



Date: August 8, 2024

To: Board of Directors

Submitted by: David Aranda, Interim General Manager

Presented by: Chief Gancasz, Police Chief

Subject: Swearing in of the New Sergeant and Promotion of Sgt. Nath to Lt. Nath

Background

The Kensington Police Department continue to add the staffing that will complete all approved positions. The Chief will elaborate more on the two positions we are honoring tonight.



Date: August 8, 2024
To: Board of Directors
From: Mike Gancasz, Chief of Police
Subject: Promotion and Swearing-In Ceremony for Police Officers

Recommendation:

None.

Background:

This staff report informs the Board of Directors about the upcoming promotion and swearing-in ceremony for two members of our police department. The ceremony will recognize Sergeant Amit Nath's advancement to the rank of Police Lieutenant and the swearing-in of Police Sergeant Jose Rivera. Both officers have demonstrated exceptional service and leadership throughout their careers.

Discussion and Analysis:

I'm pleased to announce Sergeant Amit Nath's promotion to Police Lieutenant. Sergeant Nath has been an invaluable asset to our department for six years. His exemplary performance, dedication to duty, and leadership skills have significantly contributed to our department's success.

Lieutenant Nath's new role will involve overseeing more complex programs, enhancing strategic planning, and helping chart the course for Kensington PD's future. His promotion reflects our confidence in his ability to excel in these expanded responsibilities and lead with integrity and professionalism.

In addition to Lieutenant Nath's promotion, we are excited to welcome Jose Rivera as a new Police Sergeant. Sergeant Rivera brings twenty-five years of police experience and a proven track record of leadership and commitment to public safety. His extensive experience in investigations, community policing, and special assignments make him an excellent fit for his new role. The swearing-in ceremony will mark Sergeant Rivera's official appointment and signify his new responsibilities within the department. This is a momentous occasion for him, and we anticipate his contributions will further strengthen our team.

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The ceremony will include a formal promotional presentation for Lieutenant Nath and an oath-taking for Sergeant Rivera. It will be an opportunity for our department to celebrate these officers' achievements and acknowledge their future contributions to the community.

Conclusion:

Lieutenant Amit Nath and Sergeant Jose Rivera will continue to exemplify the highest law enforcement standards in their new roles. Their commitment to excellence and leadership will undoubtedly benefit our department and the community we serve. Please join us in congratulating and bestowing congratulations on these officers as they embark on their new assignments.