

MIFFLIN TOWNSHIP DIVISION OF POLICE

Office of David Briggs, Chief



Chief Jones,

I first want to thank you and your department for all the assistance you provided during the incident on Perdue Avenue on February 19th, 2024. Your officers acted in such a manner, that showed the professionalism installed in them by your leadership.

I further wanted to thank Officer Struble for his valiant actions that I believe saved my officers life. I watched footage from the incident, where I observed my officer unconscious on the ground, with the suspect on top of him, continuing the assault. When Officer Struble arrived on scene, he immediately jumped into action, knowing the danger, knowing my officer had been assaulted and knocked unconscious and the suspect had a knife, Officer Struble did not hesitate and engaged the suspect, where Officer Struble fought with the suspect and was able to get him on the ground, and with the assistance of arriving CPD officers, was able to take him into custody.

I believe this to be an outstanding act of valor on Officer Struble's part, in an extremely hazardous situation, he was able to think quickly on his feet and under pressure, evaluate the situation, and was aware of the hazards and still took immediate action, knowing there was incontestable risk of death or serious physical harm to himself. I believe these actions to be what saved my officer's life.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chief D. Briggs".

Chief David Briggs