby the parties agree that the within Contract has been agreed to by the respective bargaining committees as the whole and complete working Agreement between the parties subject to the following conditions:

1.2: That the agreed to Contract shall become effective when ratified by the Redford Township Board and the Union.

1.3: The Agreement shall have an effective date commencing upon the date following the expiration of the prior agreement and shall continue in effect until March 31, 2009.

1.4: In that the Township is interested in having the Contract understood and followed by Management, the Township further agrees to furnish contracts to all Supervision.

1.5: The Union and the Association shall receive copies of all General and Special orders.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE AND INTENT

2.1: The intent of this Agreement is to set forth the terms and conditions of employment, which will promote orderly and peaceful labor relations for the mutual interest of Redford Township, its citizens and its employees and the Union.

2.2: The parties hereto acknowledge the responsibility of Redford Township and its Police Department to provide for the safety, protection, and well being of all the citizens of Redford Township and others who may be within the Township limits. Both the Township and the Union recognize that the primary obligation of the Police Department is to serve the citizens of the Township. Furthermore, the parties agree that effective law enforcement activities depend upon personnel who give the best service under good employment conditions, which conditions include but are not limited to rates of pay, hours of employment, etc.

ARTICLE III
DEFINITIONS

- 3.1: "TOWNSHIP" shall mean Redford Township, Wayne County, Michigan.
- 3.2: "EMPLOYER" shall mean the Charter Township of Redford.
- 3.3: "UNION" shall mean the Police Officers Association of Michigan (POAM) whose address is 27056 Joy Rd., Redford, MI 48239.
- 3.4: "ASSOCIATION" shall mean the Redford Township Police Officers Association (RTPOA) affiliated with POAM.
- 3.5: "EMPLOYEE" shall mean all employees of bargaining unit.
- 3.6: "PRESIDENT" shall mean president of Redford Township POA.
- 3.7: "HE OR SHE" when used shall include both gender.
- 3.8: "BARGAINING COMMITTEE OR COMMITTEE" shall mean committee elected by the Association in conjunction with Union.
- 3.9: "STEWARDS" - Representatives elected by RTPOA to represent employees.
- 3.10: "EXECUTIVE BOARD" - President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer of the RTPOA
- 3.11: "COMMANDER" shall mean commander of Bureau or shift commander.
- 3.12: "CIVIL SERVICE" - Police and Fire Civil Service Commission.
- 3.13: "MEMBER" shall mean all employees of bargaining unit.
- 3.14: "SENIORITY MEMBER/EMPLOYEE" shall mean a member who is post-probationary.

ARTICLE IV
MANAGEMENT RIGHTS

- 4.1: The Association recognizes the prerogatives of the Department to operate and manage its affairs in all respects in accordance with its responsibilities and powers of authority.
- 4.2: The Department has the right to schedule overtime work as required in a manner most advantageous to the Department and consistent with requirements of municipal employment and the public safety.
- 4.3: It is understood by the parties that every incidental duty connected with operations enumerated in job descriptions is not always specifically described.
- 4.4: The Township reserves the right to discipline for just cause and discharge for just cause subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
- 4.5: The Township reserves the right to layoff personnel for lack of work or funds, subject to Article XIV or for occurrences beyond the control of the Township or when continuation of such work would be wasteful or unproductive.
- 4.6: The Township shall have the right to determine reasonable schedules of work and to establish the methods and processes by which such work is performed subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
- 4.7: No policies or procedures covered in this Agreement shall be construed as delegating to others or as reducing or abridging any of the following authority conferred on Township officials:
- A. The statutory responsibility of the Supervisor as Chief Executive Officer of the Township for enforcing the laws of the State and the Township, passing upon ordinances adopted by the Township board, recommending an annual budget, or directing the proper performance of all Executive Departments.
 - B. The responsibility of the Township Board for the enactment of ordinances, the appropriation of money.
 - C. The responsibility of the Township for determining classification, status and tenure of employees, establishing rules, initiating promotions and disciplinary actions, certifying payrolls subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
 - D. The responsibility of Township heads governed by statute provisions, ordinances, and departmental rules and as limited by the provisions of the Agreement:

1. To recruit, transfer, or promote employees to positions within the Department;
2. To suspend, demote, discharge, or take other disciplinary action against employees for just cause;
3. To relieve employees from duties because of lack of work, lack of funds, or for disciplinary reasons;
4. To determine methods, means, and employees necessary for Departmental operations;
5. To control the Departmental budget;
6. To take whatever actions are necessary in emergencies in order to assure the proper functioning of the Department.

4.8: It is agreed by the Department and the Union that the Township is obligated, legally and morally, to provide equality of opportunity, consideration, and treatment of all members of the Department and to establish policies and regulations that will insure such equality of opportunity, consideration, and treatment of all members employed by the Department in all phases of the employment process. To this end, basic rights and equalities of members are established through the Township, Executive Orders of the Supervisor, Ordinances, and Resolutions of the Township Board, and rules of the Department.

4.9: It is further intended that this Agreement and its supplements shall be an implementation of the statutes and ordinance authority of the Supervisor, the Township Board, and the Department heads, the rules and regulations promulgated by the Department, and the provisions of Public Act 345 of 1947, as amended.

4.10: No Department Official or agent of the Township shall:

- A. Interfere with, restrain, or coerce employees in the exercise of their right to join or refrain from joining labor organizations.
- B. Initiate, create, dominate, contribute to or interfere with the formation or administration of any employee organization meeting.
- C. Discriminate in regard to employment or conditions of employment in order to encourage or discourage membership in a labor organization.
- D. Discriminate against an employee because he has given testimony or taken part in any grievance procedures or other negotiations, or conferences as part of the labor organization recognized under the terms of this Agreement; or
- E. Refuse to meet, negotiate, or confer on proper matters with representatives of the Association and the Union as set forth in this Agreement.

ARTICLE V
RECOGNITION

5.1: Pursuant to and in accordance with applicable provisions of Act 379 of the Public Acts of 1965, as amended, the Employer does hereby recognize the Union as the exclusive representative of all members of the bargaining unit below the rank of sergeant, including cadets, full-time and regular part-time civilian dispatcher/jailers, for the purpose of collective bargaining in respect to rates of pay, hours, wages, grievances, and other conditions of employment. Such recognition specifically excludes clerks, vehicle technicians, custodians and computer technicians of the Redford Township Police Department who may be hired or are presently employed by the Township Police Department.

5.2: The Union will represent probationary employees in all matters, except for all disciplinary actions up to and including disciplinary discharge.

ARTICLE VI
AGENCY SHOP

6.1: All members of the Bargaining Unit shall, as a condition of employment, become members of the Union within thirty (30) days of employment, or pay a service fee equal to dues paying members.

6.2: The Township, upon receipt of a written notice from the Union, that an employee is no longer a member in good standing of the Union, shall terminate the employment of said employee within thirty (30) days from the date of said notice, unless said employee presents a letter from the Union stating that he has been returned to a good membership status, prior to the expiration of the above mentioned thirty (30) day period.

ARTICLE VII
UNION DUES AND INITIATION FEE

7.1: The Township will deduct upon receipt of a signed authorization by individual employees so long as said authorization remains in effect, any initiation fee and dues in the amount as certified by the Union and forward the same to the Local Association monthly. Such sums shall be accompanied by a schedule showing for whom deductions have been made.

7.2: The Township shall not be liable to the Union by reason of the requirements of this Agreement for the remittance of payments of any sums other than that constituting actual deduction made from wages earned by employees.

ARTICLE VIII
UNION RESPONSIBILITIES

8.1: The Union as a lawful Union composed of employees in the Township's service having as its primary purpose the improvement of conditions of employment, and recognizing the crucial role of law enforcement in the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare of a free society, agrees:

8.2: That all services performed by Employees included in this Agreement are performed under State and Local law for and in the public interest and are essential to the public welfare. The Union, its officers and members, separately or collectively, shall neither cause nor counsel its members, or any of them either directly or indirectly to strike, or participate in any interruption to the work, or in any work slowdown or other interference with any of the services of the Township of Redford. The occurrence of any such acts or actions prohibited in this section by the Union shall be deemed a violation of this Agreement.

8.3: In the event of any unauthorized slowdown or work stoppage of any nature, the Union will take immediate steps to bring the work force back to normal. The Union will publish a statement to the members indicating that such activity is unlawful and directing the Employees back to work on a normal basis. The Union shall not be liable, however, for the acts or actions hereinbefore enumerated not caused or authorized directly or indirectly by the Union.

8.4: In any event, whether or not the Union is liable for such acts or actions, any Employee who commits any of the acts prohibited in this section may be subject to discharge or other disciplinary action, as may be applicable to such Employee.

ARTICLE IX
RESIDENCY

9.1: Officers of the Redford Township Police Department shall be permitted to live anywhere outside of the Township so long as said officers are able to report for duty within one (1) hour of telephone contact under normal weather conditions.

ARTICLE X
MAINTENANCE OF CONDITIONS

10.1: Wages, hours, and conditions of employment legally in effect at the execution of this Agreement shall, except as improved herein, be maintained during the term of this Agreement. The Township will make no unilateral reduction in wages, hours, or

changes in conditions of employment as provided for in this Agreement during the term of said Agreement, contrary to the provisions herein. No employee shall suffer a reduction in benefits provided herein except as a consequence of the execution of this Agreement.

10.2: If any provisions of this Agreement are in direct conflict with the rules and regulations of the Department, the contract provision herein shall be followed.

10.3: The Parties further agree that any action of the Township or its Police Department by ordinance or otherwise, relative to the provisions of this Agreement, shall not alter the specific terms of the Agreement during the life of the Agreement unless such change is negotiated and accepted by mutual agreement of the Parties.

ARTICLE XI REPRESENTATION

11.1: The Employer shall meet for the purposes of collective bargaining with a committee selected by the Union and to include not more than four (4) members selected by the Local Association. The Union may designate its spokesman at its discretion.

11.2: If negotiations take place during the time a member of the Local Association's bargaining committee would normally be working, he shall be compensated at his regular wage rate for such time.

11.3: During the term of this Agreement, the Association shall inform the Employer in writing of the name of one (1) Steward for each shift. Stewards shall be seniority employees. The Steward of any shift or Executive Board member of the Local Association may represent members in their grievances and be allowed a reasonable time to investigate said grievances subject, however, to the operating needs of the Redford Township Police Department. Such time shall not be unreasonably or arbitrarily withheld. A Local Association representative shall not participate during working hours in any activity regarding the Local Association unless he has been informed that his particular duties on the shift to which he is assigned have been properly covered. Such time shall not be unreasonably or arbitrarily withheld. Under the above conditions of the employee, if such activity is during working hours, shall be compensated at his regular wage rate.

11.4: No overtime will be paid under any conditions to compensate a representative for Union activity except as provided in 11.5 below.

11.5: When Union officers are requested by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief to meet with them concerning Union business, outside of their respective duty hours, those Union officers shall be paid as if on duty. This exception shall not be applicable

when the Union representative is acting as a Union representative for another employee.

11.6: Whenever a discipline investigation or grievance reaches the level of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, or above, a Union representative may be present, if the Union representative is requested by the employee or the Employer.

11.7: The employee under investigation shall be informed of the nature of the investigation prior to any questioning of the officer.

11.8: Notification within a reasonable time shall be given to the Steward or Union officers after any disciplinary action taken against any member which may result in any official entries being added to his personnel file.

11.9: No member of the bargaining unit shall be requested or required to subject himself to a polygraph examination. A member shall not be subjected to disciplinary action for refusal to submit to a polygraph examination.

11.10: Upon notification and approval of the Union Executive Board member's supervisor, the Union Executive Board member shall have reasonable time off to meet with the Township officials and/or Chief of Police or Deputy Chief. The Union Executive Board Members (not to exceed four (4) members) shall be allowed to attend the POAM Delegates Meeting one (1) day per year, per Board Member with no accumulation.

11.11: The President of the Union or his designee shall be allowed up to five (5) days off per year for the purpose of attending official POAM business meetings.

ARTICLE XII MONTHLY MEETINGS

12.1: The Redford Township Police Department and representatives of the Union agree to meet when mutually agreeable, to discuss working conditions, which are general in nature and may affect the entire department. Such issues would be those which would improve the relationship between the parties and to discuss procedures for avoiding future grievances.

ARTICLE XIII GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

13.1: A grievance is a dispute concerning the interpretation, application or alleged violation of the provisions of this Agreement.

13.2: To be considered in this procedure, a grievance must be presented in Step 1 within ten (10) calendar days of the alleged grievance or within ten (10) days of knowledge or when he should have had knowledge of said grievance.

The grievant will be made aware of such infractions by hand-delivered notice from a superior. The notice will be briefly explained.

13.3: The parties recognizing that an orderly grievance procedure is necessary, agree that any differences shall be discussed in a friendly and amicable manner and that there shall be an earnest effort on the part of the parties to consider and if at all possible, settle all grievances promptly.

13.4: Every employee shall have the right to present a grievance in accordance with the following procedure.

STEP I Verbal – Highest ranking shift supervisor

An employee who believes he has a grievance shall, with a steward, discuss the grievance with his highest ranking shift supervisor in an honest effort to resolve it.

If the matter is not satisfactorily adjusted within five (5) days, the Union shall reduce the grievance to writing and appeal to Step 2 within ten (10) days.

At this time the Union will identify the Contract sections that have allegedly been violated, however the Union reserves the right to amend the identification of Contract Provisions allegedly violated for up to twenty (20) days after appealing to the Civil Service Commission or to arbitration.

STEP II Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his Designate

The Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designate shall within seven (7) days hold a meeting or conference with the parties to discuss the grievance. The Chief of Police or Deputy Chief shall give a written answer within twelve (12) days of this meeting. When a grievance reaches STEP II, the Grievant has the right to have outside Union representatives at the grievance conference.

STEP III

If the grievance is not satisfactorily adjusted the Union may appeal to either the Civil Service Commission or to the Township Supervisor within twenty (20) days.

A. To the Civil Service Commission - If the grievance is not adjusted at the Third

Step of the Grievance Procedure as to any matter cognizable under the provisions of Act 78, P.A. 1935, as amended, and the grievant believes that he has grounds for appeal, the grievant shall give the Fire and Police Civil Service Commission written notice of his desire for a public hearing pursuant to Act 78. In the event that it shall be determined by the Civil Service Commission that it lacks jurisdiction to hear the grievance, or does not reach a decision, then the Union may, within ten (10) days of the Civil Service Commission's decision that it lacks jurisdiction or fails to reach a decision, request arbitration of the grievance as is set forth hereinafter. If the Civil Service Commission decides the matter on its merits, there shall be no appeal to arbitration.

B. To the Township Supervisor - If the grievance is not adjusted at the third step of the grievance procedure as to any matter cognizable under the provisions of Act 78, P.A. 1935, as amended, and the grievant believes that he has grounds for appeal, the grievant shall give the Township Supervisor written notice of his desire to appeal.

The Township Supervisor shall within fourteen (14) days hold a meeting or conference with the Union to discuss the grievance. The Township Supervisor shall give a written answer within twelve (12) days of this meeting. If the grievance is not satisfactorily adjusted the Union may submit the grievance to Step IV, Arbitration.

STEP IV Arbitration

If the Union believes that the grievance is not settled satisfactorily in Step III or in the event that the Civil Service Commission, after hearing a grievance, decided that it has no jurisdiction to hear the grievance, or does not reach a decision, then the Union may request arbitration by written notice to the Township.

1. Parties will be bound by the rules and procedures of the American Arbitration Association or the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service in the selection of an Arbitrator.
2. The Arbitrator so selected will hear the matter promptly and will issue his decision no later than thirty (30) days from the date of the close of the hearings. The Arbitrator's decision will be in writing and will set forth his findings of facts, reasoning, and conclusions on the issue submitted.
3. The power of the Arbitrator stems from this Agreement and his function is to interpret and apply this Agreement and to pass upon alleged violations thereof. He shall have no power to add to, subtract from or modify any terms of this Agreement, nor shall he have any power or authority to make any

decision which requires the commission of an act prohibited by law or which is violative of the terms of this Agreement. The decision of the Arbitrator shall be final and binding upon the employer, the Union and the grievant.

4. The costs for the Arbitrator's services, including his expenses, shall be borne equally by the parties. Each party shall pay for its own expense.

13.5: Throughout this Article, all time limits expressed in days shall mean calendar days.

13.6: If the Union fails to process a grievance within the time limits the grievance is dead.

13.7: If the Township fails to process a grievance within the time limits, the grievance shall automatically be processed to the next step.

13.8: Discharge grievances may be commenced at Step II of the grievance procedure.

13.9: Information as is necessary to resolve the grievance shall be available to both parties upon request, provided that such information relates solely to the grievant or grievants.

13.10: Nothing in the Grievance Procedure shall prevent or hinder the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, and/or Command Officer to consult with any police officer regarding police activity and/or particular police officer's duties.

13.11: Personal or Confidential information may be excluded at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief.

13.12: The Union may file a grievance, whenever it feels that there exists an event or condition which affects the conditions or circumstances under which an employee works, allegedly caused by a violation of a provision or term of this Agreement.

13.13: The Commission and/or Arbitrator, when considering a contract grievance, shall limit its decision strictly to the interpretation, application or enforcement of this Agreement and they shall be without power and authority to make any decision:

- A. Contrary to or inconsistent with or modifying or varying in any way the terms of this Agreement.
- B. Granting any wage increases or decreases.

13.14: The commission and/or Arbitrator shall be without authority to require the employer to delegate, alienate, or relinquish any powers, duties or responsibilities, obligations or discretions which by State Law or State Constitution the employer cannot delegate, alienate or relinquish.

13.15: No settlement at any stage of the grievance procedure, except a Civil Service Commission or Arbitrator's decision, shall be precedent in any future grievance and shall not be admissible in evidence in any future grievance proceeding.

13.16: During the pendency of any proceedings, and until a final determination has been reached, all proceedings shall not be public and any preliminary disposition will not be made public without the agreement of all parties.

13.17: There shall be no reprisals of any kind by administrative personnel taken against the grievant, any party in interest or his Union representative, any member of Grievance Committee, or any other participant in the procedure set forth herein by reason of such participation.

13.18: Time limits between the various steps may be waived and/or extended by mutual written agreement.

ARTICLE XIV SENIORITY

14.1: Seniority of a new member shall be commenced after the member has completed his probation of one (1) year and shall be retroactive from the date of appointment as member. A member shall forfeit his seniority rights only for the following reasons:

- A. He is laid off and is not returned within two (2) years
- B. He is dismissed and is not reinstated within two (2) years
- C. He is absent without leave for a period of five (5) days or more (exceptions to this may be made by the employer on the grounds of good cause for failure to report)
- D. He retires
- E. He fails to return to work within ten (10) days from the date of a certified mailing of recall notice
- F. He fails to return to work within the time limits of a leave of absence or an extended leave of absence
- G. Voluntary resignation

14.2: A seniority list shall be furnished to the Union by the Township once each six (6) months.

14.3: Seniority shall be determined by the employee's length of service in their classification while in the department. The classifications are: (1) Police Officers; (2) Jailer/Dispatchers. Seniority shall not carry over from one classification to another. Cadets shall have seniority for the purposes of computing longevity and pension, layoffs and vacation.

14.4: Time spent on authorized paid leaves of absence and on duty connected disability shall be computed in determining length of seniority. Employees on unpaid leave shall not accrue seniority while on leave status. Any employee who has used all of his/her sick time available for a leave, shall be deemed to be on an unpaid leave. No benefits shall accrue during the tenure of the unpaid leave, except that health and life insurance shall be paid for the first 30 days of the unpaid leave. After 30 days, the employee may purchase health insurance at the Township's group rate pursuant to the relevant provisions of federal law.

14.5: In the event an employee is separated from the department as a result of disciplinary action and subsequently reinstated to his position, as a result of arbitration, commission or court decisions, his seniority shall be maintained from the original date of hire unless the arbitrator, commission or court orders otherwise.

ARTICLE XV WORK SCHEDULE/12-HOUR SHIFTS

15.1: Employees permanently assigned to the patrol division working in uniform will work permanent shifts which will be selected according to seniority twice yearly on the first pay period of March and the first pay period of September.

15.2: Once an employee has made his/her shift selection by seniority, he/she will have the right to remain on that shift for six (6) months, with the exception that the Employer shall retain the right to transfer employees for cause (discipline), personal hardship (with the mutual agreement of the Union) and manpower needs on a particular shift, the Township shall resolve the manpower needs in the following manner (a) by using volunteers; and (b) by assigning officers to the shift according to department seniority, reassigning the least senior officer first. Employees with less than two (2) years seniority shall be assigned shifts at the discretion of the Employer.

15.3: Employees permanently transferred from a bureau position, by the Employer after the shift selection period, shall have a right to select a shift according to their seniority. Employees who request a transfer from a bureau position, after the shift selection period, shall be assigned a shift by the Employer.

15.4: Members of the Union agree to a 28 day work cycle.

15.5: Operations/Patrol Division shall, at the Employer's discretion, work twelve (12) hour shifts. If the Employer chooses to return to a Forty (40) Hour Work Schedule, then the Employer shall notify the Union in writing of this change. The return to a Forty (40) Hour Work Schedule shall take place Three (3) calendar months after the Union has been notified.

15.6: Employees shall be assigned to work a seven out of fourteen day work schedule. Employees shall be granted converted vacation time as set forth in Article XXIII, Vacations, in compensation for the additional two hours per week worked while on twelve hour shifts. The schedule as set forth in Article XXIII, Vacations, shall reflect steps which the Employee receives allotted vacation time. The conversion of time in the event of retirement, termination or transfer to a bureau position shall be reversed.

15.7: Shifts shall be from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. and from 7 P.M. to 7 A.M. Employees shall pick shifts on the basis of seniority. The Employer shall have the right to assign employees to squads.

15.8: Personal Leave Days shall be kept in hours.

15.9: Sick time shall be taken in hours used.

15.10: Holiday pay shall be paid per the bargaining agreement at the rate of 13 eight hour days.

15.11: Training/School on Leave Days - Any training/school on a leave day that is scheduled for less than 8 hours will be paid in Chit. Any training or school that is 8 hours or more shall result in one adjusted leave day, to be used within a six week period.

15.12: Training/School on Work Days - If the training is scheduled for less than 8 hours then the Employee shall complete the remainder of the shift. If the training/school is scheduled for 8 hours or more then it shall be considered the employees work day.

15.13: The Employer may assign court days to officers once a month. The court day shall be from 11 A.M. to 11 P.M.

ARTICLE XVI TRAINING TIME/CADET PROGRAM

16.1: It being in the interests of the public to have a highly efficient and professional police force, employees may be scheduled for training. The time allocation for this training shall be at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief. The training time if in addition to normal duty hours, shall be paid in money or compensatory time off at the discretion of the Chief of Police provided that all such time shall accumulate from month to month and year to year and if not used, will be paid in cash at the

employee's current rate on termination of the employment for any reason. No payment shall be made for less than two (2) hours at the rate aforesaid.

16.2: The parties agree to meet and negotiate the terms and conditions of a cadet program, including contract language which shall be incorporated into the collective bargaining agreement.

ARTICLE XVII OVERTIME

17.1: Each employee required to work beyond his regular shift shall be paid overtime pay at one and one-half (1 ½) times his normal pay. (See Section 17.7 of this Article for overtime computation rates.)

17.2: Each employee called back from off duty shall receive a call-in-pay in the minimum amount of two (2) hours at the rate of time-and-one-half (1 ½), overtime pay.

17.3: Any employee called back from off duty for a Court appearance, with Circuit Court or District Court, or for an appearance at the Secretary of State or any other proceeding, shall be paid at the rate of one and one-half (1 ½) times his regular rate with a minimum of two (2) hours.

17.4: Any employee required to be on stand-by for court shall be paid at the rate of two (2) hours regular pay for A.M. session, and two (2) hours regular pay for P.M. session. The A.M. session ends at 12:30 p.m. Patrolmen on stand-by for bureau assignment shall be paid two (2) hours of regular pay for every eight (8) hours of stand-by time.

17.5: All extra duty, including emergencies and special details and events will be filled in the following manner:

By a ratio of three (3) reserves to one (1) uniform regular in the following:
uniform regular, reserve, reserve, reserve, uniform regular, reserve, reserve, reserve.

Effective April 1, 1986 the ratio of six (6) reserves to one (1) uniform regular may be utilized during the Christmas holiday period. November 15 through December 25, for shopping center details only.

17.6: Employees shall have the option to accrue a maximum of eighty-four (84) hours compensatory time. All hours in excess of eighty-four (84) hours shall be paid in the next pay following.

17.7: Overtime Computation Rates:

1 - 5 minutes	0
6 - 15 minutes	15 minutes
16 - 30 minutes	30 minutes
31 - 45 minutes	45 minutes
46 - 60 minutes	1 hour

17.8: It is expressly understood and agreed by and between the parties that the Township of Redford will attempt, consistent with the requirements of the Department and public safety to equalize overtime to the extent that is possible. Court time will not be included in the equalization of overtime.

17.9: Overtime for special details shall be selected from a master list of RTPOA & COA members who have placed their names on the list. Overtime for special details will be equalized between those employees. Any employee who refuses the overtime will be charged with the time he would have worked. Any member of the RTPOA or COA who is not on the current special detail list may place his name on the new list that begins in January, after the current list expires on December 31. This list will run yearly from January to December 31. Employees will only be allowed to place their name on the new list before it goes into effect.

It is expressly understood and agreed between the parties that this section does not preclude new hires from eligibility on said list and further; that special details are only those details paid by someone other than the Township being paid for a minimum of three (3) hours.

17.10: All dispatcher overtime will be offered to full-time dispatchers, then part-time dispatchers, and finally to police officers, in that order. However, if manpower is available on a shift, a police officer may be used as a dispatcher only when this situation does not generate overtime.

Overtime created by scheduled vacations may be offered to part-time dispatchers first. If a part-time dispatcher is used to fill a vacancy created by a scheduled vacation, that dispatcher may work a maximum of forty (40) hours per week while filling the vacancy.

17.11: Overtime for dispatchers will be paid at one and one-half times the normal rate for all hours worked over eighty (80) hours in a pay period.

17.12: Any employee required to work overtime, including court time, contiguous to his/her regular tour of duty, either prior to or after his/her tour of duty, shall be paid at the rate of time and one-half for the overtime he/she has worked.

Assignments that start within one-half hour either prior to or after his/her tour of duty shall be considered contiguous to his/her regular tour of duty.

The minimum call back provisions of this agreement shall not apply to contiguous overtime assignments.

ARTICLE XVIII
TRAINING INCENTIVE

18.1: Full-time Employees who are radar and/or breathalyzer certified shall receive a 1% annual lump sum incentive bonus based on the employee's current base annual wage (per Appendix A - Wage Scale) for acquiring and maintaining proficiency in these specialties.

18.2: Police officers who are instructors in one or more of the following: pursuit driving, firearms, defensive tactics, radar and first-aid shall receive a 2% incentive bonus based on the employee's current base wage (per Appendix A - Wage Scale) for acquiring and maintaining instructional proficiency in these specialties. In no case shall certification in the specialties listed in sections 18.1 and this section result in more than 3% in incentive bonuses.

18.3: Effective April 1, 1998, the employee's hourly overtime rate shall be increased to receive the value of the bonus at the time the member receives his/her certification for the covered bonus specialties.

18.4: The Employer shall make training available to all seniority employees or schedule all employees for radar and/or breathalyzer training to insure that all seniority employees shall be eligible for the 1% incentive bonus. All employee wishing training for the incentive bonus related skills, must request such training each year.

18.5: Employer agrees to accommodate employees in maintaining all of the above-stated certifications. It is the responsibility of the employee to notify the designated training officer that his/her certification will need to be re-certified. This notification must be done by January 1, of the same year of expiration.

ARTICLE XIX
SICK LEAVE

- 19.1: The Township and its employees shall comply with the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) and the applicable regulations. Family Leave Act Policy Guidelines as adopted by the Township and subsequent amendments thereto are hereby incorporated by reference as an addendum to the contract.
- 19.2: A. All permanent full-time employees shall accumulate sick leave at a rate of eight (8) hours for each complete month of service. One hundred (100%) percent of the accumulated sick leave, up to a maximum of eight hundred (800) hours (640) hours days for employees hired after April 1, 1986) will be paid in cash to the employee at the employee's current rate in the event of termination of employment, retirement, duty disability, or in the case of death, to the employee's beneficiary or estate. In no event shall an employee receive more than eight hundred (800) sick leave hours (640 hours for those employees hired after April 1, 1986), if the employee has accumulated more than 960 hours (640 hours for those employees hired after April 1, 1986), employees with less than eight hundred (800) hours accumulated (640 hours for those hired after April 1, 1986), shall be paid for all days accumulated. An employee on paid sick leave will be deemed to be on continued employment for the purpose of computing all benefits referred to in this Agreement. An employee who terminates employment for any reason with less than five (5) full years of service shall not receive compensation for accumulated sick time.
- B. A non-probationary employee who exhausts all available sick leave and has been off work for at least 240 working hours due to non-work related illness or injury shall be compensated at eighty percent (80%) of their base rate. This compensation shall start from the later of the first workday after the employee exhausts his/her final sick day or 42 calendar days from when the disability began for a period not to exceed 168 calendar days. During this period the employee will continue to be carried on the employers medical insurance. The employee will accrue and retain seniority rights but no other benefits will accrue. At the end of the 168 calendar days, the employee will be considered to be on unpaid leave wherein no benefits will accrue. Upon expiration of the disability insurance and the employee does not return to work, the employee may purchase group health insurance, provided the service fee is paid as allowed by C.O.B.R.A.
- C. As available, sick leave will run concurrently with Family Medical Leave when either party invokes Family Medical Leave.

19.2: Where there is a serious illness in the immediate family of the member, he/she shall be allowed to use up the maximum of seven (7) days sick leave; however, this shall be allowed only at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, provided that such sick leave shall not be unreasonably withheld.

19.3: If during a full completed year ending March 31st, the officer uses zero (0) to four (4) sick days, the officer shall receive three (3) bonus vacation days, provided personal business days may not be used for sick days and if an officer so uses any personal business days as a sick day, he shall forfeit his rights to any of the additional vacation days provided hereunder for the year involved.

19.4: Regular part-time employees shall receive twelve (12) hours sick leave per year.

ARTICLE XX
BEREAVEMENT LEAVE

20.1: If a death occurs, an employee will be allowed to use sick, vacation, or personal time for bereavement purposes up to forty (40) hours from the date of death, to attend the funeral. Use of sick, vacation, or personal time will not be unreasonably denied for bereavement use. Time in excess of forty (40) hours may be requested subject to the department head's approval. Denial may be appealed to the Administrative Committee. Use of sick time for bereavement (for up to forty (40) hours only) will not be used against the employee with regard to doctor's approvals or bonus vacation days (Section 19.3).

ARTICLE XXI
PERSONAL LEAVE DAYS

21.1: Police officers, cadets and full-time dispatchers shall be entitled to take personal leave days in accordance with the following schedule:

Upon One Year Anniversary Date	16 Hours/Year
Upon Two Years Anniversary Date	24 Hours/Year
Upon Three Years Anniversary Date	
And Thereafter:	32 Hours/Year

21.2: Part-time dispatchers shall receive eight (8) hours personal leave each year.

ARTICLE XXII
HOLIDAY PAY

22.1: Each full-time employee shall be paid for thirteen (13) holidays each year of this Contract. Payment will be made for holiday pay on or before the first payday in December, of each year. Employees shall be entitled to pay for the following holidays:

1. New Year's Day
2. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday
3. Washington's Birthday
4. Lincoln's Birthday
5. Easter
6. Memorial Day
7. Fourth of July
8. Labor Day
9. Veteran's Day
10. Thanksgiving Day
11. Christmas Eve
12. Christmas Day
13. Employee's Birthday

22.2: Full-time dispatchers shall receive eight (8) hours holiday pay for each of the above listed holidays. However, if the employee is scheduled to work on a holiday they shall not receive holiday pay for that day but shall be paid at two times their base pay rate for all hours worked on the holiday.

22.3: Part-time dispatchers shall receive four (4) hours holiday pay for each of the above listed holidays. However, if the employee is scheduled to work on a holiday they shall not receive holiday pay for that day but shall be paid at two times their base pay rate for all hours worked on the holiday.

ARTICLE XXIII
VACATION DAYS

23.1: Each police officer shall be entitled to the following vacation annually:

1 - 5 years service:	160 hours
6 - 7 years service:	168 hours
8 - 10 years service:	176 hours
11 - 15 years service:	184 hours
16 - 20 years service:	192 hours
21 - 25 years service:	200 hours
26 years of service and thereafter	208 hours

Effective April 1, 1986 each new hire police officer shall be entitled to the following vacation annually:

After 1 - 2 years service:	80 hours
3 years service:	120 hours
4 - 5 years service:	160 hours
6 - 7 years service:	168 hours
8 - 10 years service:	176 hours
11 - 15 years service:	184 hours
16 - 20 years service:	192 hours
21 - 25 years service:	200 hours
26 years of service and thereafter	208 hours

All twelve (12) hour shift employees will be provided an additional 104 hours of vacation time per year or a proration of 104 hours for the time an employee works on 12 hour shifts.

Full time dispatchers and cadets shall be entitled to the following vacation annually:

1 - 4 years service:	96 hours
5 - 9 years service:	128 hours
10 - 14 years service:	152 hours
15+ years service:	168 hours

Part-time dispatchers shall receive twelve (12) hours vacation per year. Vacation hours may not be carried over from one calendar year to another.

23.2: Employee service will be computed on employee's anniversary date. The right to schedule vacations is retained by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief but the responsibility of using accrued vacation time is on the individual employee.

23.3: The selection of vacation time will be done by departmental seniority, either in the shift or bureau. The most senior officer will be given first preference for a first choice of consecutive vacation, with a maximum of eighty-four (84) hours vacation, excluding leave days which may be tacked onto vacation days. The employee has a maximum of one (1) calendar week to make his selection. After the employee makes his selection, or at the end of one (1) calendar week, the next employee has his choice under the procedure set forth.

23.4: After all employees have had an opportunity to make their first selection, the same procedure will be implemented on making second selections, except that there will be no limit on the amount of vacation days of the second pick and no requirement

that the days be consecutive. Thereafter, any request for vacation days shall be honored so long as no more than two (2) employees, on any one shift or bureau, can be on vacation at any one time. More employees shall be allowed off at the discretion of the Shift Commander.

23.5: As long as overtime is not incurred, Dispatcher/Jailers will select amongst themselves for vacation selections through dispatcher/jailer seniority and only one (1) dispatcher/jailer will be off on vacation at any given time. Dispatcher/jailers will choose vacation according to Section 23.4.

23.6: In cases of an emergency or reduction in staff, these minimums may be changed.

23.7: The employer will post quarterly the amount of accumulated vacation and personal leave time for all employees. Each employee with five (5) years or more of service shall be entitled to accumulate and carry over into the following year up to one hundred twenty (120) vacation hours and shall be entitled to take such vacation except in case of actual emergency. If an employee with less than five (5) years of service does not take his vacation by the hire/anniversary date of the following calendar year, that accrued vacation will be forfeited. In the case of an employee with over five (5) years of service, he shall forfeit all hours over one hundred twenty (120) hours if not used by the hire/anniversary date of the following calendar year.

23.8: The summer vacation period is from April 1 to September 30. The winter vacation period is from October 1 to March 31.

23.9: Selection of an employee's summer vacation will begin March 1 of each year with the senior employee's selection first and all others by seniority in rotation. Selection of an employee's winter vacation will begin September 1 of each year with the senior employee selecting first and all others by seniority in rotation.

ARTICLE XXIV PAYMENT FOR DUTY CONNECTED INJURY

24.1: In the event any employee is injured in the performance of his duty as a Redford Township Police Officer, whether during scheduled hours or otherwise, he shall receive the difference between his full pay and his Worker's Compensation for the period of his disability not to exceed two (2) years. Thereafter he shall receive Worker's Compensation for the length of his injury, if eligible, under the Worker's Compensation Statute. Employee shall not lose sick time for a duty-connected injury or illness so long as the employee qualifies for workers compensation.

ARTICLE XXV
UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

25.1: Any member who is laid off for lack of work or funds shall receive the same benefits under the same rules, regulations and statutory requirements as if the Michigan Unemployment Compensation Act, being MSA 17.501 et seq, as amended, applied.

ARTICLE XXVI
GUN MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE

26.1: A yearly gun maintenance allowance of Seven Hundred (\$700.00) dollars will be paid to each police officer in a lump sum on or before the first payday of July, and every July first pay day thereafter, but not until the officer has completed one (1) year of service.

ARTICLE XXVII
UNIFORM ALLOWANCE

27.1: Each officer of the Redford Township Police Department shall receive the sum of seven hundred (\$700.00) dollars per year for the maintenance or replacement of worn or damaged uniforms. Such sum will be paid no later than the first payday in April. No payment will be made to employees with less than one (1) year service.

27.2: Dispatchers shall also receive a uniform care and maintenance allowance of one hundred thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$137.50). Such sum will be paid no later than the first pay day in April, annually.

27.3: The Township shall provide each new officer at the expense of the Township, with his uniforms and equipment as detailed hereunder. However, an employee who terminates employment with less than one (1) year service shall return all issued equipment.

1. (1) Helmet (Complete)
2. (3) Uniform Trousers, color Air Force blue with 1" Navy Blue braid on either leg
3. (3) Long Sleeve Shirts, color Navy Blue
4. (5) Short Sleeve Shirts, color Navy Blue
5. (1) Winter/Spring 2 in 1 coat, color Navy Blue with Gun Smoke Blue buttons, State of Michigan insignia
6. (1) Pair black Military Shoes, not to exceed \$80.00
7. (1) Raincoat, $\frac{3}{4}$ length, reversible black and orange nylon
8. (2) Regulation turtlenecks, color Navy Blue. The insignia R.T.P.D. to be on neck of garment in white block letters.

9. (1) Navy Blue Tie and Tie Bar.
10. (1) Complete set Black Basket Weave Leather Belt
11. (1) Name Plate
12. (1) Black Basket Weave Trouser Belt
13. (2) Hats, 1 summer and 1 winter
14. Shoulder patches on all shirts and coat
15. (4) Basket Weave Belt Keepers

Each full or part-time dispatcher shall receive from the Township, at the Township's expense, the below listed uniforms and equipment:

1. (2) Shirts Long Sleeve
2. (2) Shirts Short Sleeve
3. (2) Pair of Uniform Pants
4. (2) Turtlenecks with the insignia R.T.P.D. on the neck of the garment, color Navy Blue
5. (1) Basket Weave Garrison Belt
6. (1) Name Bar
7. (1) Pair Black Military Shoes, not to exceed \$80.00
8. Patches on shirts and jacket
9. Dispatcher Rockers (over left pocket)

The Township will provide and replace uniforms on an as needed basis when uniforms are returned and approved for replacement.

ARTICLE XXVIII LONGEVITY

28.1: Upon completion of five (5) years of service, each employee shall receive, annually, the sum of Six Hundred Twenty Five (\$625.00) Dollars representing longevity pay, which shall be considered an inducement to remain in the employ of the Township. For each succeeding year of service, an employee shall receive an additional One Hundred Sixty-five (\$165.00) Dollars per year in longevity pay. Longevity shall be paid to the employee on or before the first payday of September of the contract year.

ARTICLE XXIX INSURANCE

29.1: Life: Each full-time employee shall receive life insurance in the amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars with double indemnity to active employees only.

29.2 Hospitalization: The Township will provide to each full-time employee, the employee's spouse, and the employee's dependents (as defined by the insurer) the following health care options:

- A. Blue Cross Blue Shield Traditional Plan or comparable coverage with:
1. Master Medical with a deductible of two hundred fifty (\$250.00) dollars for a single person and five hundred (\$500.00) dollars per family with a 90/10 reimbursement plan;
 2. Yearly pap test and mammogram;
 3. Yearly PSA screening for men age forty (40) and older;
 4. As soon as administratively possible - Prescription coverage with a ten (\$10.00) dollar co-pay;
 5. Effective April 1, 2003 - Biweekly payroll deduction of twenty (\$20.00) dollars for single person and forty (\$40.00) dollars for a two person or family contract;
 6. Blue Cross Blue Shield VCA 60 Vision Program as utilized under the current practices, or comparable coverage; Blue Cross Blue Shield Dental or comparable coverage Class I - preventive care providing 75% coverage, Class II - restorative care and Class III - prosthodontic care providing 50% coverage with an annual maximum of \$2,000.00, Class IV - orthodontic care providing eligible family members 50% coverage with a lifetime maximum of \$2,000.00.
- B. Blue Cross Blue Shield Community Blue PPO Plan 1 with:
1. Annual preventive services limited to two hundred fifty (\$250.00) dollars per family member;
 2. As soon as administratively possible - Prescription coverage with a ten (\$10.00) dollar co-pay;
 3. Office visits with a ten (\$10.00) dollar co-pay;
 4. Effective April 1, 2003 - Biweekly deduction of ten (\$10.00) dollars for a single person and twenty (\$20.00) dollars for a two person or family contract;
 5. Fifty (\$50.00) dollar emergency room fee;
 6. Blue Cross Blue Shield or comparable coverage for vision and dental as offered with the BC/BS Traditional Plan.
- C. HMO (at least one (1) at Township discretion) with:
1. As soon as administratively possible - Prescription coverage with a ten (\$10.00) dollar co-pay;
 2. Office visits with a ten (\$10.00) dollar co-pay;

3. Effective April 1, 2003 - Biweekly deduction of four (\$4.00) dollar for a single person and eight (\$8.00) dollars for a 2 person or family contract;
4. Fifty (\$50.00) dollar emergency room fee;
5. Blue Cross Blue Shield or comparable coverage for vision and dental as offered with the BC/BS Traditional Plan.

Effective with the signing of this award, all new hires will have the option of Blue Cross Blue Shield Community Blue PPO or an HMO as offered by employer.

29.3: Retirees. The Township will provide to the retiree, their spouse and their dependents (as defined by the insurer) an option to choose Blue Cross Blue Shield Traditional or comparable coverage (as determined by the Township), Blue Cross Blue Shield Community Blue PPO or available HMO with the same coverage (including optical and dental insurance) and the same responsibilities as current active employees under this contract.

An employee who retires may not add dependents to their health insurance after they have left the service of the Township.

Whenever retirees of the bargaining unit and their family members become eligible for Medicare, they must subscribe to Medicare parts "A" and "B", which benefits shall be primary and coordinated with the Township provided Medicare supplemental coverage (i.e. HAP, M Care or Blue Cross). Medicare part "B" will be at the retiree's expense.

29.4: Duty Related Death: In the event of a police officer's death while the officer is on active service, the Township shall pay for the health care coverage of the employee's spouse and dependent children, as defined in Section 29.2, for the first six (6) months following the month of the officer's death. Thereafter, the spouse or dependent children may purchase health care insurance through the Township pursuant to the provisions of federal law.

29.5: Changing Health Care Providers: The parties agree to reopen negotiations at any time during the course of this contract when the Employer desires to present comparable and new health care provisions as a consequence of changing health care providers. Any such reopening of negotiations under this Section shall be limited to negotiations regarding health care provisions only and no changes in the present plan shall be implemented until an agreement is reached.

29.6: Purchase of Health Insurance: Part-time dispatchers may purchase at their expense either Health Alliance Plan or M-Care if either is offered by the Township.

29.7: In the event an Employee is injured in a motor vehicle accident in the course of his duty, so as to be eligible for personal protection insurance benefits under the Michigan No-Fault Act, MCLA 500.3101 et seq., payable from the Township, the parties agree that any Workers' Compensation benefits and duty disability benefits to which the Employee may be entitled shall be subtracted from the personal protection insurance benefits otherwise payable for the injury.

The parties agree that this provision shall not be construed to prevent an Employee from recovering damages from a third party or parties who may be responsible for the injury and any such damages shall not be subtracted from personal protection insurance benefits otherwise payable for an injury.

The intent of this Letter of Understanding is to prevent the Township from having to pay duplicate benefits to an Employee arising out of a motor vehicle accident.

ARTICLE XXX
EDUCATION AND TUITION ASSISTANCE

30.1: The Township being aware of the value of education for employees to further increase the efficiency and performance of the Police Department as a whole encourages employees to obtain additional education when not on duty.

30.2: The Township will pay 50% of the cost of up to twelve (12) hours per semester toward the tuition for any employee on the satisfactory completion of any accredited course, in an approved school, which is related to law enforcement work or can reasonably be expected to improve the employee's department performance.

An employee shall not receive tuition assistance for more than one (1) degree at each academic level, and in no event shall an employee be provided this benefit for the pursuit of more than two (2) degrees.

30.3: Each employee shall notify the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designated representative and receive prior written authorization from the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designated representative to qualify under this article.

30.4: Each employee shall notify the department and receive authorization in advance to qualify under this article.

- 30.5: Persons receiving tuition assistance under this Article agree to remain employed as a Redford Township employee for five (5) years following the year in which the tuition assistance was granted. Any employee leaving prior to the expiration of two years from the year when the tuition assistance was granted, shall reimburse the Township in full for the costs incurred in providing tuition assistance to that employee.

ARTICLE XXXI
UNION BULLETIN BOARDS

- 31.1: The Employer agrees to furnish the Association adequate bulletin boards at such locations as shall be agreed between the Union and the Department Head. The Boards shall be used only for the following notices:

1. Union Meetings
2. Union Elections
3. Reports of the Union
4. Rulings or policies of the International Union
5. Recreational and Social Affairs of the Union
6. Such other matters that pertain to Union business and activity and are not of a political or partisan nature

- 31.2: The bulletin board shall be in a glass locked case.

ARTICLE XXXII
MEETINGS

- 32.1: Effective April 1, 2005, subject to the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief and with his approval, the Union may schedule and conduct its meetings of Union members who are not on duty on Police Department property and provided that it does not disrupt the duties of employees or the efficient operation of the Department. If for any reasons, the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief denies the use of Police Department property for such meeting, such decision will not be subject to the grievance procedure.

ARTICLE XXXIII
PERSONNEL FILE

33.1: The treatment of letters of reprimand will be as follows:

- A. That each member will be informed when such a letter is inserted in his file. The member shall receive a copy of each such insert.
- B. After a three (3) year period following the insertion of such a letter, a member may request a review to be made of his file and unless there is a substantial reason otherwise the letter shall be removed and the record of it expunged. In the event that any record or part thereof is expunged, the employee will be notified of same in writing.
- C. In the event a letter is removed and its recording expunged, an officer may at subsequent examination for promotion respond that said member has not been reprimanded for any violation so expunged.
- D. A member shall be allowed to see his/her file at any reasonable time.

ARTICLE XXXIV
HAZARDOUS DUTY

- 34.1: When on actual duty as members of the mutual aid task force, they will be paid at the rate of double time of their normal hourly rate at "Phase Red."
- 34.2: When on actual duty as members of the SWAT team, they will be paid at the rate of double time of their normal hourly rate for an actual in-progress call-out.

ARTICLE XXXV
TRADING LEAVE DAYS

- 35.1: One way trades only will be allowed. The trade request must be signed by both employees. At least seventy-two (72) hours advanced approval is required by management. If the replacement employee does not work the agreed schedule, the replacement employee will be disciplined, and no further trades will be allowed to the disciplined employee involved for one (1) year.
- 35.2: In order to avoid confusion, misunderstanding and any problems before they arise, the following policy must be understood and agreed to by both officers desiring to trade leave days:

The replacement officer MUST work the scheduled hours of the Officer he replaces.

ARTICLE XXXVI
PENSION

36.1: It is further agreed between the parties hereto that any member retiring will be paid a pension throughout the member's life of 2.8% of the member's average final compensation, multiplied by the first twenty-five (25) years of service credited to him, plus 1% of the member's average final compensation multiplied by the number of years, plus fraction of a year, of service rendered by him which are in excess of twenty-five (25) years with a maximum of seventy-five (75%) percent. Years service as a cadet shall be included in calculating total years service for pension purposes.

36.2: Sick time for figuring final average compensation only will be as follows:

- A. One hundred (100%) percent for the first twelve hundred (1200) hours accumulated unused hours;
- B. Four (4) hours for every day over twelve hundred (1200) accumulated unused hours.

Accumulated sick leave and vacation leave payments made at the time of retirement shall be included as part of average final compensation for the purpose of computing retirement benefits.

36.3: Any member may irrevocably elect, prior to the effective date of retirement but not thereafter, to be paid the accumulated contributions standing to the member's credit plus accumulated interest. Upon this election and the payment of accumulated contributions, the retiring member's monthly pension shall be reduced by an amount which is the actuarial equivalent of the sums withdrawn. The actuarial equivalent shall be determined on the basis of the interest rate established by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation for immediate annuities, as of the first day of the fiscal year in which the annuity is withdrawn. A retiring member and his/her spouse, if any, shall, if possible, jointly participate in a meeting with Township representatives prior to the election at which the effects of the annuity withdrawal will be

explained. The parties agree that in any future proceedings in which the issue of adequacy of pension benefits comes into question, the parties will acknowledge, where appropriate, that the reason that a retiree's pension benefit has been lowered is because of his election of the annuity withdrawal option.

- 36.4: A member shall be eligible to retire with full benefits with twenty-five (25) years of service.
- 36.5: On or before February 15, 2006, an officer may elect to purchase up to a maximum of two (2) years generic service time to enhance the current level of pensions. The officer's total cost shall be five (5%) percent of includeable average compensation for fiscal year ending March 31, 2005. Said time may be paid as a payroll deduction, and if a payroll deduction is chosen, the time period to make said payment will be equal to the amount of time purchased. Employees may also pay for the purchase time of said pension with a one-time payment, said payment to be due April 15, 2006 and April 15, 2007 for each respective year purchased. All pension payments must be completed in full by April 15, 2007.

Additionally, police officers may be allowed to purchase an additional two (2) years of military time. However, officers who already purchased military time under a prior collective bargaining agreement shall not be allowed to purchase military time under this collective bargaining agreement. The option to purchase military time must be elected by the employee no later than February 15, 2005. Notification must be made in writing to the Township and all payments in full due by April 15, 2006. The Employee's cost to purchase said military time will be at 5% of includeable final average compensation for fiscal year ending March 31, 2005

No more than four (4) years in total can be purchased by any one police officer. Actuarial studies, if necessary, will be evenly split between the Union and the Township.

Employees making either of the above selections:

- A. May not use this purchased time to enhance their pension benefit greater than 25 years; and
- B. Should an employee's total period of service, actual and purchased, exceed 25 years, the amount of time in excess of 25

years shall have no value and will not be considered in determining the employee's final average compensation.

- 36.6: Effective April 1, 1986, Section 6 (i) of Act 345 shall be amended to provide that a member's spouse shall have vested rights in the member's pension, upon the member's death after ten (10) years of service.
- 36.7: For purposes of retirement calculation under the act, average final compensation shall mean the average of the 3 years of the highest annual compensation received by a member during his 10 years of service immediately preceding his retirement or leaving service.
- 36.8: The parties agree that the current practice of not including overtime in the determination of F.A.C. shall stay in effect.
- 36.9: Effective April 1, 1987 the Employer will pay the employee's contribution to the pension system.
- 36.10: Effective April 1, 1987, Section 9 (1) of Act 345 notwithstanding, the Township shall pay into the retirement system the member's 5% contribution and the member's pension contribution shall thereupon be reduced to 0%. Notwithstanding the above, any such contribution made by the Township in lieu of a member's contribution shall be treated as the member's contribution; shall be credited to the member's account in the Reserve for employees' contribution; and shall be subject to refund to the member together with accumulated interest in accordance with the provisions of Act 345 and all provisions of this Article, including, but not limited to, Section 3, provided such treatment of this payment is permitted by the Internal Revenue Service. However, in the event an employee whose employment is terminated for any reason before his/her pension is vested (10 years service) shall not be eligible to receive the accumulated contribution made to the pension plan for the employee.
- 36.11: Pursuant to statutory provisions and regulations governing the Municipal Employees Retirement System (MERS), the Township will provide the following benefits for all full-time dispatchers/jailers:
 - A. Zero percent (0%) employee contribution
 - B. Twenty-five (25) years of service and out, with no penalty

- C. The Township will provide annuity withdrawal and payout of accrued sick time to be figured in retiree's final average compensation through the M.E.R.S. system.
- D. FAC-3 (Final average compensation based on the highest thirty-six (36) consecutive months of earnings divided by 3)
- E. B-4 program (2.5 multiplier)
 - 1. 8 Year Vesting Program

36.12: Any police officer may irrevocably elect, prior to the effective date of retirement but not thereafter, to be paid the accumulated contributions standing to the member's credit plus accumulated interest computed at a rate of 5% per annum after April 1, 2005. Upon this election and the payment of accumulated contributions, the retiring police officer's monthly pension shall be reduced by an amount which is the actuarial equivalent of the sums withdrawn. The actuarial equivalent shall be determined on the basis of the interest rate established by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation for immediate annuities, as of the first day of the fiscal year in which the annuity is withdrawn.

ARTICLE XXXVII ROLL CALL

- 37.1: All members of the bargaining unit may be required to appear fifteen (15) minutes prior to the commencement of their scheduled shift or work assignment. When roll call is required, employees shall receive a total of ten (10) hours pay at the employee's regular rate as compensation for attending any and all roll call formation in the previous calendar year. The ten (10) hours compensation shall be paid on the last payday in March, annually.

ARTICLE XXXVIII RESERVES

- 38.1: Reserve officers will no longer be assigned regularly scheduled patrol car duty with a regular officer unless the regular officer volunteers for the assignment.
- 38.2: Property check car: The Township agrees to assign Reserve Police Officers, without regular Police Officers, to no more than two (2) property check cars. It will be marked with following language:

"Redford Township Reserve Police Property Check Car"

This language may be applied with a magnetic placard, so as to utilize the patrol unit as a regular duty vehicle, when not being used as a property check vehicle by reserve officers.

At no time shall reserve officers assume any function as fully sworn officer, unless paired with a full-time, fully sworn Redford Township Police Officer as stated in this Agreement. At which time they may perform under the direction of said full-time, fully sworn officer.

ARTICLE XXXVIX
GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 39.1: It is expressly agreed and understood between the Township of Redford and the Police Officers Association of Michigan that there is no longer any parity clause in the POAM contract concerning wages, benefits or working conditions of any other Township group or Union.
- 39.2: The carry-over of excess vacation and personal leave time limits will be at the rate set forth in section 23.7.
- 39.3: All pay and leave time is to be based on that members' hire/anniversary date.
- 39.4: Layoffs shall be based on a Union member's seniority, hire/anniversary date. Part-time employees shall be laid off before any full-time employee is laid off.
- 39.5: The parties agree that, upon notification by either the Union or the Township, the parties will re-open negotiations for the following issues only:
 - A. Creation of a public safety officer (i.e., officer performing both police and fire duties).
- 39.6: All time off to be used in whole hours, including sick time, vacation time, personal time and chit.

- 39.7: If an employee is to be promoted, all special pay and leave time shall be prorated from that members hire/ anniversary date to the day before that member is to be promoted.

ARTICLE XL
PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING AND EVALUATION

- 40.1: It is agreed by the Union and the Employer that the following language shall govern fitness for duty psychological evaluations and counseling.
- 40.2: When the Employer has probable cause to believe an Employee may be unfit for duty within the Redford Township Police Department, the Employer may, at the Employer's expense, direct an Employee to undergo psychological counseling and/or evaluation to determine whether the Employee is fit for duty.
- A. The Employer shall designate a psychologist to perform the counseling or evaluation. The Union will have the right to challenge the selection for cause.
- B. The Employee will report at the time and place directed. When the appointment is outside the Employee's normally scheduled shift, the Employer will have the right to change the Employee's schedule. Time spent at the appointment will be considered on-duty time. Employees will be given reasonable time to make the necessary arrangements to be present at the evaluation or counseling.
- C. The Employer will provide the evaluator with a document which specifies the reasons for referral, relevant information from the personnel records, the investigator's report and other relevant documentation.
- D. After evaluation, the doctor shall report in writing to the Employer whether the employee is fit or unfit for duty. If the Employee has been found to be fit for full unrestricted duty, the doctor's report shall only state that the employee is fit for duty and no further medical action will be taken. If the Employee is found to be unfit for duty the doctor shall forward to the Employer recommendations for further treatment and the prognosis of return to restricted or unrestricted duty.

- E. In the event an Employee is found to be unfit for duty, the Employee may, at the Employee's expense, have a doctor of his/her choosing evaluate the Employee with the same information provided to the Employer's doctor. Should both doctors concur, the Employee will be required as a condition of employment to follow the directions and specification of the Employer's doctor. Should the doctors not concur, the Employer's doctor and the Employee's doctor shall recommend an independent evaluation by a third doctor, who will evaluate the Employee at the Employer's expense with the same information provided to the Employer's doctor. The determination of the majority of the doctors shall be placed into effect, subject to arbitration by either party.
- F. An Employee is entitled to assistance (in non-disciplinary situations) or representation (during the disciplinary process) from the Union. However, an Employee shall report when and where directed, and shall cooperate fully in any psychological examination or counseling. No one shall be allowed to accompany or represent the Employee during the psychological examination or counseling.
- G. Violations of rules and regulations may be a part of the basis for the Employer's reasonable belief regarding an Employee's fitness for duty. The psychological evaluation will pertain only to fitness for duty. Discipline for the rule violation will be considered separately. However, the Employee's psychological state may be given consideration in assessing the proper discipline to be rendered. The Employer must consider the reports of all the doctors.

40.3: The Employer and Union agree that should an incident arise that is not within the conditions of this psychological counseling/evaluation provision, the parties shall meet and attempt to resolve the matter through negotiation.

ARTICLE XLI SAVINGS CLAUSE

41.1: If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this contract is for any reason held to be invalid or illegal such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, clauses and phrases of this contract or the contract as an entirety. Both parties will reconvene to negotiate that section or portion of the contract which is found illegal or invalid.

ARTICLE XLII
COPIES OF CONTRACT

42.1: The Township agrees to deliver a copy of this Agreement to each member of the Union and agrees to provide twelve (12) copies to the Union, for the Union files, and copies of all insurance policies in force and applicable to the members of the Union as governed by this Agreement.

ARTICLE XLIII
CADET DISPATCHER/JAILER

43.1: The Township, at its sole discretion, may hire cadets and/or civilians for the position of jailer, dispatcher, and/or jailer/dispatcher.

ARTICLE XLIV
PART-TIME DISPATCHER

44.1: Part-time dispatcher is defined as an employee that may work a maximum of twenty-four (24) hours a week except when used to fill in for scheduled vacation times and for emergency situations such as extended sick leave, an employee quitting, etc., during which time they will be allowed to work a full forty (40) hours.

ARTICLE XLV
DRUG TESTING POLICY

45.1: The purpose of this order is to provide all sworn Officers with notice of the provisions of the departmental drug testing program.

45.2: It is the policy of this department that the critical mission of law enforcement justifies maintenance of a drug-free work environment through the use of a reasonable employee drug testing program.

45.3: The law enforcement profession has several uniquely compelling interests that justify the use of employee drug testing. The public has a right to expect that those who are sworn to protect them are at all times both physically and mentally prepared to assume these duties. There is sufficient evidence to conclude that the use of controlled substances and other forms of drug abuse will seriously impair an Officer's physical and mental health and, thus, job performance.

45:4: Where law enforcement officers participate in illegal drug use and drug activity, the integrity of the law enforcement profession and public confidence in that integrity are destroyed. This confidence is further eroded by the potential for corruption created by drug use.

45:5: Therefore, in order to ensure the integrity of the department and to preserve public trust and confidence in a fit and drug free law enforcement profession, this department will implement a drug testing program to detect prohibited drug use by sworn employees on April 1, 1998.

III. 45.6: DEFINITIONS

A. Sworn Officer - Those Officers who have been formally vested with full law enforcement powers and authority.

B. Supervisor - Those sworn Officers assigned to a position having day-to-day responsibility for supervising subordinates, or who are responsible for commanding a work element.

C. Drug Test - The compulsory or voluntary production and submission of urine, in accordance with departmental procedures, by an Officer for chemical analysis to detect prohibited drug usage.

D. Reasonable Suspicion - That quantity of proof or evidence that is more than a hunch, but less than probable cause. Reasonable suspicion must be based on specific, objective facts and any rationally derived inferences from those facts about the conduct of an Officer. These facts or inferences would lead the reasonable person to suspect that the Officer is or has been using drugs while on or off duty.

E. Probable Cause - That amount of facts and circumstances within the knowledge of a supervisor or the administration which are sufficient to warrant a prudent person to believe it is more probably than not that an Officer is or has been using drugs while on or off duty.

F. Probationary Officer - For the purpose of this policy only, a probationary Officer shall be considered to be any person who is conditionally employed with the department as a recently hired law enforcement Officer.

G. MRO - Medical Review Officer - The medical review officer is a physician knowledgeable in the medical use of prescription drugs and the pharmacology and

toxicology of illicit drugs. The MRO will be a licensed physician with knowledge of substance abuse disorders. The MRO shall have appropriate medical training to interpret and evaluate an Officer's test results in conjunction with his or her medical history and any other relevant biomedical information.

H. Last Chance Agreement - A standard letter of conditions for continued employment that is offered by the Chief, or the right to same is invoked by an Officer under certain conditions outlined in this order, after it has been determined that the Officer has violated this order.

IV.45.7: PROCEDURES/RULES

A. General Rules

The following rules shall apply to all Officers, while on and off duty:

1. No Officer shall illegally possess any controlled substance.
2. No Officer shall ingest any controlled or prescribed substance, except under the direction of a licensed medical practitioner.
 - a. Officers shall notify their immediate supervisor when required to use prescription medicine that may influence their job performance. The Officer shall submit one of the following:
 - (1) note from the prescribing doctor
 - (2) copy of the prescription
 - (3) show of the bottle label to his immediate supervisor
 - b. Supervisors shall document this information and retain the memorandum for at least thirty (30) days.
3. No Officer shall ingest any prescribed or over-the-counter medication in amounts beyond the recommended dosage.
4. Any Officer who unintentionally ingests, or is made to ingest, a controlled substance shall immediately report the incident to his supervisor so that appropriate medical steps may be taken to ensure the Officer's health and safety.

5. Any Officer having a reasonable basis to believe that another Officer is illegally using, or is in possession of, any controlled substance shall immediately report the facts and circumstances to his supervisor.

6. Discipline of sworn Officers for any violation of this drug testing policy shall be in accordance with the due process rights provided in the department's rules and regulations, policies and procedures, and the collective bargaining agreement. (The officer may be immediately relieved of duty pending a departmental investigation at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee, when one of the following occurs:

- a. a refusal to participate
- b. probable cause
- c. the Medical Review Officer determines that an Officer's drug test was positive.)

B. Applicant Drug Testing

1. Applicants for the position of Police Officer shall be required to take a drug test as a condition of employment during a pre-employment medical examination.

2. Applicants shall be disqualified from further consideration for employment under the following circumstances:

- a. Refusal to submit to a required drug test, or
- b. A confirmed positive drug test indicating drug use prohibited by this order.

C. Probationary Officer Drug Testing

All probationary recruit Officers shall be required as a condition of employment, to participate in any unannounced drug tests scheduled for the probationary period. The frequency and timing of such tests shall be determined by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee. Probationary recruit Officer may be tested prior to completion of the probationary period. A probationary recruit Officer shall not be eligible for coverage under the last chance rehabilitation provision set forth in this order, except at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief.

D. Officer Drug Testing

Sworn Officers will be required to take drug tests as a condition of continued employment in order to ascertain prohibited drug use, as provided below:

1. The Township may order an Officer to take a drug test upon document probable cause that the Officer is or has been using drugs. A summary of the facts supporting the order shall be made available to the Officer prior to the actual test.
2. Upon reasonable suspicion the Department may request, through an authorized representative of the Officer's labor association, that an Officer submit to a voluntary drug test. Submission to a voluntary drug test hereunder shall be subject to the frequency limitation found in Article IV, section D, subsection 4 herein. Any Officer voluntarily submitting to a drug test who tests positive as a consequence of said test, shall be eligible to invoke the last chance rehabilitation provisions set forth in this order. Any Officer who refuses to submit to a request for a voluntary drug test shall not be disciplined as a consequence of such refusal, but shall not be eligible for coverage under the last chance rehabilitation provision set forth in this policy for a period of three (3) years.
3. A drug test will be administered as part of any promotional physical examination required by this department.
4. All sworn Officers shall be uniformly tested during any unannounced, random testing required by the department. Random testing for all sworn Officers will not exceed twice in a 365 day period, except for those Officers assigned to the narcotics unit.
 - a. The Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee shall determine the frequency and timing of such tests.
 - b. The president of the labor association, or his designee, will receive a list of the Officers that have been required to take a drug test after all Officers in that particular group have submitted, or have refused to submit, a urine sample to the laboratory testing personnel.
5. A drug screening test shall be considered as a condition of acceptance to the Narcotic Unit. Furthermore, the members of the Narcotic Unit will be tested randomly at least once every six months and also when an Officer leaves the

unit. The Officers of the narcotic unit shall be eligible to invoke the last chance rehabilitation provision set forth in this order.

E. Penalty

Violation of any provision of this drug testing order shall be grounds for disciplinary action. Discipline shall be administered as set forth in the Township's rules and regulations, and may include discharge from the Police Department. Any discipline remains subject to review in accordance with the collective bargaining agreement.

F. Drug Testing Procedures

1. The testing procedures and safeguards provided in this order shall be adhered to by any laboratory personnel administering departmental drug tests.
2. Laboratory personnel authorized to administer departmental drug test shall require positive identification from each Officer to be tested before the Officer enters the testing area.
3. In order to prevent a false positive test result, a pre-test interview shall be conducted by testing personnel to ascertain and document the Officer's recent use of any prescription or non-prescription drugs, or any indirect exposure to drugs. Divulgence by the Officer of medical information during the pre-test interview is voluntary, however, if the test results are positive, it will be mandatory that the officer divulge the necessary medical information to the Medical Review Officer so that the MRO may determine whether the test result is a false positive.
4. The testing area shall be private and secure. Authorized testing personnel shall search the testing area before an Officer enters same in order to document that the area is free of any foreign substances.
5. Where the Officer appears unable or unwilling to give a specimen at the time of the test, testing personnel shall document the circumstances on the drug-test report form. The Officer shall be permitted no more than eight hours to give a sample. During that time the Officer shall remain in the testing area, under observation. Reasonable amounts of water may be given to the employee to encourage urination. Failure to submit a sample shall be considered a refusal to submit to a drug test except for good cause as determined by the M.R.O.

6. The urine sample will be split and stored in case of legal disputes. The samples must be provided at the same time, and marked and placed in identical specimen containers by authorized testing personnel. One sample shall be submitted for immediate drug testing. The other sample shall remain at the facility in frozen storage. This sample shall be made available to the employee or his labor association representative prior to disciplinary action, should the original sample result in a legal dispute. The officer must request same within 72 hours of being notified of a positive and confirmatory test by the Medical Review Officer. All groups of negative samples may be destroyed after seven (7) days.
7. All specimen samples shall be sealed, labeled, initialed by the Officer and laboratory technician, and checked against the identity of the Officer. Samples shall be stored in a secured and refrigerated atmosphere until testing or delivery to the testing lab representative.
8. Whenever there is a reason to believe that the Officer may have altered or substituted the specimen to be provided, a second specimen shall be obtained within a reasonable period of time. The laboratory personnel will take the appropriate necessary steps to assure the integrity of the second specimen.

G. Drug Testing Methodology

1. The testing or processing phase shall consist of:
 - a. initial screening test
 - b. confirmation test - if the initial screening test is positive
2. The urine sample is first tested using the initial drug screening procedure. An initial positive test result will not be considered conclusive; rather, it will be classified as "confirmation pending." Notification of test results to the supervisor or other departmental designee shall be held until the confirmation test results are obtained and verified by the M.R.O.
3. A specimen testing positive will undergo an additional confirmatory test. The confirmation procedure shall be technologically different and more sensitive than the initial screening test.
4. The drug screening tests selected shall be capable of identifying marijuana, cocaine and every major drug of abuse including heroine,

amphetamines and barbiturates. Personnel utilized for testing will be qualified to collect urine samples, or adequately trained in collection procedures.

5. Concentrations of a drug at or about the following levels shall be considered a positive test result when using the initial immunoassay drug screening test:

Initial Test Level	(ng/ml)
Marijuana metabolite	100
Cocaine metabolite	300
Opiate metabolite	300*
Phencyclidine	25
Amphetamines	1000
Barbiturates	300

*25 ng/ml if immunoassay-specific for free morphine

Concentrations of a drug at or above the following levels shall be considered a positive test result when performing a confirmatory CG/MS test on a urine specimen that tested positive using a technologically different test than the initial screening method:

Confirmatory Test Level	(ng/ml)
Marijuana metabolite	15*
Cocaine metabolite	150**
Opiates	
Morphine	300+
Codeine	300+
Phencyclidine	25
Amphetamines	
Amphetamine	500
Methamphetamine	500
* Delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol-9-carboxylic acid	
** Benzoyllecgonine	
+ 25ng/ml if immunoassay-specific for free morphine	
Barbiturates	300

6. The initial and confirmatory test cutoff levels of this order are the same as that of the United States government which were published in the Federal Register, volume 54, number 230, dated December 1, 1989.
7. The laboratory selected to conduct the analysis shall be experienced and capable of assuring quality control, documentation, chain-of-custody, technical expertise and demonstrated proficiency in urinalysis.
8. Officers having negative drug test results shall receive a memorandum stating that no illegal drugs were found. A copy of the letter will be placed in the Officer's personnel file upon the Officer's request.
9. Any Officer who interferes with the testing process or breaches the confidentiality of test results shall be subject to discipline.

H. Chain of Evidence - Storage

1. Each step in the collecting and processing of the urine specimens shall be documented to establish procedural integrity and the chain of custody.
2. Where a positive result is confirmed, urine specimens shall be maintained in a secured, refrigerated storage area. If a dispute arises the specimens will be stored until all legal disputes are settled.

I. Drug Test Results

1. All records pertaining to departmental-required drug tests shall remain confidential, and shall not be provided to other employers or agencies without the written permission of the person whose records are sought. However, medical, administrative, and immediate supervisory personnel may have access to relevant portions of the records as necessary to insure the acceptable performance of the Officer's job duties.

J. Substance Abuse Rehabilitation Program

Officers may participate in a substance abuse rehabilitation program, however, participation after _____ shall not prohibit drug testing under this policy.

K. Procedures for Implementation of the Last Chance Agreement

1. An Officer whose drug test has been confirmed positive by the Medical Review Officer during random or reasonable suspicion testing shall, (if found guilty during department disciplinary proceedings), be offered a last chance agreement.
2. At the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, the last chance agreement may also be offered to any officer whose drug test has been confirmed positive by the Medical Review Officer.
3. Standard letter of conditions for continued employment (last chance agreement) must be signed by an authorized representative of the department and the officer.
4. An Officer must attend and successfully complete an authorized rehabilitation program.
5. An Officer must sign a form releasing any and all information to management as may be requested.
6. An Officer must pass a medical examination administered by a medical facility designated by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief prior to being allowed to return to duty. The examination shall only screen for drug use and the physical impact of the prior drug usage.
7. An Officer may be allowed to use sick time and apply for a medical leave of absence if required, while undergoing rehabilitation.
8. Once authorized to return to duty, the officer must submit to periodic urinalysis on a timetable as may be determined by the Chief.
9. The Officer shall be subject to the terms of this program for three (3) years after their return to work.
10. The Officer must agree in writing that the Officer will be automatically terminated forthwith if a violation of any portion of the last chance agreement occurs at any time during it's enforcement term.

11. Officer must be advised that the Officer is not obligated to sign the agreement and be advised he has the right to seek the counsel of his legal and/or labor representative.

ARTICLE XLVI
LAST CHANCE AGREEMENT

Re: _____

Whereas, the above referenced individual was found guilty of violating the departmental drug order on _____, and;

Whereas, the _____ will conditionally reinstate _____ to the same rank held at termination, provided the Officer is found by medical examination to be capable of performing all the duties of the classification as have been previously established by _____ and subject to the following terms and conditions being met and maintained;

Now, therefore, it is agreed that:

1. Officer must sign a form releasing any and all information to management as may be requested.
2. Officer must successfully complete a rehabilitation program as prescribed by an authorized rehabilitation source.
3. Officer must pass a medical examination administered by a medical facility designated by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief prior to being allowed to return to duty. The examination shall only screen for drug use and the physical impact of the prior drug usage.
4. Officer may be allowed to use sick time and may apply for a medical leave of absence if required, while undergoing rehabilitation.
5. Upon clearance by the medical facility designated by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, the Officer shall be returned to the Police Department at the rank of _____.

6. Once returned to duty, the Officer will present himself to the department approved substance abuse rehabilitation center for evaluation, and agree to, as well as follow any and all directives given him by the rehabilitation center for a period of not more three (3) years. Officer _____ agrees to sign appropriate forms releasing any and all information to the Police Department as may be requested. Failure to follow the program directives is grounds for discharge, subject to review pursuant to the collective bargaining agreement of only the discharge for failure to follow program directives.

7. Once authorized to return to duty, Officer _____ shall submit to controlled substance testing at the discretion of the Chief. If any such test shows a positive result for the presence of a controlled substance, Officer _____ will be discharged from employment with the _____, subject to review pursuant to the collective bargaining agreement of only the discharge for a positive test result hereunder.

8. Officer _____ will be credited with seniority, for promotional purposes, for time separated from the Police Department between _____ and the date of return to duty. No other wage is due or owing, and Officer _____ waives any claims thereto.

9. The Association shall withdraw with prejudice the grievance # _____ and shall release and discharge the Employer from any and all claims relating thereto. The Employer shall release and discharge the Union and Officer from any and all claims relating thereto. Officer _____ shall release and discharge the Association and the Employer from any and all claims relating to grievance # _____ including but not limited to the processing and arbitration of this grievance. Further, Officer _____ release the County and the Association from all liability and claims he may have had or now has with respect to his employment with the _____ whether such claims or liability arise under Federal or State statute, constitutional provisions, principles of common law, or under the collective bargaining agreement between the _____ and the Police Officers Association of Michigan.

10. All parties have had the opportunity to consult legal counsel and have carefully and completely read and understood all the terms of this settlement agreement. This settlement agreement is freely and voluntarily entered into by all parties without any duress or coercion.

11. The parties agree that this agreement is entered into as a full and final settlement of the above referenced matter, and shall not set a precedent. Furthermore, the

actions taken by the parties in settling this matter are not meant to establish a practice or right to be utilized in any other grievance, claim, or litigation.

12. In the event the Officer grieves and attempts to process to arbitration any discipline imposed as a condition of this last chance agreement, said grievance shall be barred by release and waiver, and an arbitrator shall have no authority to modify the penalty imposed by the Police Department.

ARTICLE XLVII
CANINE OFFICER/DIVISION INSPECTOR

47.1: The Charter Township of Redford and the Redford Police Officers Association have reached an agreement concerning the terms and conditions for the position of Canine Officer. The parties hereby set forth the terms of their Agreement.

1. The Township shall have the discretion to establish the position of Canine Officer.
2. The Chief of Police or Deputy Chief, at his sole discretion, at any time, may eliminate the Canine Officer position.
3. An Officer assigned to the position of Canine Officer will be scheduled to work in regard to hours and duties as determined at the discretion of the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee.
4. The Department will maintain the right to reassign days off in lieu of overtime for training purposes.
5. All care, maintenance and training of the canine shall be done on duty, unless overtime is authorized by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee.
6. On the Canine Officer's non-working days, the Officer shall be expected to spend thirty (30) minutes per day in the care, maintenance or training of the assigned canine, and shall be compensated for said thirty (30) minutes at one and one-half times his/her regular rate.
7. If, for any reason, the Officer does not have control of the animal, such as the Officer is on vacation and the animal is kenneled or any other reason, then he/she will not be reimbursed for the care of the animal.

8. The Canine Officer's hourly rate of pay shall be the same as that of the hourly rate of a patrolman in the Police Department. Call-in and overtime pay will be in accordance with the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
9. The Parties believe and expect that the times for care, maintenance and training of the assigned canine, set forth above, will constitute all of the time required or needed to be spent by the Canine Officer in connection with their duties. Any Officer assigned to the duties of Canine Officer will be expected to review and execute a letter of agreement identical to the letter of agreement between the Township and the Union. In the event the Canine Officer is required to spend any additional time in the care, maintenance or training of an assigned canine beyond that set forth in the Letter of Agreement, the Canine Officer will immediately notify the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief or his designee and receive prior approval.
10. Uniforms shall be as directed by the Chief of Police or Deputy Chief and provided for by the Department.
11. The Police Department will provide the following:
 - (a) Food
 - (b) Equipment needed for program (as approved)
 - (c) Payment of veterinary bills (as approved)
12. The Canine Officer shall reside within a distance that will allow him/her to respond to a scene within the Township within a fifteen (15) minute period of time of the call back. This requirement is based on expert opinion that for a canine to be effective it must be at the scene within a period of fifteen minutes.
13. The Canine Officer, should he/she decide to reside outside the fifteen (15) minute call back shall notify the Department as soon as possible. The canine will be returned to the Department for further disposition. There will be no reprisals whatsoever for his/her decision to reside beyond the fifteen (15) minute limit.
14. The Charter Township of Redford is the sole owner of this animal and shall make all major decisions regarding the health, safety and management of the animal as well as final disposition of the animal upon retirement, health of the animal, as well as the success of the animal's training and the ending of the canine program.

ARTICLE XLVIII
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION DUES

48.1: Effective April 1, 1996 the Township hereby agrees to pay for the dues of all members in the following:

- A. POAM Civil/Criminal Representation program.

ARTICLE XLIX
TERM OF AGREEMENT

49.1: This Agreement shall be effective April 1, 2005, and continue in full force and effect until March 31, 2009.

49.2: IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have set their hands and seals this ____ day of _____, 2005.

POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
OF MICHIGAN

William Birdseye / CRS

Business Agent

REDFORD TOWNSHIP POLICE
OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

Eric Norman 12/20/2005
Eric Norman, President

TOWNSHIP OF REDFORD

R. Miles Handy II

R. Miles Handy
Supervisor

Garth Christie

Garth Christie
Clerk

APPENDIX A - WAGES

Wages schedule for patrolmen for the term of this Agreement:

A. The Annual Wage Schedule for the POAM shall be:

	BASE 4/1/2004	0.00% 4/1/2005	2.00% 4/1/2006	3.00% 4/1/2007	3.00% 4/1/2008
PATROL OFFICER					
START	40,807.28	40,807.28	41,623.43	42,872.13	44,158.29
1YR	43,527.77	43,527.77	44,398.33	45,730.28	47,102.18
2YR	46,248.25	46,248.25	47,173.22	48,588.41	50,046.06
3YR	48,968.74	48,968.74	49,948.11	51,446.56	52,989.95
4YR	51,689.22	51,689.22	52,723.00	54,304.69	55,933.84
TOP	54,409.71	54,409.71	55,497.90	57,162.84	58,877.73
DISPATCH					
START	28,565.10	28,565.10	29,136.40	30,010.49	30,910.81
6MO	30,469.44	30,469.44	31,078.83	32,011.19	32,971.53
1YR	32,373.78	32,373.78	33,021.26	34,011.89	35,032.25
2YR	34,278.12	34,278.12	34,963.68	36,012.59	37,092.97
3YR	36,182.46	36,182.46	36,906.11	38,013.29	39,153.69
TOP	38,086.79	38,086.79	38,848.53	40,013.98	41,214.40

LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING RE VACATION/PERSONAL LEAVE TIME

The Charter Township of Redford and the Redford Police Officers Association agree that on April 1, 1998, the Township will give all seniority members all vacation and personal leave time as per the prior contract.

In addition, all seniority members will be given a pro-rated amount of vacation and personal leave time assessed from April 1, 1998 to each member's respective anniversary/hire date.

For purposes of pro-rating time, all members will be assessed at their rate of service for 1998. From that point forward, all vacation and personal leave will be distributed on seniority members' anniversary/hire date.

There will be no restrictions on carry-over of excess vacation and personal leave time until the seniority members' anniversary/hire date after April 1, 1999.

Thereafter, all carryover limits will be at the rate set forth in section 23.7.

