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**Press Release**

To: Area media outlets

From: Hampton Police Department

Re: Unintentional Discharge of a Firearm

On Wednesday April 13, 2016 at around 5:00 PM an unintentional discharge of a firearm occurred at the Hampton Police Department Firearms Range. The discharge occurred as an Officer was attempting to re-holster their Department issued pistol. The pistol was a .40 Caliber Glock 22 which is the standard issued pistol of the Department. No injuries were sustained but minor damage was done to the door of a Hampton Police Department cruiser. A review of this incident is being conducted as a Personnel Investigation.

Anyone with information on incidents occurring in the Town of Hampton is urged to contact the Hampton Police Department at 603-929-4444. Anonymous tips can be made through the Crimeline for the Hamptons at <https://www.tipsubmit.com> and selecting **Hamptons** as the region or by texting to the word CRIMES (274637) with the keyword **Hamptons**.

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