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For Immediate Release

To: Public
From: Beecher Baker Sr., Superintendent of Schools
Date: 4/30/2018
Re: Hadley-Luzerne Central School District Hires HS Warren County School Resource Officer



Hadley-Luzerne School Board of Education and Superintendent Baker have contracted with the Warren County Sherriff's office to employ Mortimer Keane who accepted the position of School Resource Officer at the Hadley-Luzerne Junior-Senior High School in Lake Luzerne, NY. Mr. Keane was employed by the Bolton Police Department handling 911 calls, community calls dealing with police matters and public safety concerns and security at the Sagamore Resort Hotel.

Mr. Keane retired after 20 years from the N.Y.C. Police Department. During that time he held several precinct assignments, culminating in assignment to Brooklyn North Task Force specializing on riot/crowd control events and rapid mobilizations to large scale incidents. In addition to his N.Y.C. Police Academy Training and Zone 5 Law Enforcement Training he holds certifications in Teach Autism, Police Encounters, General Topics Instructor, First Aid/CPR, Radar and Taser use.

Deputy Keane's role is to provide a safe and secure junior-senior high school campus and be present at many night time functions as well. Our school board feels strongly that the safety and security of our children and staff are the number one priority, and that actions like the addition of a second SRO will foster to create a safe and secure environment for learning.