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The Acworth Police Department is proud to announce we are the recipient of more than \$930,000 from the State of Georgia for the Public Safety and Community Violence Reduction Strategies grant. Having this funding will enable our department to enhance our capabilities and strengthen our commitment to ensuring the safety and well-being of our community.

As part of this grant, the Acworth Police Department will be launching an intelligence-led policing initiative, leveraging cutting-edge technology and collaboration with other law enforcement agencies. Through this initiative, we will be partnering with the Cobb County Police Department and the Real-Time Crime Center, a revolutionary tool in combating violent crime.

With the allocated funds, we will be acquiring state-of-the-art software, which will significantly enhance our ability to conduct criminal investigations. This software will provide our officers with valuable insights and real-time data, enabling them to make more informed decisions and effectively address crime in our community. In addition, we will be purchasing new computers and license plate readers, further augmenting our technological resources and improving our overall operational efficiency.

The intelligence-led policing initiative represents a significant milestone for the Acworth Police Department. By harnessing the power of technology and strategic partnerships, we are taking proactive measures to prevent crime, identify patterns, and target areas of concern. This initiative aligns with our commitment to serving and protecting our community, and it will greatly enhance our ability to respond to incidents swiftly and effectively.

We extend our gratitude to the State of Georgia for their generous grant and their recognition of our efforts to create a safer community. This funding will enable us to better equip our officers and enhance public safety measures, ultimately fostering a stronger relationship between law enforcement and the community we serve.

The Acworth Police Department remains dedicated to upholding the highest standards of professionalism, integrity, and community engagement. We believe that this grant and the intelligence-led policing initiative will be instrumental in furthering our mission to create a safe and secure environment for all residents, businesses, and visitors in our great city.

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