I AM DEAF OR **HARDOF HEARING**

This card is to help police officers and drivers with hearing loss communicate

QUICK COMMUNICATION TIPS

- · Please face me as eye contact is necessary.
- · Speak slowly and clearly in a normal tone, do not cover your mouth.
- · Repeat, rephrase or write your request.
- · Be patient, give me a chance to understand.
- · I may have vision loss as well.
- · Reduce background noise or flashlight use that may interfere with communication.
- · I require an interpreter for a longer conversation and wish to be connected with one

THE BEST WAY TO COMMUNICATE WITH ME



VERBALLY



WRITING



TEXTING



LIP-READING



ASSISTIVE LISTENING **DEVICE**



INTERPRETER

KEEP THIS CARD IN YOUR VEHICLE

