



# KENNEBUNK POLICE DEPARTMENT

## KENNEBUNK, MAINE



*Michael Pardue, Director of Police Services*

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**TO: Members of the Media**  
**FR: Michael W. Pardue, Director of Police Services**  
**DT: April 27, 2007**

**RE: PRESS RELEASE**

### **Kennebunk Police Lieutenant Robert F. MacKenzie Recognized By United States Attorney's Office for the District of Maine**

On Thursday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at a ceremony held in Portland, Maine, the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Maine recognized Kennebunk Police Lieutenant Robert F. MacKenzie for his outstanding service to victims of crime and in particular, for his work in the prosecution of Andre Winston.

The 2005 case for which Lt. MacKenzie was recognized involved an assailant breaking into a home in Kennebunk where he slashed his victim in the arm, face and back with a sharp instrument. The assailant then fled the scene and returned to Massachusetts. The victim required surgical repair of several potentially life threatening lacerations.

In addition to helping coordinate the investigation and prosecution of this case, Lieutenant MacKenzie devoted numerous hours providing support for the victim and her children. The actions of Lieutenant MacKenzie, along with those of several members of the Kennebunk Police Department, resulted in Andre Winston pleading guilty to having traveled in interstate commerce with intent to kill, injure, harass and intimidate another person. Andre Winston was sentenced to 9 years and 7 months in federal prison.

This recognition of Robert F. MacKenzie by the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Maine commemorates National Crime Victims' Rights Week.

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