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## New Look for Portland Police Cars

Bureau wants to present a modern image

Portland had a new design for its police patrol vehicles changing from mostly white colors to nearly solid blue.

The process of redesigning the look started earlier this year and dozens of designs were considered.

The current design started with the 1991 Chevrolet Caprice. The 2011 Portland Police cars will be Ford Crown Victoria's but the Bureau is continuing to look at the new Chevrolet Caprices, Dodge Chargers, and the Ford Interceptor, which is based on the Ford Taurus.

Each year, a percentage of Portland Police patrol cars are rotated out of service and sold at auction. The cars are retired after five years of service and some parts are recycled into the new replacement cars - mainly radios, mobile data



The new design for Portland police cars are nearly solid blue with the slogan 'Sworn to protect. Dedicated to serve.'

computer and some lighting equipment.

Officials said it's important to note that in lean financial times, there is no additional cost to taxpayers for the new design.

The new cars will be solid blue with white wrapped doors. On the doors are the words "Portland Police" and below them is the slogan

"Sworn to protect. Dedicated to serve." A red rose is featured between the words "protect" and "Dedicated."

On the rear quarter-panel is the official Twitter handle of the Portland Police Bureau, "@portlandpolice". The use of the Twitter handle is designed to encourage people to follow the Po-

lice Bureau on Twitter for updates, crime information, and to engage with people in the social media community.

The slogan, "Sworn to Protect. Dedicated to Serve." was coined by a Portland Police officer in the mid-1980s and was previously on Portland Police cars in the mid-1980s and early 1990s.

Chief Michael Reese said, "We wanted to present a modern image of today's police agency on the vehicle, but we also wanted to give a nod to our past. Many officers have told me that they have always been proud to be a part of that sentiment and it clearly articulates our belief in how we want to serve the community."

## Food Drive Nets 1.4 Million Pounds

In just one day, letter carriers from Portland, Vancouver and across Oregon collected 1.4 million pounds of nonperishable food from postal customers for emer-

gency food pantries, the Oregon Food Bank announced Friday.

In addition, the May 14 Letter Carriers Food Drive raised a record

\$107,000.

"What our letter carriers do on this one day is amazing," said Rachel Bristol, CEO, Oregon Food Bank. "This is truly a community

effort involving thousands of volunteers who unload trucks at every post office, box the food and load it onto donated semis for delivery to the regional food banks and food pantries.

Bristol also thanked the postal customers who donated for the

drive.

Although the letter carriers food drive remains the largest one-day food drive in the nation, the amount of food raised in Oregon and southwest Washington didn't match last year's record 1.7 million pounds.

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