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On January 1, 2011, Mildred S. Scott was sworn in as the Sheriff of Middlesex County. She is the first female Sheriff for the county of Middlesex and the first African American Sheriff in the state of New Jersey. In 1968, she started off as one of the first females to graduate the county Police Academy to then be sworn in as Sheriff's Officer, then becoming Sergeant, Lieutenant and Chief Warrant Officer until she was made Chief Sheriff Officer in 1991, the first female to serve as the highest law enforcement officer in Middlesex County. During her long career at the Sheriff's Department she supervised all Sheriff's Officers, oversaw all courthouse security, instituted fingerprinting programs in schools, established a senior citizen home security program and coordinated prisoner transport services with twenty-five municipalities within Middlesex County.

Mildred retired from the Middlesex County Sheriff's Department in 1995. She was elected as Piscataway's Councilwoman in 1996 and served until 2008. In 2008 elected Middlesex County Freeholder, serving as the Chair of the Committee of Law and Public Safety from 2009-2010, until she assumed her current position as Sheriff. She was re-elected as Sheriff of Middlesex County for her 3rd term in November of 2016.

As Sheriff, Mildred has made significant improvements to the management of the Sheriff's Office including undertaking the first accreditation process in the history of the Middlesex County Sheriff's Office. This review is a rigorous analysis of the organization's policies and procedures which leads to the prestigious *New Jersey Chiefs of Police Law Enforcement Accreditation*. Only 10 other Sheriff's Offices in New Jersey have achieved this prestigious designation

During her term, Sheriff Scott has made substantial changes to the personnel structure of the Sheriff's Office and has implemented major improvements in technology. Other significant achievements include: major advances in the security of the courthouses and satellite offices including upgrades to and installation of additional security cameras; establishment of the Joint Fugitive Task Force in partnership with the Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office; addition and training of a narcotics dog; increased training for sworn personnel and administrative staff; and implementation of the first ever *Sheriff's Civilian Academy*. In 2017 *The Explorer's Program* and *The D.A.R.E. Program* have been implemented. In addition, to those programs Sheriff Scott announced the first ever D.A.R.E./Jr. Academy on July 2018.

She is a Gold Life Member of the Policeman's Benevolent Association, who has received the following awards: Perth Amboy Hall of Fame in 2008, NAACP Award for Outstanding Service, she is a member of the Board of Directors for the Jewish Renaissance Foundation and has served on the Executive Board of the Constitutional Officers Association of New Jersey. In 2013, Sheriff Scott was selected as the Middlesex County 200 Club Honoree. In 2017, Sheriff Scott received the Law Enforcement Humanitarian Award from The American Conference on Diversity. On June 14, 2018, she was elected Chairperson of the Middlesex County Democratic Organization Black Caucus. The Supreme Court has reappointed Sheriff Scott to the 2018-2020 Supreme Court Committee on Court Security.

Mildred and her husband Richard have three children and seven grandchildren.

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February 1, 2019

Kevin P. McCabe, Chairman
Middlesex County Democratic Organization
266 Fernwood Ave
Edison, NJ 08837

Dear Chairman McCabe:

This will serve to confirm my intention to seek reelection to be the Sheriff of Middlesex County. It has been an honor to serve as Sheriff, and I look forward to continuing my work for the residents of Middlesex County.

I respectfully request the endorsement of the Organization for the 2019 Primary election. Thank you to all of the members of the Middlesex County Democratic Organization for your past support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mildred S. Scott". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "M" and a long, sweeping underline.

Mildred S. Scott
Sheriff, Middlesex County