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MEDIA ADVISORY: Friday

**** Orange County Emergency Services holding drone demonstration ****

Goshen, N.Y. – Orange County’s Emergency Services Department will hold an unmanned aerial vehicles (UAV) demonstration on Friday.

UAV’s, commonly known as drones, will be used by Emergency Services to assist with certain operations and emergencies. They will primarily be used in search-and-rescue missions, responding to fires and hazardous-material spills/incidents, storm/disaster mitigation and evaluation, and other emergency situations.

Deputy Commissioner of Emergency Services Alan Mack, a licensed UAV operator, will oversee the County’s drone program.

When: 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 23.

Where: Orange County Emergency Services Center, located at 22 Wells Farm Road in Goshen. Demonstration will be in parking lot.

Who: Orange County Executive Steven M. Neuhaus; Commissioner of Emergency Services Brendan Casey; Deputy Commissioner of Emergency Services Alan Mack.

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