

BERLIN POLICE DEPARTMENT
Berlin, Maryland

SUBJECT: ORGANIZATION - POLICE VALUES		NO: 100 V-1
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- .10 Values are beliefs held in such high esteem that they noticeably affect the way a person thinks and acts.
- .20 Recognizing police values will enable police officers of the department to support the principles of the society they have sworn to uphold.
- .30 Police values set forth the beliefs, precepts, and values of the Berlin Police Department.
- .40 The police values of the department are defined as:
- A. WE SHALL PRESERVE AND ADVANCE THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY.
- The police must not only respect, but also protect the rights guaranteed each citizen under the Constitution.
- B. WE ARE ACCOUNTABLE TO HIGHER AUTHORITY AND THE COMMUNITY WE SERVE.