## **CLASS II SPECIAL POLICE OFFICER INFORMATION**

**Special Law Enforcement Officer 2 (SLEO2)** is an officer authorized to exercise full powers and duties similar to those of a permanent, regularly appointed full-time police officer. The use of a firearm by an officer of this class may be authorized only after the officer has been fully certified as successfully completing training as prescribed by the Police Training Commission. {N.J.S.A 40A:14-146.11(2)} Their position shall be appointed each year by the Borough Council.

- 1. A SLEO2 only has enforcement powers and is deemed to be on duty only while he/she is performing the public safety functions and when receiving compensation by the Borough (N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.14)
- 2. A SLEO2 shall not work alone. A full-time officer must be scheduled to work with a SLEO2. A SLEO2 may perform duties and details alone, but a full-time officer must be working at the same time.
- 3. Under no circumstances will a SLEO2 take the place of a full-time officer.
- 4. All SLEO2's will be required to sign out their duty weapon from Headquarters upon starting their shift. Upon completion of their shift, their weapon shall be turned into Headquarters. Under no circumstances may a SLEO2 leave headquarters at the end of their shift with their duty weapon.
- 5. If a SLEO2 has a permit to carry a personal weapon, that personal weapon shall not be carried while they are in a Peapack & Gladstone Police Department uniform.

## Supplemental Patrol

- 1. SLEO2's are not required to work a minimum of hours per month.
- 2. Since this is a part time position, the SLEO2 will give the scheduling officer a list of times and dates they are not available to work prior to the upcoming months schedule deadline. Every effort will be made to schedule SLEO2's during events which require additional police resources for a short period of time, but would not necessarily require extra officers to be called in (IE: Borough's Halloween and Christmas parades).

## **Off Duty Work**

- 1. SLEO2's will be permitted to work road jobs in the borough; however, the opportunities to sing up for these jobs will first be given to full-time officers. Should the list of full-time officers be exhausted, the SLEO2 will be permitted to sing up for the detail.
- 2. SLEO2's will be paid at the same off duty rate as full time officers.