As is the rest of the nation, we are dismayed at the death of George Floyd. The actions of the police officers are reprehensible. They do not reflect the training we undergo as officers. But the lack of intervention by officers and disregard for Mr. Floyd's safety and wellbeing are even more disturbing. Their actions do not reflect the values we strive to uphold as officers.

The men and women of the Faribault Police Department work to maintain positive relationships with our community members. Even when arresting individuals, we focus on treating all with respect and dignity. Our administration and supervisory staff work to hold officers accountable for their actions, and will not tolerate the blatant disregard for others shown in this incident. We have stressed to our officers that their number one job is to protect the safety of all persons we come into contact with and must be vigilant of our actions.

We hold the officers, deputies, troopers, Guardsmen and firefighters who are responding to keep the citizens of Minneapolis safe in our thoughts. We will continue to serve our citizens with courtesy, professionalism and respect.
"To disagree, one doesn't have to be disagreeable".

Barry Goldwater
Died May 29, 1998

Distracted Driving Enforcement

The Towards Zero Deaths distracted driving enforcement campaign will take place June 1-14. Law enforcement agencies statewide will be working to keep our roads safe by watching for unsafe driving behaviors, specifically hands-free violations. Please help keep yourself and others safe during your travels by slowing down, buckling up, driving sober and putting the distractions away.

COVID-19 Information

Our lobby is back open, but we encourage people to continue conducting business through phone and/or email. If we can help you through phone/email, we’ll do our best.

Requests for reports can be emailed to: records@ci.faribault.mn.us.
We have also removed Take It to the Box to reduce potential spread of the virus.
Predatory offenders are not excused from updating their information. They should contact Capt. Pederson at 334-0921 to schedule an appointment to submit changes.

To help reduce the potential of virus spread, we are only accepting “Permit to Purchase” electronically at this time.
The form can be found at: https://dps.mn.gov/divisions/bca/bca-divisions/administrative/Documents/Permit-to-Purchase-Transfer-Application.pdf
When complete, email the form with a photocopy of your driver’s license to: records@ci.faribault.mn.us
You will receive either your permit or a denial letter via mail.

While the events of the past few weeks may be upsetting, we ask everyone for a little more patience and a little more calm. We are here to do our part to help everyone get through this.
Up to date information can be found on the following websites:
Centers for Disease Control
www.cdc.gov
Minnesota Department of Health:
www.health.state.mn.us
City of Faribault:
www.ci.faribault.mn.us