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TO: Kenneth Buckland, Town Planner
FROM: Chief John A. Walcek
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RE: Littleton Drive Project

After review of the planned housing area in the Littleton Drive area, as Chief of Police, I feel the need to address some concerns.

While our community continues to grow with residential and commercial developments, our department fails to keep pace. These housing units would contribute to our already busy call volume, and generally speaking new homes generate calls that can be labor intensive.

As I have stated multiple times in town reports, additional manpower is the single greatest need of the Wareham Police Department.

In addition, I would be concerned with increased traffic especially at the intersection of Swifts Beach Road and Marion Road (US Route 6). It appears after discussion, that this intersection will have a traffic light which should be a tremendous help.

In conclusion, I would hope that the town recognizes our needs, which allow us to provide the best in police services to the people of this amazing community.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me.

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