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MEDIA RELEASE

Incident Number: 13-4798
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Officers Involved Shooting

I support District Attorney David O'Leary's decision concerning our officer's actions on June 11, 2013. I appreciate the extra time and effort needed to review this critical community incident.

The officers involved are aware of the decision and anxious to return to work. They will cycle back to normal duty after going through a process used by police organizations consistent with deadly force incidents. Some of these processes include firearms testing and appropriate medical evaluation.

The officers involved are Sergeant Dan Tilley, 53 years old, 18 years of service, 14 years as a Sergeant, 12 years as the Drug and Gang Unit Supervisor.

Seth Hendricks, 26 years old, 3 years of service in Patrol.

Brian Miller, 44 years old, 14 years of service with two of these in the Drug and Gang Unit.

The bulk of reports for this critical incident were created by the Department of Criminal Investigations. The Beloit Police Department is gathering our reports. We will receive copies of the Department of Criminal Investigation reports, and time will be needed to review the thorough work done over the last few weeks.

I will set up a panel of Beloit Police Department members to conduct a review of this incident. The review will look at what happened and the surrounding circumstances as they relate to our policies and training.

Finally, there are weapon cases connected to this incident still being investigated, and waiting reports from the State Crime Laboratory.

I thank the community for its patience and critical support through this process and beyond.

Chief Norm Jacobs

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Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3:6 Trial Publicity, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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