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## OSHKOSH POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Subject: Altrusa International of Oshkosh Fundraising for New K-9

Altrusa International of Oshkosh, Inc. is facilitating a new campaign for a new member of the K-9 program at the Oshkosh Police Department. The new fundraising campaign has already started and the funds should be available in the next two years to replace one of the K-9's that will be retiring near that time.

Altrusa is a non-profit service organization that addresses local needs. Recently, the Oshkosh Police Department received 200 A&W free root beer floats coupons from Altrusa to further promote positive encounters with the youth in Oshkosh.

Altrusa is conducting the 100 a Month Project; and will provide 100 items each month that will be distributed locally; and is a promotion to celebrate Altrusa's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary that will take place in April of 2017.

The Oshkosh Police Department is very grateful for Altrusa International of Oshkosh, Inc. and thanks them for their donations and time supporting the police department.

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