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**RE: Follow up to Freedom of Information Request: North Andover, MA Police Department
- Equipment**

Dear Mr. LeVines:

We are in receipt of your Public Records request. In response to your request for information regarding equipment we used in the field by the North Andover Police Department we have the following information for you:

Vehicles: The department owns 10 patrol vehicles, 2 SUV's and 5 administrative vehicles. We also own one van used for animal control, 2 ATVs and 2 trailers. In addition we utilize one electronic message board and 2 speed radar trailers.

Protective Gear: Officers are each issued ballistic vests, gas masks and raincoats. We own one ballistic shield.

Defensive Equipment: Baton, O.C. spray.

Firearms: Each officer is issued a S&W MP45 semiautomatic handgun. We also have 4 shotguns and several patrol rifles.

Surveillance Equipment: Fler forward looking infrared thermal imager.

Sincerely,

Lt. Charles Gray