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Letter to the Editor

Deputy sheriffs support Devlin

The Otsego County Deputy Sheriff's Police Benevolent Association and the Otsego County Deputy Sheriff's Benevolent Association would like to announce our endorsements of Sgt. Richard J. Devlin Jr. for the position of Otsego County Sheriff.

Sgt. Devlin has more than 20 years of law enforcement experience. He has held the rank of sergeant for the past six years, making him the third in command of the Sheriff's Department. Third in command not only means having the responsibility of the Road Patrol, but the running of the Correctional Facility and the Civil Process office.

In his capacity as our sergeant, Rich has written and received grants totaling \$90,000. These funds were instrumental in modernizing and increasing the efficiency of our department with no additional cost to the taxpayers.

Combine all this with his 26 years of membership with the Milford Fire Department, the last eight as chief, and you realize his dedication and commitment to public safety and the citizens of Otsego County.

Rich has earned the trust and respect of the members of the OCDSPBA and the OCDSBA. We ask that you support his election to the office of Otsego County sheriff.

Please mark your calendars — Primary Day is Tuesday. Your vote is very important.

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