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TOWN STATEMENT

The Town of Yarmouth, with heavy hearts, offer our condolences to the family of Officer Sean Gannon. Officer Gannon was appointed to the Yarmouth Police Department in 2010. He served our Town with great honor and pride. Sean had a tremendous passion for life and had committed his life to helping those less fortunate. We are forever indebted to him and his partner, K9 Nero, for their heroic service. We will miss him forever.

On Tuesday, April 17th the wake will be held from 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM at St Pius X Church located at 5 Barbara Ave, South Yarmouth MA 02664. A Police walkthrough will occur at 5:15 PM. Station Avenue will be closed from Hazelmere Avenue to Wood Road from 4:45 PM through 6:30 PM.

A funeral mass will be held on Wednesday, April 18th at 11:00 AM. Please note that Station Avenue will be closed to vehicular traffic at approximately 10:00 AM and remain closed until approximately 1:00 PM.

Following the mass, a private funeral procession will take place down Station Avenue/North Main Street to Route 28, west to Higgins Crowell Road and to Chandler Gray Cemetery for a private burial.

Please note that parking at the Dennis-Yarmouth High School is RESERVED for Police and First Responders attending the funeral. Due to the anticipated large participation from the Law Enforcement Community, and in order to ensure the privacy of Officer Gannon's family, we encourage you to show your respect by attending the procession along the road following the funeral mass.

To allow our Yarmouth Town Employees to grieve with their work family, All Town Offices including the Transfer Station, Senior Center, Libraries and Golf Courses will close at 3:00 PM on Tuesday and will reopen on Thursday, April 19th. All meetings will be postponed.

This most tragic event has affected each and every one of us. Over the last few days the outpouring of support and love has been extraordinary and a true display of the great community in which we live and work. If you would like to help, please make a donation to the Yarmouth Police Foundation or The Cape Cod Foundation.

On behalf of the Board of Selectmen, I would like to thank everyone for their needed support during this time. Please continue to pray for the Gannon family, the YPD and our community.

Together, we remain Yarmouth Strong.

Tracy Post
Chair, Yarmouth Board of Selectmen
