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NPD September 11th Memorial

Niles, IL – Today, the Niles Police Department, Mayor Alpigianis, Village of Niles Trustees, the Niles Fire Department, Niles Public Works, Chaplain Al Lopez, NPD Honor Guard and village staff honored the 2,977 men, women, and children who lost their lives on September 11th, 2001. We also honor the bravery our brothers and sisters exhibited in the face of enormous tragedy. Tomorrow will be the 20th anniversary of the attacks of September 11th, 2001 a day that continues to remind us of the importance to serve and protect. Chief Luis C. Tigera rescinded the order banning the blue line mask only for today so that the Niles Police Department could honor our fallen brothers and sisters that passed in the tragic events that occurred.

The Niles Police Department continues to honor all who lost their lives that day and every day as we continue to serve others and cherish the time we have.

Special thanks to ISP Trooper Nicholas Spizzirri for singing the National Anthem and playing taps. Trooper Spizzirri is a former Niles Community Service Officer.

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