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Can you make a link for the CM update? Thanks!
John

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Happy Friday, John!

Just wanted to give you some updates from your PD from this week:

- MPO Ryan Cullen is recovering at home after being struck by a suspected impaired driver while investigating a vehicle accident in the early morning hours of Saturday morning. Thank goodness he was not hurt worse. Ryan is awaiting MRI results (today) for his injuries before being able to return to work. Please continue to keep him in your thoughts.
- Det. Joe Merclich will be joining us on 12/10/22 as our newest patrol sergeant! Joe comes to us with a background as a Marine, a KCSO dispatcher prior to becoming a deputy in 2001 when he graduated from the Academy with our very own, Det. Paula Kieland! Joe has spent the last 6 years in our KCSO Intelligence Unit as a detective often as acting sergeant for them. He has a career background as a deputy, detective, and bomb dog handler, and I am certain will be an EXCELLENT addition to our team with his experience, maturity, and his natural leadership.
- I met Wednesday with Shoreline School Superintendent Reyes and Asst. Superintendent Schultz to discuss continued partnership between Shoreline PD and the district. Sgt. Jon Salter, former Shoreline SRO, is working closely with Rachel Belfield, the PIO, to assist with emergency planning as well. Jon has a unique and intimate knowledge of the schools and a strong training background that is suited for this project.
- Sgt. Scott Fitchett was personally honored Wednesday night at the grand opening of the Shoreline REST (Real Escape from Sex Trade) home by the founder, Amanda Hightower. Scott played an extremely important role in the opening and success of this program since it was founded in 2009. He connected with the residents of the new home here in Shoreline. Shoreline PD will be partnering with REST for their continued success.
<https://iwantrest.com/about/about-us>

Thank you and have a wonderful weekend!

Kelly

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