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Continued Progress in DOJ Agreement

The Missoula Police Department wishes to announce the release of the second Progress Report from our Independent Reviewer, Tom Tremblay. The report outlines our current compliance with the agreement between the City of Missoula and the US Dept. of Justice.

All parties are very pleased with the progress we have made thus far. While maintaining our improved response, we are also focusing on two major parts of the agreement; The Community Audit, and Victim Survey. We anticipate the Community Audit to be complete by December 2014. The Victim Survey is currently being designed and is expected to begin January 2015.

Chief Brady is proud of all of the members of the MPD, from the first responders to the investigators and the administrative support personnel who have made this progress a reality. Captain Mike Colyer has coordinated our compliance efforts by pursuing necessary training and ensuring that victims receive the sensitivity and care to facilitate their participation in on-going investigations.

See the second progress report from the independent reviewer, located on the City of Missoula Website; <http://www.ci.missoula.mt.us/1621/Improving-Our-Response-to-Sexual-Assault>