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The nine Advancing Community Policing (ACP) grantee sites featured in this report approached the process of advancing community policing with strategies that were designed to meet specific community needs. Although the organizational structures of law enforcement agencies and goals for community oriented policing differ by locality, the ACP efforts described in the previous chapters offer lessons for other law enforcement agencies that plan to implement or enhance community oriented policing.

This report highlights in depth the most significant elements of each site evaluated. The contact information provided within each chapter offers access to additional information on topics of particular interest. Law enforcement agencies that plan to implement community oriented policing initiatives

or to enhance existing efforts are invited to use the nine ACP sites as resources.

The COPS Office also offers assistance to law enforcement agencies that want to develop or enhance community oriented policing projects. For more information, contact:

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