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Kathy U. Mulcahy Office of the Mayor

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To Orange Village Residents and Community Members:

I am writing to inform you about recent developments that warrant our collective attention. Hamas sympathizers and leadership have called for a worldwide "Day of Jihad" scheduled for today, October 13, 2023. Although we have **not** received any threats specific to our community or vicinity, we recognize this dangerous and vile call to action could resonate with the like-minded.

We take this matter very seriously and understand the potential impact of such statements on our community. Orange Village Police Department, under the direction of Chief Christopher Kostura, is working closely with our private security partners and Federal Law Enforcement to enhance security throughout the Village. These dedicated people are committed to providing a safe community to live, work, and visit.

We urge all community members to be vigilant and report ANYTHING suspicious to law enforcement. "If you see something, say something" should be your guide and is of the utmost importance. Orange Village Police Department can be reached by dialing 911 or 440-247-7321. No time is a bad time to call our police department.

Thank you to everyone for taking this seriously and being a good neighbor and friend to our community. Together, we will keep Orange Village vibrant, safe and secure.

Sincerely,

Kathy U. Mulcahy Kathy U. Mulcahy, Mayor

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