

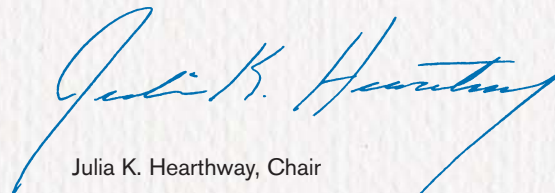
To the Honorable Governor Edward G. Rendell and Members of the Pennsylvania General Assembly:

Once again, it is my pleasure to share with you news of a successful year for Pennsylvania motorists, the ATPA and our grantees. Last year, we celebrated 10 years of decreasing auto-theft rates. This year, I am proud to announce another successful year combating auto theft in the Commonwealth. The following are some of our 2006 highlights:

- This year, our grantees recovered \$37.8 million in vehicles and \$1.3 million in parts.
- For every dollar spent on grants, there was return on investment of more than seven dollars.
- Our grantees made 1,404 arrests, and there were 524 convictions, with almost \$1.5 million in restitution and more than \$430,000 in fines.
- 2006 marks the fourth consecutive year of decreasing auto-theft rates in PA.

As we begin a new chapter in our fight against auto theft, we are committed to supporting the excellent work of our grantees, introducing new public awareness and community partnerships, and bringing the most up-to-date anti-theft and theft-recovery technologies to the Commonwealth. With your continued support, we hope to evolve with the ever-changing auto-theft dynamic and continue to see fewer thefts, increased recoveries and more protected Pennsylvanians.

Respectfully,



Julia K. Hearthway, Chair

Pennsylvania Auto Theft Prevention Authority

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