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### **First PECO “Meet-and-Greet” to Be Held on August 17**

HARRISONBURG, VA – The People’s Equality Commission of the Shenandoah Valley (PECO) in partnership with the Harrisonburg Police Department announced last Friday a program designed to bring police officers and community members together. The meet-and-greet will provide a platform to discuss neighborhood policing opportunities and build partnerships to improve the overall quality of life in the City of Harrisonburg.

The first event is scheduled for Monday August 17th at 6:30 pm. at the Turner Pavilion, this is HPD’s geo district one. Organizers are requesting only residents and business representatives from district one attend this meeting. Future meet-and-greets will be scheduled for other districts in the near future.

Organizers request that all participants wear face masks and practice social distancing. The media is welcome to attend and get to know the people behind this collaborative program.

Attached you will find a map of district one, for a link to all districts go to <http://harrisonburgva.gov/geographical-policing>. For more information, please contact Sgt. Chris Monahan, HPD Community Resources Unit, at (540) 437-2624.

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