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**A** S WE NEAR THE END OF THE YEAR, I want to thank the women and men of the NYPD for your sustained commitment to our public safety mission. This year has not been without challenge, sacrifice, and sadness – but with all that you faced, also came success. It came because of your tireless work, professionalism, and ability to overcome any hurdle put in front of you. When I look back on my first year with the NYPD, I do so with tremendous pride. That is because of each of you.

The combined efforts of everyone in the Department led to reduced shootings and homicides in our city – and renewed partnerships with the New Yorkers we serve. So far this year, our detectives have achieved the highest homicide clearance rate in more than three decades. The clearance rate for

crimes in the seven major felony categories is the highest in more than two decades. It is proof positive that the NYPD truly has The Greatest Detectives in the World.

This is not just the singular work of one bureau. All of you play a part – starting from response all the way to resolution of the case. You never stop knocking on doors, collecting evidence, and collaborating

with colleagues from the field intelligence units to the video canvass teams to the warrant squads, and more. You never let up in your drive to achieve justice for the victims.

The clearance rates are so much more than just statistics. We all know that by ensuring

criminals are arrested – and appropriately punished – future crimes are prevented. Arrests today

for a gun crime or a murder mean less victims tomorrow.

Across the NYPD, from Patrol, Transit, and Special Operations cops to Community Affairs, Counter Terrorism, and Intelligence, you are all working in tandem to ensure the safety of 8.8 million residents of our city and the millions more who visit every day. It takes a special person to put on a uniform, bullet resistant vest, and gun belt knowing the inherent dangers that come with it. Those special people are all of you.

My message is not just one of gratitude. As we head into a new year, I ask you to keep up the outstanding work, and so importantly, continue to look out for one another. Know that you are appreciated – by me, the department leadership team, and by the communities you proudly serve.

There is no doubt that 2023 will bring us new challenges, but in our profession, there is always more work to do. I would not want to do it alongside any other people than New York's Finest.

**Keechant L. Sewell**  
*NYPD Commissioner*

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# NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT



# 2022

# MEDAL DAY 2022



“On this day we acknowledge heroism, a word that is often misused but consistently applies to the valor and sacrifice of the NYPD.”

—Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell

**On June 7, 2022, the New York City Police Department held its annual Medal Day Ceremony at the Police Academy. The ceremony honored 43 members of the service for their heroism, including 33 posthumously.**

“When someone is in harm’s way or a neighborhood is oppressed by crime, violence or disorder, we ask you to save them,” said Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell. “Far too often it comes at a great cost... When you wear that shield and do your job there is none better. And, today we add medals to some of those shields.”

“There are days we feel like we are all alone,” said Mayor Eric Adams. “Why are we doing this? We’re doing it because we believe in it. We’re doing it because we know what stands between safety and those who want to destroy our city — the heroes we are acknowledging today and the heroes that are performing this job.”

The Medal of Honor is the New York City Police Department’s highest award. Recipients are selected for individual acts of extraordinary bravery intelligently performed in the line of duty at imminent and personal danger to life. Specifically, the Medal of Honor is awarded for acts of gallantry and valor performed above and beyond the call of duty, with full knowledge of the risk involved. This year two members of the service were honored with the Department’s highest medal, the Medal of Honor, one posthumously.

# Medal of Honor

## AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY



### DETECTIVE FIRST GRADE **Anastasios Tsakos**

Highway 3

**On April 27, 2021**, at approximately 2:00 a.m., police responded to a 911 call of a single motor vehicle collision eastbound on the Long Island Expressway, near the Clearview Expressway. Upon arrival, officers observed three occupants inside an auto with fire emitting from the engine. The operator and front seat passenger sustained serious injuries, and the rear passenger was fatally injured. As then-Police Officer Anastasios Tsakos was assisting in diverting vehicles off the Long Island Expressway, a drunk motorist with a suspended license careened through the accident scene, ignoring traffic cones and flashing police car lights, killing Police Officer Tsakos. The driver fled the scene but was apprehended by responding officers.

Police Officer Tsakos, a 14-year veteran, was a 43-year-old husband and father of two young children. He was born in Dover, New Hampshire, then moved to Greece with his family, where he was raised until the age of 14. The family later moved to Astoria, Queens, where Police Officer Tsakos attended and graduated high school. He went on to earn his undergraduate degree in Aviation Administration from Dowling College, on Long Island. After college, he worked in his father's diner and dreamed of flying helicopters for the NYPD. He returned to Greece for some time and enlisted in the Greek army, where he rose to the rank of second lieutenant. Police Officer Tsakos moved back to the United States and joined the NYPD on January 10, 2007, with hopes of

becoming part of the Aviation Unit. He was a very highly regarded highway officer who also served in the 75 and 83 Precincts.

He is survived by his wife, Irene, and his two children, Eugenia and Stavros. At his funeral on May 4, 2021, at St. Paraskevi Greek Orthodox Shrine Church, on Long Island, then-Police Commissioner Dermot Shea posthumously promoted Police Officer Tsakos to Detective First Grade.



**Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell with Detective First Grade Anastasios Tsakos' wife, Irene, and members of Highway 3 at this year's Medal Day.**

# Medal of Honor



**DETECTIVE FIRST GRADE**  
**Dalsh Veve**  
 67 Precinct Anti-Crime

**On June 3, 2017**, at approximately 11:30 p.m., two 67 Precinct Anti-Crime teams responded to multiple calls of shots fired in the vicinity of Tilden Avenue and East 53rd Street, in Brooklyn. Upon arrival to the location, the officers observed a large house party and determined the “shots fired” were the sounds of fireworks detonating. A short time later, then-Police Officer Dalsh Veve approached an auto and interacted with the occupants. During the interaction, the vehicle pulled off at a high rate of speed, dragging Police Officer Veve, who was affixed to the driver’s side door. While still affixed to the vehicle, Police Officer Veve fired a single round from his weapon; however, the vehicle continued to drag him. Police Officer Veve discharged a second round, striking the driver, at which time he became dislodged from the vehicle. The vehicle then careened into the rear of a parked car on East 53rd Street. Police Officer Veve lay motionless on the ground while the occupants abandoned on foot. Police Officer Becker gave chase on foot and the remaining members of the Anti-Crime Team gave chase in their vehicles, arriving moments later. When the officers arrived, Police Officer Veve was lying unconscious on the ground and the perpetrator’s vehicle was unoccupied. Responding officers placed Police Officer Veve in the rear seat of their Department auto, and immediately removed him to Kings County Hospital. Police Officer Veve suffered a traumatic brain

injury and was hospitalized for an extended period of time and underwent multiple surgeries. Eventually, he was transferred to a rehabilitation facility. He has since been released and is currently continuing his rehabilitation at his residence, where he needs 24-hour care, due to his injuries. On October 27, 2017, he was promoted to Detective First Grade by then-Police Commissioner James P. O’Neill.



**Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell joins Detective First Grade Dalsh Veve, his wife, Esther, and daughter, Darshee, along with colleagues at this year’s Medal Day.**

# Distinguished Service Medal



The NYPD Distinguished Service Medal, first awarded in October 2008, is modeled after the United States Armed Forces Distinguished Service Medal.

It is conferred upon the family of a member of the service who succumbed to illness associated with exceptional duty to the City of New York performed with great responsibility, under unusual hazard or demand.

The following members of the service died as a result of illnesses contracted in the line of duty during the rescue and recovery efforts in the aftermath of the 9/11 attacks:



**Detective William Soto**  
90 Precinct  
Detective Squad  
11/17/2018



**Detective Valerie K. Jacobs**  
Narcotics Borough  
Manhattan North  
4/8/2019



**Sergeant S/A James P. Bast**  
Intelligence Division  
1/14/2020



**Police Officer Pedro Garcia**  
Transit Bureau  
Manhattan Task Force  
3/17/2020







**Police Officer  
Patrick G. Monroe**  
50 Precinct  
4/13/2020



**Detective  
Emilio Laboy**  
Warrant Section  
5/9/2020



**Detective  
Second Grade  
Thomas L. Neal**  
Quality Assurance  
Division  
5/18/2020



**Detective  
Mark Rawdon**  
Bronx District  
Attorney Squad  
5/23/2020



**Detective  
Jewel Jenkins**  
28 Precinct  
Detective Squad  
5/24/2020



**Police Officer  
Laurence J. Dougherty**  
Headquarters  
Security Section  
5/26/2020



# Distinguished Service Medal



**Detective  
Second Grade  
Leonard D. Cocco, Jr.**  
Intel - Public  
Security Section  
6/12/2020



**Sergeant  
Emanuele Alongi**  
Transit District 4  
6/27/2020



**Lieutenant  
John C. Zonneveld**  
33 Precinct  
7/10/2020



**Detective  
First Grade  
Gerald T. Brennan**  
Bomb Squad  
7/14/2020



**Sergeant  
David T. Yu**  
Strategic Response  
Group 4  
7/17/2020



**Detective  
Edward R.  
Gorczyński**  
Major Case Squad  
8/26/2020





**Detective  
Peter  
Gianfrancesco**  
Warrant Section  
9/2/2020



**Police Officer  
Raphael A. Lora**  
Highway Unit 1  
9/8/2020



**Detective  
Second Grade  
Jennifer S.  
Abramowitz**  
Special Victim Squad  
9/25/2020



**Sergeant  
Mark Smith**  
67 Precinct  
10/2/2020



**Police Officer  
George F. Darini**  
Transit Bureau  
Citywide T/F  
10/22/2020



**Inspector  
Michael E. O'Neil**  
Counterterrorism  
Division  
10/28/2020



# Distinguished Service Medal



**Detective  
First Grade  
Thomas J. Gallo**  
Detective Bureau  
10/31/2020



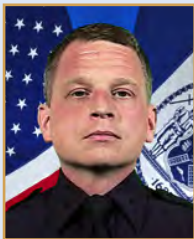
**Sergeant  
Nemesio Vera**  
73 Precinct  
12/3/2020



**Police Officer  
Reginald Cooley**  
28 Precinct  
1/9/2021



**Sergeant  
Peter C. Woods**  
Harbor Unit  
1/9/2021



**Police Officer  
Carl R. Ludwig**  
Midtown South  
Precinct  
1/20/2021



**Detective  
Charlie W. Mackie**  
61 Precinct Detective  
Squad  
2/4/2021

# Distinguished Service Medal



**Police Officer  
Terence P. Connelly**  
Patrol Borough  
Queens North  
2/8/2021



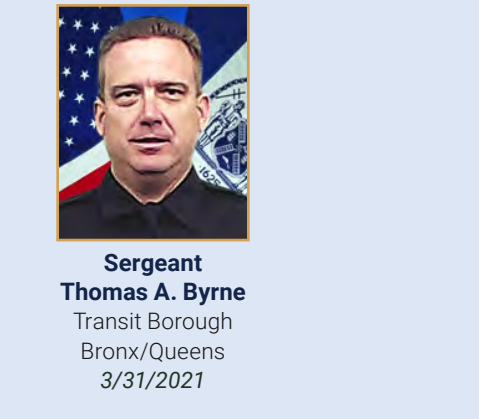
**Police Officer  
Nicholas Purpero**  
Bus Unit  
2/20/2021



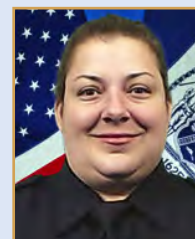
**Police Officer  
Andrew D.  
Stromfeld**  
Emergency  
Services Unit  
3/29/2021



**Sergeant  
Thomas A. Byrne**  
Transit Borough  
Bronx/Queens  
3/31/2021



**Detective  
Harry O. D'Onofrio**  
Emergency  
Services Unit  
4/14/2021



**Sergeant Special  
Assignment  
Nathalie Brill**  
Candidate  
Assessment Division  
6/2/2021



## Police Combat Cross

The **Police Combat Cross**, the Department's second highest award, is granted to members of the service who have successfully and intelligently performed an act of extraordinary heroism while engaged in combat with an armed adversary under circumstances of imminent personal hazard to life. Since 1934, when the award was first established, over 500 members, all of whom displayed extraordinary bravery under the most perilous circumstances, have had the honor bestowed upon them.



**Sergeant  
Dervent Williams**  
Criminal Intelligence Section

**Police Officer  
Alex Schneider**  
GVSD Z1  
Violence Reduction Task Force

**Police Officer  
Christopher Wintermute**  
Warrants Section

**Former Police Officer  
Dillon Tonne**

## Medal for Valor

The **Medal for Valor**, the Department's third highest award, is conferred upon police officers for acts of outstanding personal bravery intelligently performed in the line of duty and at imminent personal hazard to life under circumstances evincing a disregard of personal consequences.



**Detective  
Sal Flores**  
Emergency Service Squad 3

**Police Officer  
Michael Buliga**  
32 Precinct

**Police Officer  
Whitney Martin**  
32 Precinct

**Retired Lieutenant  
Joaquin Morales**

# Unit Citation

The hard work and dedication of the personnel assigned to the following commands are being recognized for outstanding performance in providing a high level of service to the people of the City of New York in 2021:



The Police Commissioner of the City of New York  
is honored to present this  
Departmental Unit Citation to the following Commands

- |                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| 19 Precinct           | 75 Precinct Detective Squad                                     |
| 46 Precinct           | Emergency Service Unit  |
| 70 Precinct           | Fugitive Enforcement Unit                                       |
| 79 Precinct           | Manhattan North Homicide & Shooting Enhancement Team            |
| 101 Precinct          | Medical Division Vaccination Unit                               |
| Police Service Area 2 | Queens South Violent Crimes Squad/<br>Narcotics Major Case Team |
| Transit District 32   | Transit Crimes Unit   |

The Outstanding contributions by  
**The Personnel of these Commands**  
reflected credit upon the  
**Police Department of the City of New York,**  
and were in keeping with the highest tradition of police service.

  
KEECHANT L. SEWELL  
POLICE COMMISSIONER  
AWARDED JUNE 7, 2022



## 50th ANNIVERSARY PLAQUE DEDICATION CEREMONY

### Patrolman Philip Cardillo

28 Precinct



**ON APRIL 14, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the 28 Precinct for the *50th Anniversary Plaque Dedication Ceremony* for *Patrolman Philip Cardillo*. On April 14, 1972, Patrolman Cardillo responded to a false report of an officer in need of assistance at a

mosque on West 116th Street, in Harlem. Upon entering the building, Patrolman Cardillo, along with his partner and two responding officers, were brutally attacked by numerous men. During the assault, Patrolman Cardillo was shot with his own revolver and critically wounded. Responding officers were able to get Patrolman Cardillo out of the building and rush him to the hospital. He died six days later from his injuries.

In 2015, 28th Avenue between College Point Boulevard and Ulmer Street was renamed in his honor. There is also a harbor launch that was dedicated to him in 2014.

“Thank you, Kevin, Christina, and Todd for giving me the opportunity to speak here today and to honor your father,” said Police Commissioner Sewell. “...we never



Police Commissioner Sewell; First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban; Chief of Department Kenneth Corey; and Suffolk County Police Commissioner Rodney Harrison, join the family of Patrolman Philip Cardillo, including his son, Todd and cousin, Bobby, and Bobby's wife, Deanna.

forget the sacrifice of our heroes and we never forget the families they left behind.” ■

## 30TH ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL MASS

### Police Officer Joseph Alcamo

100 Precinct



**ON MARCH 26, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at St. Camillus Church in Rockaway, Queens, to commemorate the *30th Anniversary line of duty death of Police Officer Joseph Alcamo*. Police Officer Alcamo and his partner were responding to assist other officers when a wet patch in the road caused the patrol car to slide into a utility pole on the passenger side of the car, where Police Officer Alcamo was seated. He died from his injuries. ■



Members of the Department join the family of Police Officer Joseph Alcamo including his wife, Milagros “Millie” Alcamo Chamberlain; his daughter, Stephanie Jo Alcamo; and brother, retired Det. Thomas Alcamo.



## 25th ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL

### Police Officer Anthony W. Sanchez

13 Precinct



**ON MAY 19, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the 13 Precinct for the *25th Anniversary Memorial* of the death of *Police Officer Anthony W. Sanchez*. On May 19, 1997, Police Officer Sanchez was shot and killed in the line of duty after responding to a home invasion robbery. On May 19, 2017, the street outside of the 13 Precinct, where he was assigned, was renamed *Police Officer Anthony Sanchez Way*, in his honor. Police Officer Sanchez served in the Department for 10 years. ■

Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell and the wife of Police Officer Anthony Sanchez, Elizabeth, at the May 19th memorial held in her husband's honor.



## 10th ANNIVERSARY WREATH LAYING CEREMONY

### Police Officer Richard Holland

Transit District 20

**ON APRIL 20, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at Transit District 20 for the *10th Anniversary Wreath Laying Ceremony* in honor of *Police Officer Richard G. Holland*, who succumbed to illness contracted from his rescue



and recovery efforts during the 9/11 terrorist attacks. Police Officer Holland joined the NYC Transit Police Department in January 1985, and began his career assigned to Transit District 20, where he served his entire 20-year career. Police Officer Holland retired in February 2005. He died on March 23, 2012, at the age of 59. ■



Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell, Captain Daniel Orlando, C.O., TD 20, and members of the Executive Staff, join the family of Police Officer Richard Holland, including his wife, Diane, and son, Khary, a retired NYPD second grade detective and former U.S. Marine.

BOTTOM PHOTO: MARISA SULLIVAN, NYCPD PHOTO UNIT

## STREET RENAMING CEREMONY

### Detective Robert Cardona

13 Precinct Detective Squad



**ON APRIL 18, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the corner of East 120th Street and Pleasant Avenue in Manhattan, for a *Street Renaming Ceremony* in honor of *Detective Robert Cardona*. On March 16, 2020, Detective Cardona died from COVID-19, while in remission of a 9/11-related cancer he

contracted during the search and recovery efforts after the September 11th terrorist attacks. Detective Cardona joined the NYPD in July 2001, and began his career assigned to PSA 5. He also served in PSA 4, where he was a PBA delegate, the 7 Precinct Detective Squad, Detective Borough Manhattan South Operations, and the 13 Precinct Detective Squad, where he was elected as a DEA delegate.

“Detective Cardona served this Department, this city, and its residents with great distinction for over 18 years. He was the first member of his family to become a cop, but he made an unforgettable impact on everyone he encountered,” said Police Commissioner Sewell. ■



(L-R): Police Commissioner Sewell and members of the Executive Staff join members of Detective Cardona’s family, including his son, Robert Cardona, Jr. and his father, Roberto Cardona.

## 5th ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL MASS

### Detective First Grade Miosotis Familia

46 Precinct



**ON JULY 5, 2022**, family members, friends, and colleagues gathered at St. Patrick’s Cathedral for the *5th Anniversary Memorial Mass*

for *Detective First Grade Miosotis Familia*. Detective Familia was shot and killed as she sat in a marked mobile command post vehicle in the Bronx. Responding officers shot and killed the subject in an exchange of gunfire. Detective Familia served with the New York City Police Department for 12 years and was assigned to the 46 Precinct. ■



Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell; Chief of Detectives James Essig; Chief of Personnel Martin Morales; Chief of Intelligence Thomas Gallati; Chief of Transit Jason Wilcox; Deputy Commissioner, Labor Relations Edward Delatorre; Deputy Commissioner, Employee Relations Lisa White; Assistant Chief Chaplain Robert Romano and Assistant Chief Chaplain David Cassato; and members of the Department, join the children of Detective First Grade Familia, Genesis, Peter, and Delillah.

## CANDLELIGHT VIGIL

### Detective First Grade Russel Timoshenko

71 Precinct



**ON JULY 9, 2022**, members of the Department joined the family of *Detective First Grade Russel Timoshenko* at the corner of Rogers and Lefferts Avenues at 2:00 a.m., for a *Candlelight Vigil* in his memory. On July 9, 2007, then-Police Officer Timoshenko succumbed to gunshot wounds five days after he and his partner were shot during a traffic stop. His partner was saved by his bullet-resistant vest. All three suspects were charged with aggravated murder and other charges related to the murder of Police Officer Timoshenko and the wounding of his partner. On July 27, 2007, he was posthumously promoted to Detective First Grade by then-Police Commissioner Raymond W. Kelly. He served the Department for 1 1/2 years. ■



Chief of Patrol Jeffrey Maddrey, Chief of Operations Harry Wedin, Chief of Housing Kathleen O'Reilly, Chief of Department Kenneth Corey, Assistant Chief Chaplain Monsignor Robert J. Romano, PBA President Patrick Lynch, DEA President Paul DiGiacomo, and members of the Department, join the family of Detective First Grade Russel Timoshenko, including his parents, Leonid and Tatyana.

## PLAQUE DEDICATION CEREMONY

### Central Park Precinct

**ON MARCH 21, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the Central Park Precinct to unveil the newly mounted memorial wall. The plaques were dedicated to members of service, who were assigned to the Central Park Precinct and died in the line of duty: **Patrolmen John E. Hoey, Peter Fitzsimons, Richard Swanton, Thomas J. Shine, Ale Swider, George A. Miller, and Lieutenant Steven L. Cioffi, Detective First Grade Steven D. McDonald, and Auxiliary Police Sergeant David Freed and Auxiliary Police Officer Michael Dorian.** The Memorial Wall was made possible by funds from the Police Foundation's "50 Grants for 50 Precincts" Program. ■



Family, friends, and dedicated supporters of the NYPD: Susan Birnbaum, President & CEO, NYC Police Foundation; PBA President Patrick Lynch; Chief Chaplain Rabbi Dr. Alvin Kass; Dr. Philip Ozuah, Pres/CEO Montefiore Medicine/Chairman-Elect, NYCPF Board of Trustees; Deputy Inspector William Gallagher, C.O., CPP; Assistant Chief Olufunmilola Obe, C.O., PBMN; Chief of Housing Kathleen O'Reilly; First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban; Patti Ann McDonald, wife of Detective First Grade Steven McDonald; Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell; partner of Auxiliary Sergeant David Freed; family of Auxiliary PO Michael Dorian; Lt. Conor McDonald; Assistant Commissioner, Employee Relations Maria Otero; Deputy Commissioner, Community Affairs, Mark Stewart; and Lola Latman, mother of Auxiliary PO Pekearo.

## 32nd Precinct Ribbon Cutting & Plaque Unveiling Ceremony



**ON JULY 11, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the 32 Precinct for a **Ribbon Cutting Ceremony & Plaque Unveiling Ceremony** in the newly reconstructed lounge and dormitory, in the lower level of the command, in memory of Detectives Wilbert Mora and Jason Rivera. On January 21, 2022, then-Police Officers Wilbert Mora and Jason Rivera responded to a family domestic dispute, along with then-Police Officer Sumit Sulan. As Police Officers Rivera and Mora were attempting to interview the complainant, they were ambushed and fired upon by the suspect.



Detective First Grade  
Wilbert Mora



Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell, Chief of Department Kenneth Corey, and members of the Executive staff join members of the Mora family, including his mother, Amalia, and his cousin, Claribel.

Police Officer Sulan returned fire, killing the gunman, preventing further carnage. Police Officer Rivera died a short time later at Harlem Hospital, and Police Officer Mora died four days later.



Detective First Grade  
Jason Rivera

“Over the many decades to come, thousands of cops will enter this room. Each of them seeing the plaques that bear the names of our heroes,” said Police Commissioner Sewell. “...all of them will enter into our vow to never forget.”

The funding for the renovations and plaques were donated by the NYC Police Foundation, SL Green Realty Corp., and the ZHL Group. ■

## STREET RENAMING DEDICATION CEREMONY

### Detective Raymond Abear

Queens Special Victims Squad



**ON JULY 30, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues, gathered at the corner of 164th Place and Goethals Avenue, in Queens, in memory of **Detective Raymond Abear** for a **Street Renaming Dedication Ceremony**. Detective Abear joined the NYPD on November 19, 1999, as a police

cadet and as a police officer on July 1, 2001. He began his career on patrol in the 112 Precinct, and also served in the 111 Precinct. Detective Abear died on April 13, 2020 from COVID-19 while in the performance of his duties.

“My husband was a devoted family man, a well-respected NYPD detective and for most of his life, lived here in Queens,” said Catherine Abear. “This street co-naming will ensure his legacy lives on and when our children walk by, they will know how much Ray meant to the NYPD, our Queens community, and New York City.” ■



The family of Detective Raymond Abear, including his wife, Catherine (center); his children, Jackson and Stella (front center); are joined by extended family and members of the Detective Bureau, as well as DEA President Paul DiGiacomo (left).

## MEMORIAL MASS

### Chief of Transportation William T. Morris



**ON JUNE 4, 2022**, a *Memorial Mass* was held at Our Lady of Victory Church, in Floral Park, to honor the late **Chief William T. Morris**, who died on June 6, 2020, from COVID-19. Chief Morris joined the NYPD in July 1981, and began his career on patrol in the 19 Precinct. He also served in

the 40, 105, 109, and 113 Precincts, the Internal Affairs Bureau, the Legal Bureau, the Narcotics Division, Patrol Borough Queens, Patrol Borough Manhattan North, Patrol Borough Queens South, the Detective Bureau Central Investigation and Resource Division, the 106 and 108 Detective Squads, the Queens Special Victims Squad, and the Criminal Justice Bureau.

He was promoted to Sergeant in February 1987; Lieutenant in June 1989; Captain in October 1992; Deputy Inspector in July 1998; Inspector in March 2001; Deputy Chief in April 2005; Assistant Chief in July 2010; Chief of Manhattan South in August 2015; and to Chief of Personnel January 2018. Chief Morris served as Chief of Personnel (January 18, 2018 – December 8, 2019), and was sworn in as Chief of Transportation on December 9, 2019. He previously served as Commanding Officer of Patrol Borough Manhattan North, the Criminal Justice Bureau, the 45, 105, and 113 Precincts, as well as Internal Affairs Bureau Groups 10 and 54. Additionally, Chief



Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell joins the family of Chief William Morris (L-R): his son, David, a captain in the United States Marine Corps; his daughter, Gabriella, a school teacher; his wife of 36 years, Rosemarie; and his son, William, an NYPD sergeant.

Morris served as Executive Officer of the 110 Precinct. He earned a bachelor of arts degree from Queens College and a Juris Doctor degree from Fordham University School of Law. He was also a 1995 graduate of the Police Management Institute at Columbia University. ■



Members of the Department join Chief Morris' family in front of Our Lady of Victory Church after the ceremony.

## WREATH LAYING DEDICATION CEREMONY Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino

Detective Bureau



**ON MARCH 11, 2022, a 113th Anniversary Wreath Laying Dedication Ceremony** was held at Calvary Cemetery, in

Queens, in memory of *Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino*, the founder of the Department's "old" Italian Squad that investigated cases of organized crime. He was shot and killed in Palermo, Italy, in March 1909, when he was sent there to gather intelligence on organized crime. Lieutenant Petrosino, 48, had been with the NYPD for 25 years. ■



Assistant Chief Chaplain Monsignor Robert J. Romano and members of the NYPD, join the family of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino, along with members of the Columbia Association, the Joe Petrosino International Association, Padula, Italy, the Petrosino Association, Sicilia, Italy, and Italian American Museum.



Nicholas Pekearo

## 14th ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE Auxiliary Police Officers Nicholas Pekearo and Eugene Marshalik

**ON MARCH 14, 2022,** members of the NYPD Auxiliary Police Section gathered at the corner of Bleecker Street and Sullivan Street, in Manhattan, to lay flowers for the **14th Annual Memorial Service** marking the 14th Anniversary of the death of Auxiliary Police Officers Nicholas Pekearo and Eugene Marshalik. Auxiliary Police Officers Marshalik, 19, and Pekearo, 28, were killed in the line

of duty on March 14, 2007. The auxiliary officers were performing foot patrol in the 6 Precinct when they were alerted to a fatal shooting in a nearby restaurant. As the killer fled the scene, the officers pursued him. When they caught up to the gunman, they convinced him to drop his gun. Suddenly, the perpetrator pulled a second gun that he used to shoot and fatally wound both auxiliary officers. The gunman fled and was subsequently shot and killed by responding officers. Auxiliary



Eugene Marshalik



First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban, Chief of Housing Kalthleen O'Reilly, and Assistant Chief Stephen Hughes, C.O. PBMS, join family, friends and colleagues of Auxiliary Police Officers Nicholas Pekearo and Eugene Marshalik at the corner of Blecker Street and Sullivan Street.

Police Officers Pekearo and Marshalik were honored with a full police funeral. The deaths of the auxiliary officers led to the purchasing of bullet proof vests for members of NYPD auxiliary personnel. ■

## STREET RENAMING CEREMONY Retired Detective Mollie A. Gustine



**ON AUGUST 20, 2022,** family members, friends, and members of the service gathered for a *street renaming ceremony*

for late, retired *Detective Mollie Gustine*. Detective Gustine joined the NYPD in October 1963, and served in the 79 and 103 Precincts, OCCB, the Public Morals Division, Bronx Sex Crimes, Queens Sex Crimes, and the Plain Clothes Division. She was promoted to Detective in 1974, and to Detective Second Grade in 1982.

In 1982, Detective Gustine was shot and wounded in an off-duty incident during an attempted robbery. Although wounded, she was able to fire back at her attackers,



(L-R): Assistant Chief Kevin Williams, C.O. PBQS; Detective Gustine’s daughter, Ruby Gustine; her daughter, Bonnie Gustine-Weaver; Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell; NYC District 27 Councilwoman Nantasha Williams; NY State Senator Leroy Comrie; Deputy Commissioner Community Affairs Mark T. Stewart; Detective Tanya Duhaney. NOT PICTURED: Michael Gustine, son; and Kristopher Weaver, grandson.

who were subsequently apprehended.

“She smashed through glass ceilings and race barriers to become the first Black woman to serve as a PBA delegate and went on to be promoted to the rank of detective and then detective second grade,” said Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell.

“As a detective she also served as a delegate with the DEA.”

Detective Gustine was a mother of five, grandmother of four, great-grandmother of five, and great-great-grandmother of two. She passed away in April 2020, from COVID-19. She was 90 years old. ■

## STREET RENAMING CEREMONY Retired Police Officer Melvin Doby Highway District



**RETIRED POLICE OFFICER MELVIN DOBY**, who served the NYPD for 30 years, passed away in April 2020 from COVID-19. On July 2022, he was honored during a

*street renaming ceremony*, where the intersection of 204th Street and Foothill Avenue was renamed **Melvin “Mel” Doby Memorial Way**. Police Officer Doby began his career in December 1973, assigned to the 76 Precinct. He also served in the 73 and 88 Precincts before serving the rest of his career assigned to Highway. Prior to his 2002 retirement, he served as a first responder to the 9/11 terrorist attacks. ■



Family members and friends of Police Officer Melvin Doby.

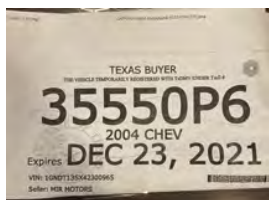
## 10 Precinct Public Safety Team



(L-R): Lieutenant Rachel Hammer, Police Officers Andrew Cimmino, Dominick Cogliano, Salvatore Rannazzisi, Vincent Patton, and Sergeant Daniel Fitzpatrick.



The silver Raven Arms P-25 .25 caliber firearm removed from a motorist driving with a makeshift plate from Texas.



Texas paper plate

**D**UE TO THE UPTICK IN GANG VIOLENCE and the connection with the influx of autos bearing paper plates, the 10 Precinct Public Safety Team commenced a temporary plate enforcement initiative.

Earlier in the year, Police Officers Daniel Cosenza and Salvatore Rannazzisi were assigned to the 10 Precinct Public Safety Team when they observed an occupied vehicle idling in a “No Stopping Anytime” zone near West 26 Street. The vehicle had a Texas temporary license plate improperly affixed to the rear window. Continuing to investigate, the officers conducted a car stop, and properly identified the motorist with his New York State driver’s license, that was suspended. The man was arrested and a silver Raven Arms P-25 .25 caliber firearm

was removed from his pocket. The man was arrested without further incident.

In a separate incident, later in the year, 10 Precinct Public Safety Team members observed a silver four-door sedan with temporary Missouri plates, change lanes without properly signaling. After safely pulling the vehicle over, the officers asked the operator, a 35-year-old St. Louis resident, to present the vehicle registration and proper identification. The driver complied and told the front

passenger to open the glove compartment. At that time, Police Officer Dominick Cogliano observed a firearm in plain view. The occupants of the vehicle were taken into custody. A loaded 9mm SCCY Industries – CPX2 firearm was recovered. ■



The loaded 9mm firearm recovered from a motorist’s glove compartment.



## 19 Precinct

**ON AUGUST 8, 2022**, 19 Precinct Neighborhood Coordination Officers Police Officers Patrick Conley and Amir Hamdy, responded to a radio run of a burglary in progress, on Fifth Avenue. Upon arrival, the two officers conferred with the building's superintendent, who gave them a description of the suspect, as well as his last known location in the building. After a brief canvass, the burglar was found inside a 12th floor apartment he had entered illegally. The suspect, who was in possession of large bags, was arrested and charged with burglary and trespass. Subsequent to the investigation, it was revealed that the man was wanted for a bank robbery in Brooklyn, and a felony in the state of Wisconsin. ■



Police Officers Patrick Conley and Amir Hamdy. Police Officer Conley's father was a detective in the 109 Precinct, and retired as a sergeant in Brooklyn North, after 20 years of service.

## 17 Precinct

**MEMBERS OF THE 17 PRECINCT PUBLIC SAFETY TEAM** responded to a radio run of a robbery in progress of a cellphone store in the neighboring Midtown North Precinct. While at the location, the team learned the suspect attempted to remove display phones from their secured bases, and when store employees attempted to intervene, the suspect threatened

them with a cutting instrument. The man then fled into the confines of the 17 Precinct, where he entered into another cellphone store and attempted to remove cellphones on display. At this location, the 17 Precinct Public Safety Team was able to get a description of the suspect and his direction of flight from a store employee.

While canvassing, the team

anticipated that the suspect would strike again, and headed toward another cellphone store in the area, where Police Officer Andrew Weber found and placed the man into custody without further incident. He was arrested and charged with all of the thefts and was subsequently connected to a citywide robbery pattern, which accounted for at least 18 prior robberies.

In a separate incident, the 17 Precinct Public Safety Team observed a man operating a sedan, who, upon sight of the officers, began driving recklessly. After stopping the car, a brief investigation revealed that the vehicle had been reported stolen in the state of Pennsylvania. Police Officer Paul Lamorgese took the man into custody and charged him with grand larceny auto amongst other fraud-related charges. ■



(L-R): Police Officer Andrew Weber and then-Police Officer Paul Lamorgese, who is now an FDNY firefighter.



(L-R): Police Officers Miguel Soares, Maura Delohery, Timothy Earl, and John Ferris.

## 47 Precinct

**IN JUNE, POLICE OFFICERS MAURA DELOHERY AND MIGUEL SOARES, 47 PRECINCT**, were performing uniformed midnight radio motor patrol when they received a radio run of a possible crime in progress which was transferred from the Yonkers Police Department. The unusual call for police service came by way of the comments section of a Yonkers restaurant's Grubhub order. The restaurant workers took note of the comment, as it asked for someone to call the police and to be discrete.

The order was to be delivered to a Bronx address, explaining the transfer from Yonkers PD to the NYPD. The dispatcher called for two additional units for backup and upon arrival Police Officer Delohery called the number associated with the food order. The complainant answered and stated that a man was coming to the door, but upon sight of the officers, he closed the door and retreated back



The firearm seized under a mattress as a result of a search warrant.

into the apartment. Police Officer Delohery then texted the woman, who told them that the man who had come to the door threatened to kill her.

The woman placed another food delivery order, prompting the man to go to the door to answer again, only this time the victim was able to run out. The visibly shaken woman informed the officers that she met the man on a dating app, and after an arranged date, the man sexually assaulted her, and prevented her from leaving the location. After a brief struggle, the assailant was apprehended and charged with rape, strangulation, criminal sex act,

unlawful imprisonment, menacing, assault, criminal possession of a weapon and sexual abuse.

In a separate incident, Police Officer Maura Delohery and other officers responded to a family dispute in a Williamsbridge apartment. When they arrived at the location, the complainant informed them that she and her boyfriend had a verbal dispute in which he threatened to harm the victim. The victim also informed the officers that her boyfriend placed a firearm under the mattress of a bedroom and left the apartment. After receiving a search warrant, the firearm was recovered and the man subsequently arrested due to the coordinating efforts of Police Officer Delohery and additional units. He was arrested and charged with criminal possession of a weapon and resisting arrest.

Police Officer Delohery comes from a family of public service. Her brother, Peter is a NYPD police officer assigned to the 40 Precinct; and her father is a retired Westchester County assistant district attorney. ■

## 28 Precinct

**MEMBERS OF THE 28 PRECINCT** have recovered several firearms in recent months. Most notably, on June 6, 2021, at approximately 2300 hours, Police Officer Sean Sloman and his partner, Police Officer Eduardo Perez-Romero, assigned to the 28 Precinct Public Safety Team, responded to a radio-run of a man with a gun near West 116 Street. While canvassing for the suspect, they encountered a witness who informed them that four individuals performed a gun-point robbery of cash and an automobile, then fled.

Acting on the information, the officers continued their canvass and quickly spotted the vehicle. Police Officer Sloman attempted to perform a car stop but upon sight of the officers, the occupants suddenly exited the vehicle and fled in multiple directions. Police Officer Sloman transmitted the suspect's direction of flight over the radio while he and his partner pursued them. With the coordinated efforts of multiple members of the 28 Precinct, three of the four suspects were swiftly apprehended and charged with Robbery, Criminal Possession of a Weapon, and Grand Larceny Auto. A loaded defaced Smith & Wesson 9mm Pistol and a loaded Browning Arms .22 caliber pistol were recovered, along with an unknown controlled substance. ■

Police Officer Eduardo Perez-Romero (top) and Police Officer Sean Sloman.



## 120 Precinct

### 120 PRECINCT POLICE

**OFFICERS** Joseph Schneider and Mario Avenoso responded to an armed robbery in progress near the Staten Island Ferry. When they located the victim, an injured woman, she told them that two men approached her: an unknown man with an icepick and her former boyfriend who was armed with a gun. The ex-boyfriend struck her in the head with the firearm and forcibly removed her cellphone, then fled with his accomplice. After ascertaining the details, the officers began their search

for the suspects, which included the home of the ex-boyfriend, and exactly where he fled to. He was arrested without incident.

With the support of the 120 Precinct FIOs, a search warrant was received and a black imitation pistol was recovered from the location. The woman's assailant was charged with robbery, criminal possession of a weapon, along with several other charges.

A few months ago, 120 Precinct Public Safety Team members, Sergeant Michael Lassen, and Police



The firearm dropped by a wanted man during a foot pursuit.

Officers Emilio Miranda and Anthony Catania were patrolling in uniform in an unmarked Department auto, when they observed a vehicle with darkly tinted windows. The officers pulled the vehicle over and during the stop recognized the rear passenger as being a wanted person by the NYPD. While attempting to place the wanted passenger into custody, he fled on foot. While attempting to flee, the man threw a gun to the pavement, which was quickly recovered by the officers. He was charged with criminal possession of a weapon, obstructing governmental administration, and resisting arrest, along with two additional charges by the 120 Precinct Detective Squad, for Felony Assault. The man, a gang member, was also on parole for robbery in the first degree. ■

(L-R): Sergeant Michael Lassen, Police Officers Anthony Catania and Emilio Miranda.



# 2022 NYPD GRADUATION CEREMONIES

## CLASS OF APRIL 13, 2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS

*"You should feel a great sense of pride as you take your first steps in your law enforcement career with the finest police department in the nation," said Police Commissioner Sewell. "You're joining the NYPD during a very challenging time for our city and department. Do not let that deter you. Together, as a department, we will face those challenges head on in service of the people of this great city."*



**MAYOR'S AWARD**  
Highest Overall Average  
**P.P.O. Michael Duquette**



**POLICE COMMISSIONER'S AWARD**  
Second Highest Overall Average  
**P.P.O. Christopher Satriano**



**FIRST DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S AWARD**  
Highest Academic Average  
**P.P.O. Tyler Walker**



**CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT'S AWARD**  
Physical Fitness Competition Winners  
**P.P.O. Christopher Stemke**  
**P.P.O. Brandy Caceres**



**CHIEF OF TRAINING AWARD**  
Highest Firearm Proficiency Award  
**PPO Nicholas Seebaran**



**COMMANDING OFFICER,  
POLICE ACADEMY AWARD**  
Exceptional Police Duty Award  
**P.P.O. Jesus Hernandez Torres**



**POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION AWARD**  
Outstanding Company Sergeant  
**P.P.O. Daniela Gavidia**

PHOTOS: MARISA SULLIVAN, NYPD PHOTO UNIT

On April 13, 2022, and July 1, 2022, Mayor Eric Adams and Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell presided over graduation ceremonies at Madison Square Garden, where 1,169 new NYPD probationary police officers were commended for completing six months of intensive training at the Police Academy. In the April class, the 183 graduates were born in 45 foreign countries and speak 62 different languages. In the July class, the 154 graduates speak 53 different languages and were born in 38 foreign countries.

## CLASS OF JULY 1, 2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS

*“By taking this oath you’re committing yourself to serve the people of New York, every single day with integrity, courage, and selflessness,” said Police Commissioner Sewell at the July 1, 2022 graduation ceremony. “I’m sure there are many reasons why each of you chose to be a police officer. But now, you’re all part of this noble profession and part of the NYPD family. Now that you’re in this family, you’ll be expected to uphold the legacy of duty and professionalism that the NYPD has stood for during the past 177 years. That’s 177 years of great triumphs and notable accomplishments from police officers who took the same public safety oath as you.”*



**MAYOR’S AWARD**  
Highest Overall Average  
**FIRST DEPUTY COMMISSIONER’S AWARD**  
Highest Academic Average  
**P.P.O. Amall Ali**



**POLICE COMMISSIONER’S AWARD**  
Second Highest Overall Average  
**P.P.O. Jonathan Jimenes**



**CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT’S AWARD**  
Physical Fitness Competition Winners  
**P.P.O. Amanda Benitez**  
**P.P.O. Bryson Luke**



**CHIEF OF TRAINING AWARD**  
Highest Firearms Proficiency  
**P.P.O. Edward Croce**



**COMMANDING OFFICER,  
POLICE ACADEMY AWARD**  
Exceptional Police Duty Award  
**P.P.O. Michael Griffin**



**POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION AWARD**  
Outstanding Company Sergeant Award  
**P.P.O. Ilcy Rivera**

# WOMEN'S INSTITUTE 2022 KICK OFF



By K. Goding

**O**N SEPTEMBER 12, 2022, the Women's Institute held a kickoff event at One Police Plaza, in celebration of the start of the **Empowering and Inspiring Women** program, a nine-month professional development and training program for women. Special guest and Keynote Speaker, Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell, addressed the importance of such a program, emphasizing that when women support each other, and are provided opportunities to advance and succeed, the outcome not only leads to their individual successes, but enhances the success of the Department.

Founded by Deputy Commissioner, Equity & Inclusion, Wendy Garcia, the program's mission is to advance and empower, both uniform and civilian women of the NYPD, by offering opportunities to communicate strategically, enhance skill sets, and place women in higher leadership positions.

At the event, Commissioner Sewell emphasized the need for more women at the highest ranks and titles: "Women have to rise and climb by bringing at least one more along for the ride. Ideally, at least the 100 in this room right now. In today's policing, women will serve in greater numbers, with the support you need to advance and succeed. I truly look forward to the work of this program to build bridges, share valuable resources, and work towards individual and collective development."

Following Commissioner Sewell's remarks, Staff Analyst Justine Billups provided a detailed overview of the program, and expectations of participants going forward. Two panel discussions were held, allowing participants to become familiar with women leadership in the NYPD, and the various paths to their current positions. Additionally, remarks were provided by First

Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban, Chief of Department Kenneth Corey, and Deputy Commissioner, Public Information Julian Phillips. The event concluded with lunch and open house visits for participants to the offices of the Police Commissioner, Employee Relations, Community Affairs, Detective Bureau, and Intelligence Bureau.



**"I want you to know the Office of Equity and Inclusion is focused on changing the narrative by taking a deep look at everything from the patrol guide to promotions to discipline."**

*—Deputy Commissioner, Equity & Inclusion, Wendy Garcia*



**“Our Department has successfully recruited some of the most talented, skilled, and motivated women in this city.”**

*—Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell*



## About the Program

The Empowering and Inspiring Women program consists of four key meetings, each with specific agendas, ranging from acknowledging National Police Women’s Day, to mapping a career roadmap and empowering and inspiring women. They are scheduled for September, December, March, and conclude in June of 2023. The final meeting will culminate in the creation of a policy brief group project that addresses a specific issue involving women and/or gender.

Throughout the program’s nine months, participants will engage in critical quarterly discussions with the goal of bridging gaps between units, ranks, and titles. They will work to enhance professional relationships, share key resources, and forge innovative methods in keeping with the Department’s mission of ensuring public safety. These sessions will also reflect the unique and powerful impact that women have on the Department and the communities they serve, solidifying the presence of NYPD women as pivotal and necessary for full societal impact.

Additionally, the program will offer less formal virtual meetings called *Coffee and Conversations*, where participants can meet with NYPD women in leadership and discuss a number of pertinent topics. Prior to these meetings, participants can submit questions to be addressed by featured women in leadership. The program will also incorporate one-on-one meetings, where participants can shadow an NYPD woman executive for the day, and utilize open house policies where participants can visit various units and bureaus to have a better understanding of workflows and responsibilities department-wide, as well its unique history.



**NYPD Trailblazers panel (L-R):** Deputy Chief Lourdes Soto, Commanding Officer of the Office of the Police Commissioner; Chief of Training Juanita Holmes; Chief of Interagency Operations Theresa C. Tobin; and Reverend Dr. Barbara William-Harris.



**NYPD Change Makers panel (L-R):** Captain Glorisel Lee, Captain Candida Sullivan, Deputy Commissioner Rosemarie Maldonado, Executive Director Julie Trivedi, and Detective Sarah Mathers.

# NYPD BOMB SQUAD: CELEBRATING OVER 285 YEARS OF SERVICE

**O**N OCTOBER 7, 2022, THE BOMB SQUAD HELD A RETIREMENT DINNER FOR MEMBERS OF THEIR COMMAND. “On behalf on the entire New York City Police Department, I want to congratulate all of tonight’s honorees,” said Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell. “Each of you has built upon the legacy of the most prolific Bomb Squad in the nation. I’d gladly argue, in the world.”

The primary mission of the NYPD Bomb Squad is the investigation and mitigation of suspicious packages, items, articles, that are recovered or discovered citywide. This includes the intake, storage and disposal of all fireworks coming into the possession of our own members, as well as other law enforcement agencies operating within New York City. They are staffed by federally certified Public Safety Bomb Technicians, and are accredited through the certifying agency, the Federal Bureau of Investigation. These are the members who were honored at the October event:



Some of the Bomb Squad members who were honored at the October 7, 2022, retirement dinner.

**Sergeant Detective Supervisor Craig Collopy, a 27-year veteran of the NYPD, who served for 20 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 52 Precinct. He comes from a police family whose father retired as a Lieutenant after serving the NYPD for 38 years.

**Sergeant Detective Supervisor Robert Duke, a 28-year veteran of the NYPD, served 18 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 20 Precinct, and also served in the 25 Precinct, the 25 Precinct Detective Squad, and the Manhattan North Narcotics Division. Sergeant Duke comes from an extended family of members of the NYPD. His father, retired Deputy Inspector George Duke, served as the Commanding Officer of the Major Case Squad; his aunt and two uncles, all retired from the NYPD. His brother, James, is an active sergeant, who is currently assigned to the Detective Bureau’s Computer Crimes Division.

**Detective First Grade Martin Dennehy, a 15-year veteran of the NYPD, served 15 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 6 Precinct, and also served as a training officer, and in the Street Narcotics Enforcement Unit. He was a canine handler to both EDC Zoe and EDC Drake.

**Detective First Grade Barry Nagelberg, a 35-year veteran of the NYPD, served 21 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the 13 Precinct, and also served in Emergency Service Squad 1.

**Detective First Grade Paul Perricone, a 32-year veteran of the NYPD, served 18 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 75 Precinct, and also served in the 68 Precinct, and in Emergency Service Squad 1. He became an EDC Handler with Canine Sheeba, and to Canine Petro. In 2008, he became an E-Team Leader.

**Detective First Grade Andrew Rea, a 27-year veteran of the NYPD, served 22 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 7 Precinct. He also served in the US Army for five years and the NY National Guard for eight years. He was deployed for the Persian Gulf War and Operation Iraqi Freedom, respectively.

**Detective Second Grade Douglas Anderson, a 22-year veteran of the NYPD, served 16 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the 103 Precinct, and also served in the Queens South Anti-Crime Unit. He is a proud Marine having served in the USMC from November 1992 to August 1996.

**Detective Second Grade Eric Brzostek, a 25-year veteran of the NYPD, served 13 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the Midtown Precinct South, where in addition to patrol, he served in the Conditions and Anti-Crime units. He also was assigned to the Midtown South RIP/Detective Squad. He was an acting DEA Delegate and a K9 handler for both EDCs River and Sergio.



“Retirees, you were part of the vanguard against terrorism. You saved the lives of countless New Yorkers and visitors, who will never know. But we do. You will always be a part of the NYPD.”

—Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell



Sergeant Detective Supervisor Michael DeMarfio (right), served the NYPD for 38 dedicated years, and served in the Bomb Squad for 21 years. He is pictured with Lieutenant Commander Detective Mark Torre.

**Sergeant Detective Supervisor Michael DeMarfio, a 38-year veteran of the NYPD, served 21 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 75 Precinct, and also served in the 5, 67, and 78 Precincts, the Street Narcotics Enforcement Unit, and the OCCB Brooklyn South Narcotics. In 2012 he was bestowed the Police Commissioner’s Teddy Roosevelt Award for overcoming cancer and battling back to full duty.

**Detective Second Grade John Coyle, a 25-year veteran of the NYPD, served 13 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the 1 Precinct. During his time at the Bomb Squad, he served as a Team Member and was later assigned as the Intelligence Coordinator.

**Detective Second Grade Justin Johnson, a 22-year veteran of the NYPD, served in the Bomb Squad for 13 years.** He began his career on patrol in the 26 Precinct. He also served in the Narcotics Division, the Organized Crime Control Bureau Narcotics Division, and Narcotic Borough Brooklyn North.

**Detective Second Grade Joseph Tranco, a 27-year veteran of the NYPD, served 17 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 79 Precinct, and after 10 years, he was assigned to the Bomb Squad. He retired in August of 2022.

**Detective Second Grade Patrick LaScala, a 26-year veteran of the NYPD in the Bomb Squad,** began his career with the NYC Housing Authority Police Department, and was assigned to Police Service Area 8. He was also assigned to the Emergency Service K9 Team, where he and his K9 partner OZ made several violent felony apprehensions and achieved FEMA Urban Search and Rescue Level 1 K9 certification. They were also members of the NY Task Force 1 FEMA Urban Search and Rescue Team. K9 Oz and Detective LaScala worked tirelessly for eight months at the WTC site during the 9/11 terrorist attack performing search, rescue, and recovery operations. He was a K9 handler with EDC Clifford, served as the Kennel Master/Head Trainer at the Bomb Squad Range, and was certified as a NYS Certified K9 Examiner/Instructor/Trainer. Detective LaScala was awarded the Medal for Valor for his bravery and efforts during the Times Square car bomb attack on May 1, 2010.

**Detective Second Grade Anthony Mason, a 21-year veteran of the NYPD, served 13 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the 28 Precinct were in addition to patrol, he served in Anti-Crime. He was also assigned to the Manhattan North Auto Larceny Unit. In 2010 Detective Mason was named as a member of the New York FBI/DOE WMD Stabilization team where he consistently trained and prepared for possible regional response until retirement. In 2014 Detective Mason became a Canine Handler with EDC Elvis and served with him until they both retired in 2020.

**Detective John Cousins, a 23-year veteran of the NYPD, served 8 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the Midtown North Precinct. He also served in Manhattan South, and in Emergency Service Squad Truck 8. He is the third generation in his family to serve in the NYPD. He wore his father, Thomas’s shield in the Bomb Squad, and also followed in the footsteps of his grandfather, Robert Cousins, who retired as a lieutenant commander detective.

**Detective Mark McCallan, a 20-year veteran of the NYPD, served six years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 105 Precinct, and also served on the Emergency Service Unit Canine Team. While assigned to the Bomb Squad, he became part of the unit’s Explosive Detection Canine Training Team.

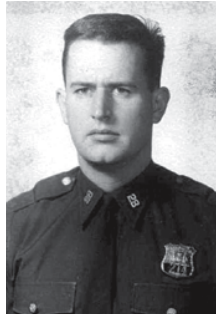
**Detective Michael Mount, a 22-year veteran of the NYPD, served seven years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career in the 44 Precinct. He was also assigned to the Emergency Service Unit Truck 4. During his nine years in ESU, Mike was detailed to the Apprehension Tactical Team and was a member of the Counter Sniper Team. Detective Mount is a proud United States Marine Corps Veteran.

**Detective Michael Perry, a 20-year veteran of the NYPD, served 11 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol assigned to the 47 Precinct, and also served in the Bronx Task Force.

**Detective John Sylvestre, a 20-year veteran of the NYPD, served 2 years in the Bomb Squad.** He began his career on patrol in the Midtown South Precinct. He also served in the 13 Precinct, where he conducted patrol conditions and anti-crime. He was later assigned to the Emergency Service Unit Truck 7, becoming a member of the Counter Sniper Team, as well as a firearms instructor.

## Deputy Commissioner Labor Relations John Beirne Retires

**O**N APRIL 26, 2022, family, friends and colleagues gathered at One Police Plaza for a walkout and luncheon celebrating Deputy Commissioner Labor Relations John Beirne for **60 years of dedicated service**. Deputy Commissioner Beirne joined the NYPD in April 1962 as a patrolman assigned to the 28 Precinct. He also served in the 46 and 52 Precincts, the 71 Division, the Office of the First Deputy Commissioner, Office of the Chief of Detectives, the Planning Division, Quality Control Section, the Police Academy, the Bronx Field Internal Affairs Unit, and the Office of Labor Relations.



Deputy Commissioner John Beirne as he rides off in a vintage green and white RMP into his well-earned retirement. Also pictured in his Police Academy photo in 1962.

Deputy Commissioner Beirne has served as the Commanding Officer of the 52 Precinct, the Police Academy's Post Entry Training Unit, the Bronx Field Internal Affairs Unit, and the Office of Labor Relations. He has served as Executive Officer of the 71 Division. He earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Manhattan College, a Master of Public Administration from Long Island

University, and a Juris Doctorate from St. John's University. He has been licensed to practice law in the State of New York since 1986 and was admitted to the Southern and Eastern District bar, as well as the United States Supreme Court.

"You have witnessed, and were part of, so many significant events in our City's history," said Police Commissioner Sewell. "As the longest serving Deputy Commissioner, you will not be easily replaced." ■

## Deputy Commissioner Intelligence/Counterterrorism & Public Information John Miller Retires

**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JOHN MILLER** is a former Deputy Director of the Intelligence Analysis Division at the Office of the Director of National Intelligence (ODNI). Prior to service with the ODNI, Deputy Commissioner Miller served as Assistant Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), heading the Office of Public Affairs and serving as the FBI's National Spokesman. Before joining the FBI, Deputy Commissioner Miller was the Commanding Officer, Counter Terrorism and Criminal Intelligence Bureau of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD). Prior to the LAPD, he served as the NYPD's Deputy Commissioner, Public Information.



Deputy Commissioner Miller with his longtime executive assistant, Sergeant Andrew McInnis, and Detective Second Grade Michael Doria. Also pictured (Left): Deputy Commissioner Miller with Chief of Intelligence Thomas Gallati and Commanding Officer of the Counterterrorism Bureau Assistant Chief Martine Materasso.

Deputy Commissioner Miller is also a well-known journalist and author. He began his career as a reporter, working in local and network news at NBC and ABC.

He was co-anchor of the ABC News show *20/20* with Barbara Walters and is the winner of nine Emmy Awards, two Peabody Awards and a DuPont Award. Deputy Commissioner Miller is best known for his interview with terrorist leader Osama Bin Laden in Afghanistan, coverage of international terrorism and live coverage of 9/11. ■

## Deputy Commissioner, Strategic Initiatives Danielle Pemberton Retires

**ON MAY 9, 2022**, friends, family, and colleagues gathered in at One Police Plaza, for a retirement luncheon for Deputy Commissioner Strategic Initiatives, Danielle Pemberton. She began her public service career in 2006, as an executive analyst with NYC Department of Buildings, Enforcement Division. In 2012, three months prior to Super Storm Sandy, she joined the Mayor's Office of Housing Recovery, where she managed the design and construction teams that were tasked with repairing homes impacted by the storm. In 2014, she returned to the DOB to serve as Executive Director, in July 2017, she was designated the NYPD Assistant Commissioner Facilities Management Division, and in January 2020, she was appointed Deputy Commissioner Strategic Initiatives. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Communications from Boston University and a Master of Urban Planning degree from New York University. She is also a certified Project Management Professional. ■



Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell wishes Deputy Commissioner Strategic Initiatives Danielle Pemberton all the best.

## Deputy Chief Henry Sautner Retires

Detective Borough Manhattan South



Deputy Chief Sautner as he rides off into retirement.

**ON AUGUST 1, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at Detective Borough Manhattan South Headquarters to celebrate the **almost 30 years of dedicated service** of Deputy Chief Henry Sautner. He joined the NYPD in August 1993, and began his career on patrol in the 60 Precinct. He has also served in the 63, 72 and 102 Precincts; the Detective Bureau Fugitive

Enforcement Division; Detective Borough Queens Operations; Detective Borough Queens South Operations; the Intel Operations and Analysis Section; the Transit Bureau; Transit Bureau Brooklyn; Detective Borough Manhattan South; and Transit Districts 23, 33, 30 and 34. He was promoted to Sergeant in May 2000; Lieutenant in October in 2004; Captain in May 2007; Deputy Inspector in July 2013; Inspector in December 2018; and to Deputy Chief in March 2021.

He most recently served as C.O. of Detective Borough Manhattan South, and has also commanded the 102 Precinct, Detective Borough Queens South, Detective Borough Queens South Operations, and Transit Districts 33 and 34. He served as Executive Officer of Detective Borough Queens South.

Deputy Chief Sautner earned a bachelor's degree in Organizational Management from Saint Joseph's College; a master's degree in Homeland Security from the Center for Homeland Defense and Security (CHDS) Naval Postgraduate School; and is a 2008 graduate of the Southern Police Institute at the University of Louisville. ■

## Inspector William J. Abramo Retires

Quality Assurance Division

**ON JULY 28, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at the Quality Assurance Division to celebrate the **almost 40 years of dedicated service** of Inspector William J. Abramo. He joined the NYPD in January 1983, and began his career on patrol in the 20 Precinct. He also has served in the 6 Precinct, Patrol Borough Bronx, the Office of Management Analysis & Planning (OMAP) and the Quality Assurance Division.

He was promoted to Sergeant in April 1989; Lieutenant in August 1998; Captain in September 2002; Deputy Inspector in February 2006; and to Inspector in December 2011. He most recently served as C.O. of the Quality Assurance Division. He also served as C.O. of OMAP's Data Integrity Unit, and as Executive Officer of the 43 Precinct. Inspector Abramo earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice from St. John's University and is also a 2006 graduate of the Police Management Institute at Columbia University. ■



Inspector William J. Abramo proudly holds his plaque which displays his 40 years of dedicated service.

## Deputy Inspector Geoffrey Hart Retires

Detective Borough Bronx Operations

**ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2022**, Deputy Inspector Geoffrey Hart celebrated his **40 years of dedicated service** with a Retirement Walkout Ceremony. Family, friends, and colleagues gathered at Detective Borough Bronx to bid

farewell. Deputy Inspector Hart joined the New York City Police Department in January 1982, and served in various commands, including the Auto Crime Unit; the 20, 45, 50, and Central Park Precincts; the 44 Precinct Detective Squad; Manhattan North Narcotics East; Patrol Borough Bronx; the Internal Affairs Bureau; Detective Borough Manhattan South; Detective Borough Manhattan Zone 5; Detective Borough Bronx; and Detective Borough Bronx Operations. He was promoted to Detective in June 1987; Sergeant in December 1988; Lieutenant in December 1997, Captain in March 2002; and to Deputy Inspector in June 2015. In his last assignment, Deputy Inspector Hart served as Commanding Officer of Detective Borough Bronx Operations and also commanded Detective Borough Bronx, and Detective Borough Manhattan Zone 5. He also served as Executive Officer of the 50 Precinct. Deputy Inspector Hart earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Iona College and was recognized twice for Excellent Police Duty. His father, Raymond Hart is a retired NYPD Inspector, and his son, also named Geoffrey, is a police officer in the Greenburg Police Department. ■



Deputy Inspector Geoffrey Hart takes the ceremonious last ride in a vintage RMP.

## Secretary to the First Deputy Commissioner, Loretta Daly, Retires

Office of the First Deputy Commissioner



First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban, congratulates Ms. Daly on 41 years of dedicated service.



Secretary Daly with former First Deputy Commissioner Benjamin Tucker, along with past and current members of the office.

**ON JULY 26, 2022**, family, friends, and colleagues gathered at One Police Plaza for a retirement ceremony for Secretary to the First Deputy Commissioner Loretta Daly for **41 years of dedicated service** to the NYPD. Ms. Daly began her career as a Police Administrative Aide in March 1981, when she was assigned to the Personnel Bureau. She also served in the Photo Unit, the Youth

Strategies Division, the Drug Abuse Resistance Education Unit, the Patrol Bureau Services Bureau, and the Office of the First Deputy Commissioner. She was promoted to Senior Police Administrative Aide in January 2000; to Clerical Associate IV in June 2011; to Stenographer to Deputy Commissioner in July 2016; and to Secretary to First Deputy Commissioner in August 2018. ■

## Inspector Kenneth Quick, Lieutenant Special Assignment Janna Salisbury & Detective Second Grade Jeff Thompson, Retire

**ON JUNE 30, 2022**, a retirement luncheon was held at One Police Plaza, for **Inspector Kenneth Quick**, who joined the NYPD in July 1999, and began his career on patrol in the 70 Precinct. He also served in the 66, 72 and 83 Precincts, OMAP, PBBS, and the Office of Deputy Commissioner Employee Relations. He earned a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from the College of New Jersey, and a master's degree in Protection Management from John Jay College. He is also a graduate of the Police Management Institute at Columbia University. He most recently commanded the Office of the DCER.

**Lieutenant Special Assignment Janna Salisbury** joined the NYPD in July 2002, and began her career on patrol in the Midtown South Precinct. She also served in 5, 60, and 84 Precincts, PBBS, the Career Enhancement Division, and the Health & Wellness Section. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminal Justice from Monmouth University, a Master of Arts degree in Forensic Psychology from John Jay College, and a Master of Public Administration degree from Harvard University.

**Detective Second Grade Jeff Thompson** joined the NYPD in July 2003, and began his career on patrol in the 103 Precinct. He also served in the 101



(L-R): Detective Second Grade Jeff Thompson, Lieutenant Special Assignment Janna Salisbury, and Inspector Kenneth Quick

Precinct, the Community Affairs Bureau, *Spring 3100*, the Digital Communications Section, and the Office of Deputy Commissioner Employee Relations. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication Arts & Media from Manhattan College, a Master of Science degree in International Criminal Justice from Creighton University, and a Doctorate degree in Law from Globe Language Services Inc. He served as the NYPD's first-ever Mental Health and Wellness Coordinator, and focused on suicide prevention, and developed the NYPD's peer support training. ■

## Police Communications Technician Graduation



Valedictorian, PCT Nyomi James, gives remarks at the April ceremony. Also pictured: Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell with some of the graduating class.



**ON APRIL 08, 2022,**

Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell presided over a Police

Communications Technician (PCT) graduation ceremony, at One Police Plaza, to celebrate 147 graduating PCTs. Assigned to the Communication Section, they will serve as 911 emergency call takers and radio dispatchers. They

will also perform critical roles in assisting police officers, and service to the public, as the first point of contact in emergencies, during which, at times, PCTs will provide crucial life-saving correspondence. ■

## Police Administrative Aide Graduation



Valedictorian, PAA Kara Davis, delivers remarks as Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell, First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban, and members of the Executive staff look on, with pride. Also pictured: the graduating class.



**ON MAY 04, 2022,** family, friends, and colleagues gathered at One Police Plaza to celebrate the graduation of 73 newly appointed Police Administrative Aides (PAA). After the successful completion of a seven-week, including five days in the field, coursework in criminal justice, telephone switchboard, report-taking, computers, community relations, etc., PAAs are assigned citywide to precincts, transit districts,

housing commands, and other locations throughout the Department, as staffing needs require. “Police Administrative Aides in the NYPD play a critical part in fulfilling the Department’s public safety mission,” said Police Commissioner Sewell. “You should feel a sense of accomplishment, a great sense of pride, as you become a vital member of the largest police department in the United States.” ■

## NYPD Asian Jade Society

1st Annual Japan Day Parade

**O**N MAY 15, 2022, members of the **NYPD Asian Jade Society** marched down Central Park West in the first ever **Japan Day Parade**. The parade, which runs from 81st Street down to 68th Street, was initially planned for 2020, to commemorate the 160th anniversary of the first Japanese delegates' visit to the U.S. in 1860, but was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Japan Parade promotes friendship between the United States and Japan, pays gratitude to New York City, and aims to strengthen the solidarity of the Japanese-American community on this milestone anniversary. ■



Members of the Asian Jade Society prior to their march down Central Park West to celebrate the first ever Japan Day Parade, in New York City.

## NYPD Asian Jade Society

Philippine Independence Day

**ON JUNE 5, 2022**, members of the **NYPD Asian Jade Society** took part in the **Philippine Independence Parade**. Participants marched down Madison Avenue from 38th Street to 27th Street, ending with a celebration at the Philippine Independence Day Street Fair and Cultural Festival. Prior to the start of the parade, participants took part in a Flag Raising Ceremony, as well as a mass in the Kalayaan Hall Philippine Center, on 5th Avenue. ■



Members of the NYPD Asian Jade Society hold their fraternal banner in recognition of Philippine Independence Day.

# Illyrian Society of Law Enforcement Officers

14th Annual Albanian Parade

**O**N JUNE 11, 2022, members of the NYPD Illyrian Society of Law Enforcement Officers marched down Sixth Avenue as they took part in the 14th Annual Albanian Parade. The Illyrian Society's objective is to maintain the highest standards, dignity, and repute of its members, obtain a closer union, a more cordial cooperation and to spread a spirit of brotherhood. They promote cultural diversity, tolerance, and understanding of the different ethnicities. The Illyrians inhabited most of the southwestern Balkans along the Adriatic seacoast during ancient times. ■



Chief of Housing Kathleen O'Reilly joins members of the NYPD Illyrian Society of Law Enforcement Officers, at this year's Albanian Parade.

# Gay Officers Action League

30th Annual New Queens Pride Parade and Multicultural Festival

**ON JUNE 5, 2022,** members of the Gay Officers Action League (GOAL) marched in the 30th Annual New Queens Pride Parade and Multicultural Festival, the second oldest and second largest pride parade in New York City. Founded in 1993, it is held annually on the first Sunday in June, in Jackson Heights along 37th Avenue. Founded in 1982 by Sergeant Charles Henry "Charlie" Cochrane, Jr., GOAL was formed to address the needs, issues, and concerns of gay and lesbian law enforcement personnel. Sergeant Cochrane was the first openly gay member of the service. ■



Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell joins GOAL President Brian Downey, along with uniform and civilian members in celebration of Pride Month, at the New Queens Pride Parade.



## NYPD Hispanic Society

65th Annual National Puerto Rican Day

**ON JUNE 12, 2022**, members of the **NYPD Hispanic Society**, marched along Fifth Avenue at the **65th Annual National Puerto Rican Day Parade**. The parade, established in 1958, is held on the second Sunday in June. This year the parade was dedicated to the municipality of Cidra, Puerto Rico, known as the Pueblo de la Eterna Primavera (Town of Eternal Spring). ■



Police Commissioner Keechant L. Sewell, First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban, and Chief of Department Kenneth E. Corey, join members of the Executive Staff, including members of the Hispanic Society at this year's Puerto Rican Day Parade.

## Emerald Society

68th Annual Dinner Dance

**ON APRIL 8, 2022**, the **NYPD Emerald Society** held their **68th Annual Dinner Dance** at Leonard's Palazzo, in Great Neck, Long Island. The society honored Chief of Department Kenneth Corey as the **2022 Irishman of the Year**. A special appearance was made by the Emerald Society Pipes and Drums Band. ■

Emerald Society President Lt. Kevin Byrnes, presents Chief of Department Kenneth Corey with the 2022 Irishman of the Year plaque of appreciation. Also shown: The Executive Board of the Emerald Society.



# NYPD Desi Society

75th Annual Indian Independence Day Parade

**O**N AUGUST 21, 2022, members of the Desi Society marched in the 75th Annual India Day Parade. The parade runs on Madison Avenue from 38th Street to East 27th Street. Prior to the start of the parade Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell and First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban joined members of the Desi Society in the traditional flag raising ceremony. The Desi Society was founded on January 20, 2004 with approximately seventy South Asian American officers of various ranks. The term Desi is a



Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell and First Deputy Commissioner Edward Caban with member of the Desi Society. Police Commissioner was presented a plaque of appreciation for her support of the organization.

Sanskrit word that means “one from our land,” “native of” or “countryman.” Desi is a term that eliminates political borders and unites everyone of South

Asian descent despite their religion (Hindu, Muslims, Christians, Sikhs and Buddhists) or where they were born (India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Indians

from Guyana, Trinidad, Surinam, South Africa, England, etc.). The NYPD Desi Society equally includes everyone, despite religious beliefs. ■

# Brooklyn/Queens Holy Name Society

100th Annual Communion Mass and Breakfast

**ON MARCH 13, 2022**, the New York City Police Department Brooklyn/Queens Holy Name Society held its 100th Annual Communion Mass and Breakfast, where Chief of Housing, Kathleen O’Reilly, was honored as the 2022 Person of the Year. The mass was held at Our Lady of Lourdes, followed by a breakfast at Antun’s Restaurant, in Queens. The Brooklyn/Queens Holy Name Society is composed of uniform members of the Service, who work in the Patrol Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, whose primary goal is to minister to the spiritual needs of its members. ■



(L-R): Bishop Robert Brennan, Bishop of Brooklyn; Assistant Chief Chaplain Msgr. Robert J. Romano; Chief of Housing Kathleen O’Reilly, 2022 Person of the Year (then-Chief of Patrol); Brooklyn/Queens Holy Name Society President, Sergeant Michael Ciota; and 1st Vice President, Detective Mary Anne Petrizzo.

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## MANHATTAN

**10 PRECINCT** Greetings from Chelsea! The 10 Pct. would like to welcome XO Graham to our family. The 10 Pct. would also like to wish the best of luck to the parting members of the cmd: POs: Fletcher & Maddox on their recent transfers. A heartfelt congrats to POs: Caulfield, Castro, & Thompson on the newest additions to each of their families as they each welcome healthy babies into the world. It is with great sadness that the 10 Pct. mourns the passing of PO Caruso's mother & PO Henrich's father. Our condolences & thoughts go out to each of their families. Great work by PO Aloia, who applied a tourniquet on a stabbing victim & ultimately saved his life. Excellent work by PO Homer who apprehended a parolee for sexual assault. As always, please stay safe, back each other up, & sign out at the end of tour. —Sgt. Nicole DeMarino

**13 PRECINCT** Happy New Year all! Let's begin with a warm welcome to our newly appointed XO, Capt. Daniel Spaeth. Best of luck to Capt. Tommy Keung on the next step in his career! Good luck to PO Jennifer Molloy on her tour overseas. Please stay safe & hurry home! We will miss you. Thank you for your service. The 13 Pct. would like to keep PO Diconza in our prayers. With everything going on in the Pct. & within the city, the stork found time to drop off babies to Sgts. Binagi, Skinner, & PO Bellew. Congrats to you all! We look forward to the new experiences & events of 2022. Until next time! —PO Trystan Mohamed

**19 PRECINCT** Greetings from the UES! We welcomed fresh out of the academy PPOs: Ahmed, Gomez-Zorrilla, Gonzalez, Holloway, Singh, & Slattery. We also welcome Sgt. Quentin Fox from CPP. Good luck to PO Jacqueline Carlsen who leaves us for the 111 Pct. & to PO Gary Strelbel who leaves us to join Rye PD. Great collars by POs: Ching, Morel, Barbour, & Concepcion for a great rob/gun collar that ended in the park, PO Ibrahim & PST for catching 2 serial burglars from 2 separate incidents, PO McGowan & PST 2 with a rob collar, POs: Viola, Allen, Font, & Sgt. Dang catching burglars in the act. Congrats to PO Francis Bott & his wife, Crista, on the birth of their son, Jackson, on 7/31; PO Chirol & wife, Katie, on the birth of their daughter, Ella, on 9/22; & PO Maldonado, & his wife, Narleys, on the birth of their daughter, Amyella, on 1/12. We send our condolences to the family & friends of longtime Aux. PO Rosa Schupbach who served the 19th Pct. for 40 years. Until next time stay safe & C U on the UES! —Sgt. Patrick Ross

**24 PRECINCT** Happy New Year from the 24 Pct. We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season. We welcome back PO Felter from maternity leave. Congrats to our newly promoted 4x12 supervisor, Sgt. Portes, & our newest PA graduates. Welcome to the family! Our condolences go out to POs: Blease, Czechowski, Mercado, Ornstein, & Burrows who all suffered the loss of their loved ones around the holidays. Notable arrests made in the latter part of 2021: POs Bonardi & Vetrano with their gun arrest; POs O'Reilly & Flores closed out a GL pattern. Excellent job, ladies. Great work by POs: Martilla & Cortez on closing out a rob pattern; & NCOs Melendez & McCloud on patrol get a nice pick-up burg arrest on another package theft caper. We thank everyone for their efforts once again in 2021 & we look forward to continued success in 2022. On a side note, I want to thank you all for going above & beyond for my sister during a difficult time. You truly are a special group of people that I have come to love & respect. Until next time, please watch your NYPDU videos & most importantly, be safe everyone! —PO Michael Vollaro

**26 PRECINCT** Greetings from the 26 Pct. It's been a while since we acknowledged some of the fine work being done by our POs; but before we do that let's first bid a fond farewell to our beloved SPAA, Anita Gallardo. After 33 yrs. of service with the NYPD, Mrs. Gallardo will be leaving us to enjoy a life of retirement with her first newborn grandchild, Ace. But wait, Ace hasn't been the only blessing bestowed upon our extended NYPD family. A "congratulations" is also in order to Sgt. Edwin Leung on the birth of his son, Ian, Sgt. Tristan Parker on the birth of his daughter, Aliyah, PO Ena Lewis on the birth of her daughter, Eden, PO Joseph Turdik on the birth of his son, Owen, & to PO Erdman on the birth of his son, Maverick. We'd also like to give a shout out to PO Timothy Jacquez on his gun collar, & to POs: Cote & Davis for their arrest of a murder suspect wanted for 2 separate knife-attacks near Morningside Park. Great job, guys!!! We'd also like to bid a fond farewell to Det. Daurys Gutierrez, who has moved on to the DBBX Field Intelligence Support Team (FIST). Finally, we'd like to welcome Lt. Rosa Espinal-Perez, Sgt. Bao Lin, & Sgt. Vanessa Delossantos to our NYPD family here at the 2-6. —Det. Jason Harper

**34 PRECINCT** Greetings from the Knights of Columbus! Big congrats to our CO, Insp. Andrea on his well-deserved promotion to Insp. We'd like to welcome the "Lucky 7", our newest POs to the Heights. Our public safety team continues do an outstanding

job of recovering firearms. Job well done. Now the fun begins for Det. Nunez, POs Alia, & Arguinonzi! Happy retirement! Happy studying to all preparing for the upcoming promotional exams. "All you need is the plan, the road map, & the courage to press on to your destination." —Earl Nightingale. Be good to yourself & others. Stay safe! —PO Tiffany Flores

## BRONX

**40 PRECINCT** Happy New Year! Let this year bring all the joys & success in your life. 2021 was a year of trials & tribulations, but as a cmd, we stood together through it all. We want to give a special shout out to all our retirees for their outstanding dedication in this line of work. Your energy went unmatched & it was a privilege to have worked with all of you. To the men & women in the 4-0, who have added a new bundle of joy to their families, congrats! To our brothers & sisters in blue, congrats! To say thank you for going above & beyond the call-of-duty as POs. Despite how dangerous your work is, you always stood firm in your fight against crime in our community. Thank you for your tireless work & invaluable contributions to keep this city safe. Lastly, always remember that you can do anything you set your mind to. —PO Elizabeth Michel

**47 PRECINCT** Happy New Year from the 47 Pct., & Happy Valentine's Day. Remember to spread love all year long, not just on Valentine's Day. We'd like to welcome Lt. Puentes, Sgt. Harris, & Sgt. Nelson to the 47th Pct. family. We give a big welcome back to Sgt. McCormack & Lt. Szot. We will never forget, "I am Amanda Szot." Also, farewell & good luck to retired Sgt. Coote & Sgt. Hyman to PSA 7, you will both be missed. Congrats to PO Mena on your new baby boy, & PO Gerrato on your baby girl. We wish you & your families many more blessings. The 47 Pct. would like to wish that everyone stay safe out there, & remember don't let your past dictate who you are, but let it be part of who you will become. —PO David Belle

**PBBX** We'd like to say congrats to Asst. Chief Kenneth Lehr on his retirement & best wishes on his future endeavors. Wishing PO Tosado's father, retired UMOS Jose Tosado, a speedy recovery. We'd like to welcome Lt. Rivera, PO Cruz, & PO Loosen to PBBX. Congrats to Lt. Mangan & Sgt. Blanchard on their retirement. Our condolences to PO O'Donnell on the passing of his father. Congrats to PAA Soto on the birth of your first born. To all those who plan on taking the Sgt's exam, "Do something today that your future self will thank you for." —PO Jessica Perez

## BROOKLYN

**75 PRECINCT** Greetings from East New

York! We'd like to welcome Lt. Ward, Sgts: Funk, Good & Hughes, & our newly assigned 14 PPOs: from the PA. We bid farewell & good luck to PO Robitaille (TD 1). We remember the family of Patrolman Robert Bolden EOW: 1-22-1971. Thank you to all our members for your continued support for the 75 Pct. Club & gym. Stay well & safe! —Sgt. John Mileski

**78 PRECINCT** Happy New Year from Park Slope! We hope 2022 brings everyone peace, happiness, & prosperity. The 78 closed out 2021 with some great accomplishments. Great work was done by the 78 DV Unit, FIOs, & Public Safety team, in getting another gun off the street. Congrats to 78 NCO, PO Marzano, on her well-deserved promotion to Det. We wish the best of luck to PO Nasser on his transfer to the 122. We also welcome our recently graduated PPOs to the 78. Lastly, another BIG congrats to PO Deleon on the birth of his first son, Emil. We hope for all great things as we start 2022. Stay safe, everyone! —Sgt. Breier

**79 PRECINCT** Greetings & Happy New Year from Bed-Stuy! We'd like to start by giving a big 79 welcome to Sgt. Marfoglio, & PPOs: Williams, Majumder, Zambrano, Pessoa, Gurung, & Akram. Next, we'd like to give a hardy sendoff to POs: Poveromo & Caceres, & Sgt. Perrault. Enjoy your retirement! Best of luck to Sgts: Witherspoon, Chen, & Lopez on their recent transfers, we wish you all the best. Happy birthday to all of the celebrants in Nov./Dec. Our deepest sympathies go out to all those who have lost loved ones, you are in our prayers. The stork visited & left PO Khalique & his wife a bouncing baby boy, Arham. "Atta Boys" go to POs Mercedes & Inoa on their gun arrests. Great work! Also a big congrats to PO Formoso on being Cop of the Month in Nov. for an outstanding gun collar. Way to go, Manuel! We'd also like to thank the 79 Club Board for another great holiday party, all had a great time! Please follow the "79" on Twitter @NYPD 79Pct & on Facebook "NYPD 79th Precinct." Always remember, "Courage is not the absence of fear, but action in the face of fear." Please be safe & continue to back each other up. —PO Douglas L. Graham

**81 PRECINCT** Greetings & Happy New Year from the wonderful 81 Pct. We start the New Year by welcoming our newly appointed Sgt. Ali. "Great job" going out to POs: Laneve & Hung on their annual toy drive to the Cohen's Children Hospital. "Great job" going out to 81 Pct Club members on the annual Christmas Party, great time as usual. Congrats to the Cop of the Month in Nov. & Dec., POs: McDuffie & Forte, on their CPW collars. Keep up the good work! New Baby Alert: Congrats to PO Ellison on the birth of her beautiful baby girl & SPAA Calloway on their bouncing baby girl! Our deepest condolences go out to PO Benoit

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on the loss of his mother, PO Yee on the loss of his father, & PO Sheik on the loss of his uncle. Keep their families in your prayers. Until next time... "Every day you have 2 choices; sleep & dream, or wake up & chase the dream. Which will you choose today?"  
— PO Michele Joseph

### QUEENS

**108 PRECINCT** Happy New Year! We at the 108 Pct. wish everyone a safe, healthy, & prosperous year. Welcome to Lt. Papaviasopoulos; POs: Alexandru, Cardonaquintero, & Lee; PPOs: Billups, Delpozo, Hot, Kalemkeridis, Meier, Min, Miranda, Mollica, Ruggiero & Tongzon; CCA S. Haynes & SCG S. Sarker. Congrats to PO Xiomara Ramirez on being designated Det. Sp. PO Difinizio, wish you luck at your new location. Congrats to PO Inderjit Singh & his wife, Rajwinder Kaur, on the birth of their son, Daya on 12/21/21. Sincere condolences & heartfelt sympathy to Asst. Chief Judith Harrison (PBBN) on the loss of her mother. POs Cornibert & Munroe (assigned to Blue Chips), thanks for the mentoring & sharing of time that you do with the youth. Congrats to the following MOS on receiving EPDs: Lt. Vacarr & POs: Czerniawski, Kspka, & A. Lopez. Congrats to our Cops of the Month: PO V. Murthy (G/L- Oct.), PO Ahmed (G/L-Nov.), & PO Mercaldo (Auto Stripping 2nd, Class E felony-Dec). Remember what Susan Rabin said, "Enthusiasm is contagious, be a carrier." Take care & please stay safe. Always wear those vests! Wear those masks! Buckle up!  
—SPAA Ethel L. Pratt

### HOUSING BUREAU

**PSA 3** Greetings & Happy New Year. There's a deep chill outside, but that is not freezing up the great work coming from PSA 3. Since the beginning of the year, our public safety teams, DV Unit, Crime Analysis, & FIOs all participated in removing 6 firearms off our streets. Great work, everyone. Thank you to all that donated for our clothes drive. Because of your generosity, hundreds of coats & other clothes were donated to various shelters & organizations including those that are supporting the victims of the tragic fire in the Bx. Your generosity also extends to another successful blood drive, where 54 units of much needed blood was collected. Thank you PSA 3, for coming together & supporting our communities. A big round of applause for PO Recio for once again tapping into the Marine Corps Toys for Tots & obtaining over a thousand toys for kids in our communities. Seeing how happy those kids were during our toy giveaway event was in itself a beautiful gift. In honor of MLK & generosity: "Keep feeling the need for being first. But I want you to be the first in love. I want you to be the first in moral excellence. I want you to be the first in generosity." Pray for our fallen brothers, PO Jason Rivera & PO Wilbert Mora & their families. God bless & stay safe.  
—Det. Eusebi

**PSA 4** Greetings from the Lower East Side & Chelsea! We want to congratulate PO McGarry on his retirement. Farewell & best of luck to Lt. Rodriguez who transferred to PSA 8. Welcome Lt. Mendez & Sgt. Prusayev to our cmd. Welcome POs: Feliz, Ramos, Ali, CCA Grant & CCA Beckhusen. Congrats to the following POs for being awarded Cop of the Month: PO Edmond (Nov.) & PO Nuesi (Dec.). Also, welcome to the following POs: Siegler, Lucca, Anderson, & Deonarine. We want to congratulate Sgts: Christopher & Bifulco & POs: Faught & Kwok on the births of their babies! Also, congrats to PAA Chester on her promotion. Happy holidays & please be safe!  
—PO Harlyn de los Santos

**PSA 9** Greetings from PSA 9. Welcome to Sgts: Awal, Sprague, Jacinthe, & PO Wilczewski! Congrats to PO Spear on the birth of your twin boys! Congrats to Sgt. Shea, & POs: Sparacio, Datkhayev, Quervalu, Edelstein, Gutama, Cavanagh, Ahmed, & Permansingh on the births of your children! Congrats to POs: Fassman & PO Jordan Singh on your recent marriages! Farewell to our CO, Capt. Melody Robinson! Good luck on your new assignment! You will be missed! Farewell to PO Gesuele, good luck on your new assignment at COD! Farewell to POs: Then, Alabre, Franco, & Singh. Congrats on your promotions to Sgt!  
— PO Ronald Kempiski

### TRANSIT BUREAU

**TB CITYWIDE VANDALS T/F** Greetings to all from Graffiti Central. Let's hope that 2022 will be a healthy & successful year for everyone. We're picking up where we left off from last year with our successful dedication to our mission of combatting graffiti & helping to achieve a better quality of life for the residents of this great city. Congrats, to PO Banach for receiving the well-deserved "Cop of the Year" award for 2021. Congrats to POs Banach Hashan & Casey for receiving the "Cop of the Month" awards for Oct., Nov., & Dec. Congrats to Sgt. Michels on the birth of his son, Grayson Anthony. CVTF would like to give a warm welcome to POs: Cascalenda & Difinizio. Until next time, be well, be safe, arrive alive, & wear those vests!  
—PO Wahl

**TRANSIT MANHATTAN T/F** Hello from our TMTF family at Times Square. Cheers & let's keep up all the excellent police work by our men & women of TMTF. Kudos & great work by our Crime team, led by Lt. Sullivan & Sgt. Pritchard. Your hard & diligent work is greatly noticed & appreciated. Wishing a Happy Birthday to those born in Jan. & Feb. Winter is here for sure, so let's stay warm, so bundle up. I'd like to wish everyone a Happy & healthy New Year one to all my brothers & sisters in blue, along with their families. Congrats to PO Guardi & wife, Leah, on the birth of their healthy baby boy, Salvatore. Baby Salvatore, your big sisters are extremely excited on your arrival. I'd like to wish good luck to all the

T/F Officers who are hitting the books getting ready for the upcoming Sgt's exam. The rank will be honored to have so many qualified new members. Unfortunately, we still have many of our brothers & sisters with COVID, so let's pray for their speedy recovery. Thanks! Until next time, let's stay safe & look out for each other.  
—Sgt. Joel Estevez

**DISTRICT 11** Greetings from TD 11! "BE THE CHANGE THAT YOU WISH TO SEE IN THE WORLD." When you think about quitting, remember why you started. Right now this job may seem very difficult, but there is always a light at the end of the tunnel. As POs, we take this heavy responsibility in servicing our community. Whether it be working nights, days or mid-days, we're the POs who allow the community to sleep well at night, because they know we're out there. A big congrats to Det. Polanco on his promotion. Congrats to PO Cohen on the birth of his new baby boy. Kudos to PO Molina on her CPFI arrest, for counterfeit money. Job well done by PO Ballen with his GL arrest on an open complaint & PO O. Vargas on his CPW arrest. Keep up the great work, guys. Remember to always stay vigilant & take precautionary measures while performing your duties. Until next time wear your vest, stay safe, & arrive alive!  
—PO Vargas-Benitez

**DISTRICT 12** Hello from TD 12! A warm welcome to Lt. Kristina Gilbert. We're going to miss you, Lt. Stephen Dinko. Congrats on the new position. Great work, PO George Bermudez, 051 on your shots fired/gun collar arrest. Right place, right time. Awesome work by POs: Andres Pineyroaquino & Carlos Diaz on closing a rob pattern & apprehending 3 perps with a firearm. Another congrats to The School Team Officers, POs: Daniel Masliver & Steven Celic while on a directed at Baychester Ave. apprehended a suspect for criminal obstruction of breathing with injuries & POs: Richardo Peguero & Catherine CabanBailon as they were checking train cars when a passenger ran up to the officers stating someone stole his cell phone, after a canvass was conducted, the 2 POs arrested perp. POs Darren Dailey & Narado Burrell did it again, 2 years in a row. What a success with Subway Santa giving back to our community, riding the trains & handing out toys to the kids. It was a sight to see. What a pleasure to see the smiles on the kid's faces when they saw Santa. A special thanks to all of Santa's helpers, TD12 Explorer Post 5212, who personally hand wrapped all the toys. Lastly, let us not forget our fallen heroes, PO RIVERA & PO MORA. We continue to keep their families in our prayers & we vow to never forget their sacrifice. Stay safe, everyone!  
—Sgt. Rodriguez/PO Ohore

**DISTRICT 23** Greetings once again from the Rock! Let's give a warm TD 23 welcome to Capt. Gutierrez! Welcome to Transit! We want to give a big congrats & good

luck to D.I McCall on his new assignment to PBMN. You were a great CO & will be missed. You'll always be part of the TD 23 family. A big congrats goes out to PO Rogers on his recent promotion to Sgt.! You'll be missed! A big congrats goes out to PO Hussain on the birth of his bouncing baby boy & Sgt. D'Amato on the birth of his bouncing baby girl! Our heartfelt condolences goes out to POs: Ticas, Alba, & Sanchez on the loss of their loved ones. Our thoughts & prayers are with you & your families. On a happier note, a big happy retirement goes out to PO Mathews! Thank you for your 20 yrs. of dedicated service to the Dept. It was a pleasure working with you. Wishing you a long & happy retirement. Good luck & good health to ya! Well, until next time..... STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY, & STAND CLEAR OF THE CLOSING DOORS!  
— PO Nakiya Cowans

**TRANSIT KINGS TASK FORCE** Hello from the officers & supervisors here at KTF. I know last year was a trying year for everyone, but we can only hope it will get better as the New Year progresses. Our condolences to the following officers who lost loved ones, POs: Hashi Aktar (father), Miriam Mehmedovic (grandmother & grandfather), Hyggens Issac (grandmother). Get well wishes to PO Yuri Pavlykov, who has been out sick for a while. We miss you, brother! Congrats to Lt. Yilli Dautaj, who took his last train ride, enjoy your retirement Lt., also to PO Bruce Eng on his promotion to Det. While we are saying our goodbyes, we'd like to wish the best of luck to the following POs on their transfers: John Ogunmoyin, Hyggens Issac & Joseph Sarabella (TD 20), Miriam Mehmedovic, Zac Branch (TD 34) & Christopher Sung (T.B.H.Q). Kudos to the following POs for their collars: Nelson Guillaume (GL), Hashi Aktar (Sex Abuse) & Robert Barker (Assault on a PO). Great job, guys. A special "Atta Boy" to POs: Janphen Luo & May Lim. The POs applied a special tourniquet to a victim of a crime, which saved his life. Great job, guys!! A special congrats to a great guy that became known as "Nano." PO Albert Rodriguez is retiring after 20 yrs. of service with us. Enjoy your life after PD, brother!! In closing, always remember that you have someone that you can talk to, POPPA. For the Cops 1-888-267-7267. Just remember, if you don't make it, you can't help. Arrive alive, wear your seatbelt. Til the next time, folks!  
—PO Richard A. Quinland

### OTHER COMMANDS

**AVIATION UNIT** Greetings from Floyd Bennett Field! Nice grab by the crew of AU 18 (POs Hess & Smith) who located a perp fleeing the scene of a gunpoint rob in the confines of the 113. Congrats to PO Sanabria on his promotion to DTS & to Det. Maudsley on his promotion to 1st grade. Finally, best wishes to PO Edling on his retirement, good luck with the honey making! Remember, if you need us, call us!  
— Det. Randazzo

**CENTRAL RECORDS DIVISION** Goodbye 2021 & hello 2022. Happy New Year to all from CRD. We want to thank all members of the ID Sect., Crim. Records Sect., Stolen Property Inquiry Sect., Certificates of Conduct, & Central Records Div. for their continued dedicated service. Congrats are in order to the following: AFPT II R. Gomez on his promotion to level 2 & best wishes to AFPT II E. Mowring on her recent retirement. Happy Birthday wishes to all our Capricorns, Aquarians, & Pisces. Until next time as we look to the start of a new year, let us all remember this quote, "Never stop doing your best just because someone doesn't give you credit." —PRFPT Simone Samuel

**FLEET SERVICES DIVISION** The Fleet Services Division family extends our thoughts & prayers to the members of the 32 Pct. during this difficult time. We welcome several new members to our division, ABW Hangsheng Chen, AM Ingrid Sanchez, ASW Junhao Cai, ASW Andrew Coe, & MVO Rodney Hailey. Good luck to AM Vincent Falcone on his transfer to Manatee County Sheriff Dept. A fond farewell to SOM James McMahon on his retirement. Kudos to Perfect Attendance Award Winners AM Joseph Cordoni, AM John Zeolla, ASW Matthew Quiroz, Sgt. Jose Mendez. Thanks for your continuous dedication to the Department & our div. Condolences to DS Ignazio Focarino on the loss of his mother-in-law. We continue to think about PrAA Sharon White whose home was damaged due to fire during the holiday season. We are all here for you, Sharon. Until next time, please back each other up & stay safe out there! —PO Mikos/DD Gorgia

**FORCE INVESTIGATION DIVISION** The Force Investigation Division would like to congratulate the First Deputy Commissioner, Benjamin B. Tucker on his retirement! We

thank him for all of his guidance & wish him the very best in all of his future endeavors. Congrats are in order for SPAA's Debra Guzzo & Virginia Lee on their promotions to PrAA, Sgt. Dion Gaspard on his promotion to Lt., Sgt. Cara Mulham to SDS, & to Dets: Devin Long & William Ubieta on their promotions to Det. 2nd Gr. Welcome back, Lt. Emanuel Vizzotti! A warm welcome to our newest members: Lt. Joanna Marin, Sgts: Carlos Paiz & Ramon Velez, & Dets: Joseph Cope & Louis DeFranco. Welcome to the FID family! Congrats to Lt. Paul Palazzo & his wife on the birth of their twins, Maren & Antoinette. We wish SDS Gabriel Dobles the best of luck on his retirement! Thank you for your commitment & dedication to FID! Stay safe & wear your vest!! —Lt. Paul Palazzo

## FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

**BROOKLYN/QUEENS HOLY NAME SOCIETY** Happy & healthy are our wishes for you in 2022. 2021 is going down in the history books as the most dangerous for Law Enforcement. Don't let politics cloud your judgement. Protect yourself & your partner & go home to your family at the end of your tour. We want to wish good luck to our new Mayor, P.C., & all taking on new positions of leadership. You have your work cut out for you. The NYPD is the best in the world & will always have your back. Keep the faith. Our membership drive, active & retired is underway. Please plan to join us. We are a strong organization with some really great activities. General Meetings (3/3 @1630), Communion Breakfast (3/13), St. Patrick's Parade & Party (3/17), BBQ, Golf Outings, & Memorial Masses. All of these things contribute to the spiritual, physical, & emotional health of our members. Looking forward to seeing you. Stay safe & stay well. —Paul R. Hargrove

rob. condition in the parks; & Sgt. Arenella & POs: Massafra, Sasso, Gallard w/ a BB Gun from a road rage incident. Congrats to PO Luis Delgado & his wife, Crismaldi, on their daughter, Annabella, on 2/23, & PO Jian Ren Chen & wife, Jamie, on the birth of their son, Declan, on 2/17. Our thoughts are with PO Kennie Morel who has been deployed to the Middle East & possibly beyond for the next year, & all of our active military members. Our condolences to PO Ashley Pappas on the loss of her mother, & PO Tarik Hunter on the loss of his father in law. Until next time stay safe & C U on the UES! —Sgt. Patrick Ross

**24 PRECINCT** Hello once again from the 24 Pct. We extend our deepest sympathies to our brothers & sisters of the 32 Pct. during the most difficult of times. Our condolences go out to POs: Gonzalez, Flores, Cortez, & Sgt. Burns, who all lost loved ones in Feb. We welcome our newest supervisors, Lt. Hynes & Lt. Ramos to the cmd. Bets have already been made as to who gets "guched" first. Noteworthy arrests in Jan./Feb.: POs Felter & Piscopo kept their cool during a car stop, which led to a pick-up GLA arrest. Nice job by our YCOs: POs Ruiz & Rosado, who closed out a G/L pattern with an arrest. Good work by PO Wilson & his Public Safety Team who grabbed yet another gun from a vehicle. And the all-around team effort on the 4x's where a pick-up of a shots fired job, with multiple victims hit, led to the apprehension of the perp. PO Miah made the Pct. proud with swiftly tracking down the suspect. Congrats to POs: Alba, Donato, Lau, & Rosario on your promotion to Sgt. Do us proud, boys! Finally, we say goodbye & offer best wishes to POs: Thaw, Artus, & Peragine. Good luck in your new law enforcement careers. Until next time please watch your NYPDU videos & don't forget to categorize & share your BWC footage. Take care of each other & be safe, everyone! —PO Vollaro

## BRONX

**PBBX** We'd like to welcome Chief Rivera back to the Bronx. We'd like to welcome Lt. Badia & Sgt. Miranda to PBBX. Congrats to Chief Timoney on his retirement & best wishes on his future endeavors. POs O'Donnell & Beberman, congrats on your retirement. To all those who plan on taking the Sergeant exam study, & good luck. —PO Jessica Perez

## BROOKLYN

**75 PRECINCT** Greetings from East New York! We'd like to welcome our new XO, Capt. Moldowsky, Lt. Deonarine Singh & Sgt. Ahn. We bid farewell & good luck to Lt. Hinds, & POs: Klenke, Vital, & Coruchia on their promotions. We remember the families of Patrolman James R. Baker EOW 3-28-1923, Patrolman Dionisio B. Pasquarella EOW 3-15-1936, & Patrolman

Harold K. Randolph EOW 3-19-1943. Thank you to all our members for your continued support for the 75 Pct. club & gym. Stay well & safe! —Sgt. John Mileski

**79 PRECINCT** Greetings from Bed-Stuy! We'd like to start by extending a fond farewell to POs: Vallejo, Matuozzi, Faruque, & Cannisi. Good luck with your transfers. Next, we'd like to give a hearty send-off to PO Chatterton. Enjoy your retirement, Keith! Congrats to POs: Clarke, Bomparola, & Ziths on your recent promotions to Sgt, wishing you all the best. Happy birthday to all of the celebrants in March/April. Our deepest sympathies go out to those who lost their loved ones, you're in our prayers. The stork visited & left PO Peterson & his wife a bouncing baby boy. "Atta Boys" go to PO Jimenez for a pickup stun gun arrest, good jobs & POs Lambert (Cop of the month in Feb.), Inoa, & Dillion on their gun arrests, great work! Also big congrats to PO Vidal for an outstanding burg collar & gun collar. Way to go, Joel! Honorable mention to PO Tyborowski on his 1st arrest, you put an end to a dangerous situation. Keep up the good work! We would also like to thank the 79 Club for stocking the machines, solid job! Please follow the "79" on Twitter @NYPD79Pct & on Facebook "NYPD 79th Precinct." Remember the immortal words of Theodore Roosevelt, "Do what you can with all you have, wherever you are." Please be safe & continue to back each other up. —PO Douglas L. Graham

**81 PRECINCT** Hello from the wonderful 81 Pct. Farewell & best of luck to our XO, Capt. Cortes, who transferred to SRG 1. Welcome to our newly appointed XO, Capt. Hinds. Congrats to Det. Roman & PO Ye on their promotion to Sgt. We welcome our newly appointed Sgts: Clarke & Rodriguez. We also welcome our civilian staff, PAA's: Ogbewe, Hamer, & Cdt. Rahman. Congrats to PO Arriaga on his well-deserved retirement. Congrats to the Cop of the Month for Jan. & Feb.: Lt. Hockaday & POs: Suarez, Campos, & Youngblood, on their CPW collars. Keep up the good work! New Baby Alert: Congrats to Sgt. Petrone on the birth of his baby girl. That's all for now! Remember to back each other up & stay well. Until next time! "Even the ocean finds a way to calm itself after a storm. Make sure you find your calmness in your inner storm."- Author unknown —PO Michele Joseph

## QUEENS

**105 PRECINCT** Greetings from the border! We'd like to send our condolences to the 32 Pct. & to all who worked w/ Det. Rivera & Det. Mora as they are forever in our hearts. We'd like to congratulate PO Steffenson (who wrote this article for 13 yrs.) on your retirement after 21 yrs. & 5 mths! You're missed immensely. Good luck on your retirement to PAA Flynn for 40 yrs. of service & PO Fuchsman for over 22 yrs. of service.

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## MANHATTAN

**10 PRECINCT** Greetings from Chelsea! The 10th Pct. would like to welcome 7 new POs from the PA to our cmd. We'd like to congratulate PO Fraser on her retirement & wish her the best of luck on future endeavors. A heartfelt congrats to PO Candela on the recent addition to his family, as he welcomes a healthy baby boy. It is with great sadness that we mourn the passing of Det. Rivera, a former 10th Pct. member. Congrats to Sgts: Michel & Bhairam on their promotions! Great work by YCO Zytkowicz who identified 6 youths who were involved in a rob., 2 of which were responsible for the shooting of an

off-duty MOS. As always, please stay safe, back each other up & sign out at the end of tour. —Sgt. Nicole DeMarino

**19 PRECINCT** Greetings from the UES! We welcome newly promoted Lt. John Keane from the RTCC, & newly promoted Sgts. Mabel Joseph from the 40 Pct, Tim Myo also from RTCC, & Edwin Rojas from the 110 Pct. Congrats to Robert Anzalone & Tyle Scherpich on their long awaited promotions to Sgt. Best of luck in the 111 & 112 Pcts. We say farewell to Lt. Jackeline Fontanez who leaves us for SSD, & PAA Reid who leaves us for the 44 Pct. Great collars being made by Sgt. Lemunyan & POs: Jeanmarie & Sierra for a gun collar on FDR; the NCOs & Patrol closing out a

## AT YOUR COMMAND

Congrats to newly appointed PrAA Thomas & Sgts: Moronta & Munnely on your promotions! Make us proud! I'm happy to report numerous "Atta Boys" including Sgt. Hurst & PO Schade on your collar & recovery of 18 catalytic converters; Sgt. Grandstaff & PO Brogan on your collar of a catalytic converter perp; Sgt. Bekas & PO Cox on the GLA collar w/ perp wanted for a gun point rob.; POs Prasenski, Vankbrakle, Medina, & Quintanilla for your CPW collars; POs Church, Fernandez, & Diller for the good 'ole plate reader leading to a loaded firearm & numerous loose cartridges; POs Hehir & Schade on the GLA arrest; POs: Kissane & Pesce for their burg. collars & Lt. Gulotta, Sgts: Pinto & Cozier, & POs: Menenez & Knudson on the collar that led to the discovery of ghost guns, shotguns, assault rifles, vests, & extended rounds. You made the news! Remember your tactics! —PO Jazzlyn Farrell

**108 PRECINCT** Shout out to all from the 108th Pct. We welcome Sgt. Gianos, PO Lee, & Cds. C. Reinoso & M. Pena. Congrats to POs: Urena & his wife, Diana Torres, on the birth of their son, Aiden Cole. Congrats to the following MOS on receiving EPDs: Sgts: Zhong & Cruz, POs: Merle, Islam, Bentz, Bernstein, Cortez, Hoang, Hannon, Taveras, McCellan, Harold, Woo, Siebner, Yang, & Giordano. Congrats to Sgt. Ramsammy on her recent promotion. We, at the 108 Pct., miss you. Our loss is the gain of the 102 Pct.! Congrats to the following MOS on being designated Det. Inv: POs: Mikael Djam, Michael J. Joseph, Hissan Raza, & Peter Talavora. Congrats to our Cops of the Month for jobs well done. PO Marshall made an arrest for burg. with a gun (Jan. &); PO Wind made an arrest for a gun point rob. Remember what Franklin D. Roosevelt said, "The only limit to our realization of tomorrow will our doubts of today." Please wear vests, seat belts, & masks. Stay safe! Until next time.

—SPAA Ethel L. Pratt

## HOUSING BUREAU

**PSA 3** Greetings from Bushwick! We'd like to extend a warm welcome aboard to Lts: Anghel & Lt. Demonda, & Sgt. Deshomess to PSA 3. Congrats to Sgt. Reyes on his promotion to Lt. We wish you all the best in your new endeavor, sir. Great work by our public safety team: POs: Sandres, Ramos, Nieves, Meisner, & Guerrero for removing 2 illegal guns off our streets. Kudos to NCOs Aslam & Ahmed for using all the tools necessary for tracking down a perp wanted for stealing an electric scooter & returning it to the victim. March 8th is International Women's Day. It is an opportunity to honor all of the women who have paved the way for gender equality & those today that continue to be effective & powerful leaders. We value your bravery & steadfast commitment in the pursuit for the rights for all. March 23rd is a somber date as we honor PO James Holmes, assigned to PSA 3, who was shot & killed 36 yrs. ago

while off-duty. We will never forget your sacrifice. Keep all of our military service members & fallen LEOs in your prayers. Stay safe & back each other up. "To this day I believe we are here on planet earth to live, grow, & do what we can to make this world a better place for all people to enjoy freedom." Rosa Parks —Det. Eusebi

**PSA 4** Greetings from the Lower East Side & Chelsea! Congrats, Chief Maddrey, on being the new housing chief & best of luck to Chief Barrere on his new assignment with Internal Affairs. Congrats, Sgt. Peters on your retirement! Welcome Lts. Ioele, & Perreno, & Sgts. Williams, & Blanchard to our cmd. Also, welcome the following probationary POs: Perricone, Sanchez, Diaz, & Hassan. Congrats to the following POs for being awarded Cop of the Month: PO Haynes (Dec.) & PO Nuesi (Dec.). Farewell & best of luck to PO Barbieri who retired & transferred to MTA. Welcome back, Sgt. Collado, who was activated in support of contingency operations. We also want to congratulate PO DeLaguada on the birth of his baby! Kudos to all our POs who participated in the 5K run in honor of Detectives Rivera & Mora from the 32 Pct. Enjoy the spring after a long winter & please be safe!

—PO Harlyn de los Santos

## TRANSIT BUREAU

**TRANSIT BUREAU SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION** Happy spring from the Transit Special Operations Division. First, we'd like to welcome Chief Wilcox on his return to the TB & congratulate him on his promotion to the Chief of Transit. Congrats to Migdalia "Boss Lady" Sosa on her promotion to Lt. & to Det. Victor Lascano on his promotion to 2nd grade. We'd like to welcome Lt. Carroll, Sgt. Mercedes, & Sgt. Franco on their return to the Transit SOD family. On a more solemn note, let's keep our departed brother, PO Leo Chavez & his family, in our thoughts & prayers. Until next time, please be safe.

—Lt. Michael Catusco

### TRANSIT BUREAU CITYWIDE VANDALS

**T/F** Greetings to all from Graffiti Central. We're continuing our mission of combatting graffiti & helping to achieve a better quality of life for the residents of this great city. Great investigative work to PO Rudy on his arrest of "HOMESICK / HK" in the confines of PBMN, closing out a Layup Train complaint. Congrats to POs Hashan & Rudy for receiving the "Cop of the Month" awards for Jan. & Feb. CVTF would like to congratulate PO Serebrenik on his promotion to Sgt. Best of luck at your new cmd. CVTF would like to give a warm welcome to PO Duggan. Congrats to PO Difinizio on the birth of his son, Enzo. Until next time, be well, be safe, arrive alive, & wear those vests! —PO Wahl

**TRANSIT MANHATTAN TASK FORCE** Hello from Transit Manhattan Task Force family

at Times Square. Cheers & let's keep up all the excellent police work by our men & women of TMTF. Kudos & great work by our crime team, led by Lt. Sullivan. Sgt. Pritchard, your hard & diligent work is greatly noticed & appreciated. Wishing all a Happy Birthday to those in March & April. I'd like to welcome Lt. Jeremiah & Sgts: Cordero, Brown, & Shaffee, who are leading the charge to help the homeless community within the subway system, alongside medical professionals. The upcoming Sgt. Exam date has been announced & I'd like to wish good luck to all the T/F Officers who are hitting the books extremely hard. The rank will be honored to have so many qualified new members. It looks like winter is in our rearview mirror, HOORAY. Unfortunately, COVID is still not behind us & we're still losing good men & women of this Dept. I'd like to wish everyone a safe spring season especially when weather gets nicer & those masks come off more frequently. Thanks! Until next time, let's stay safe & look out for each other.

—Sgt. Joel Estevez

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—Sgt. Rodriguez/PO Ohore

### DISTRICT 23 Greetings from the Rock!

Let's start by giving a warm welcome back to Lt. Bodon & PO Gonzalez. We knew you two could not stay away from the wonderful "23 House" for long. A big congrats goes out to Sgt. Kaiser on her recent promotion to Lt. & POs Hashmi & Clement on their recent promotion to Sgt. You guys made us proud! You'll be missed! Let's give a shout out & good luck to PO Fuentes on his new assignment with the Vegas PD. We will see you on the Vegas strip! You'll be missed. Our heartfelt condolences go out to PO Granston on the loss of her grandfather & PO Martin on the loss of his uncle. Our thoughts & prayers are with you & your families. On a happier note, a big congrats go out to Sgt. Lane & PO Jimenez on the birth of their bouncing baby girls. Great job to POs Milien & Castillo for being Cops of the Month & SPAA McCauley on being Civilian of the Month. Well that's all folks! Until next time ... STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY, & STAND CLEAR OF THE CLOSING DOORS. —PO Nakiya Cowans

**TRANSIT KINGS TASK FORCE** Good day to one & all from K.T.F. We'd like to extend get well wishes to PO Karla Vega, who has been out with an injury. Get well soon, we miss you! Our heartfelt condolences to the following POs on the loss of their loved ones: POs Peter Olivo (mother), John Cammarata (father), & Richard Quinland (aunt). Good luck to PO Miguel Gonzalez on his transfer to TD 20. The guys miss you already. A special "Atta Boy" to POs Jose Rodriguez & Nelson Guillaume, the K.T.F. dynamic duo. Both POs rescued a suicidal 15 yr. female, who was about to jump to her death from an elevated train line at the Bdwy. Junction Station. A couple weeks prior to the incident at Bdwy. Junction, the 2 POs were instrumental in the arrest of a male perp, who had just committed an armed commercial burg. near the Nassau Ave. Station, on the "G" line. Both officers recognized the perp & initiated the stop & a firearm was recovered from the perp. Also, "Atta Boy" to PO Mike Salas, who stopped an individual for a violation. After further investigation, it was found that he was wanted for a G/L. Great job, guys!!! As a member of POPPA for the past 23 yrs., I can truly say they are there to help. If you need someone to talk to, make the call 1-888-267-7267. They are for the cops, by cops!! Stay safe & arrive alive, buckle up! Til the next time.

—PO Richard A. Quinland

## OTHER COMMANDS

**AVIATION UNIT** Greetings from Floyd Bennett Field. Excellent job by the crew of ASR 22 (Det. Maher, Sgt. Shaleesh, POs: Odeh, Faivre, & Phillips) who rescued a kite surfer in distress in the confines of the 60 Pct. Congrats to Sgt. Demonda on his promotion to Lt. & POs Martin & Persad on their promotions to Sgt. Be safe out there! Finally, the stork dropped off future aviator Julius Luis to the De Horta family. Remember, if you need us, call us! —Det. Randazzo

**CENTRAL RECORDS DIVISION** Happy Spring everyone, from the Central Records Division. The CRD team would like to welcome the following members to The Stolen Property Unit: PrAA I Taekisa Hicks, SPAA Devon Harper, FPT-Doris Miranda, & PO Benito Intravaia. Best Birthday Greetings to all our Pisces, Aries & Taurus' & Happy Women's History Month to all members. Until next time

remember, "Always be a first-rate version of yourself instead of a second-rate version of somebody else." —Judy Garland  
—PrFPT Simone Samuel

**FLEET SERVICES DIVISION** Greetings from Fleet Services Division. A warm welcome to AM Daniel Maklari, ASW Dwight George, & ASW Anthony Ramirez who recently joined our division. Good luck to PrAA Taekisa Hicks on her transfer to Stolen Property Inquiry Sect. We wish a happy & blessed retirement to SOM Robert Latuso. Good luck in your future endeavors. Kudos to AM Kasmira Fields on being awarded an educational scholarship. Shoot for the stars, Kaz! Congrats to AM Sindone on the birth of his daughter. We send our condolences to SOM Giuseppe Santaniello on the loss of his mother. It is with a heavy heart that we announce the death of SOM Salvatore Antonucci. Sal, thanks for your unwavering dedication to FSD. You will be missed, but never forgotten! Until next time, back each other up & stay safe out there. —PO Mikos/ DD Gorgia

arrest. Also to POs Sayago & Gonzalez on their Rob. Collar in transit. A job well done by PO Starace, who organized & threw an amazing Autism Awareness event in April. Finally, goodbye & best of luck to Sgts: Nunez-Cabrera, McCoy, & Burns as they move on from the 2-4. We will miss you all. Thanks for everything you did for the Pct. Keep safe, PO Scordo (U.S. Army), who is deploying overseas in May. Until next time, watch out for falling bricks outside of the cmd, but most importantly, take care of each other & be safe!  
—PO Michael Vollaro

## BROOKLYN

**75 PRECINCT** Greetings from East New York! We'd like to welcome our new Sgts Dresner, Kern, Santiago, Yu, Thomas, & Lopez. Welcome back to Sgt. Tiernan from his overseas deployment. We'd also like to welcome our 14 new PPOs newly assigned from the PA. We bid farewell to Sgt. Wischhusen, good luck at ESU K9. We remember the family of Patrolman Harold K. Randolph EOW 5-12-1951. Thank you to all our members for your continued support for the 75 Pct club & gym. Stay well & safe! —Sgt. John Mileski

**78 PRECINCT** Greetings from Park Slope! We welcome our newly promoted Sgts Barrett & Klenke to the 78. Additionally, we had a visit from the stork's nest! PO Guerrier gave birth to a boy named William, PO Cox gave birth to a girl named Avia, & PO Ward is a new father to a boy named James Joseph Jr. Congrats to all of you, we hope to see you soon! On his well-deserved retirement, we also say farewell to the 78 sqd. CO, Lt. Mercado. Thank you for your service! Finally, we wish the best of luck to PO Constantino on his transfer to SRG 3 & Sgt. Clarke on his transfer to School Safety Division's Investigation Unit.  
—PO Shanelle Rodrigues

**79 PRECINCT** Greetings from Bed-Stuy! I'd like to start by welcoming the newest members of the 79, POs: Abed, Benn, CorderoRubiano, CruzGonzalez, Juarez, Marra, Phillips, Singh, Sosa, VicenteAlmonte, Villa, & Weiss. We'd then like to extend a fond farewell to Sgt. Tracy (RMB) & PO Sam Sharman (121), good luck with your transfers. Next, we'd like to give a hearty sendoff to Det. Small and PO Francis, enjoy your retirements! Day tour will not be the same without you. Happy birthday to all of the celebrants in May/June. Our deepest sympathies go out to all those who lost their loved ones, you're in our prayers. The stork visited & left PO Budhram & his wife, a baby girl, "Jasmine," & PO Antoine & his wife, a baby girl, "Ivory". "Atta Boys" go to POs Becirovic and Todoroski for being Cops of the Month for April (pickup gun arrest), outstanding job; POs

Inoa & Dillion on their gun arrests, great work as always! Also big congratulations to PO Weiss for an outstanding first week making 2 collars, way to go! We'd also like to thank the 79 Club & PBA delegates for setting up the memorial event on April 2nd. Great job, Alex & Brian! Please follow the "79" on Twitter @NYPD79pct and on Facebook "NYPD 79th Precinct." Remember the immortal words of Theodore Roosevelt, "Do what you can with all you have, wherever you are." Please be safe & continue to back each other up. —PO Douglas L. Graham

**81 PRECINCT** Greetings from the 81Pct. Let's start out by wishing congrats to PO Stanford on her promotion to Sgt. Great job going out to the Cop of the Month for March: PO Ehren on his Burg. Collar & the Cop of the Month for April: PO Scalici on his CPW collar. Keep up the good work! This month is filled with "New Bundles!" New Baby Alert: Congrats to Sgt. Fink on the birth of his baby boy, Sgt. Rodriguez on the birth of his baby girl, Sgt. Clarke on the birth of his baby boy, PO Lutchan on the birth of his baby girl, & PO Veras on the birth of his baby girl. With every newborn baby, a little sun rises. That's all for now. "Challenge yourself with something you know you could never do, & what you'll find is, that you can overcome anything". —Author Unknown  
—PO Michele Joseph

## QUEENS

**105 PRECINCT** Greetings from the border! We recently mourned the 7th anniversary of Det. Brian Moore & the sudden passing of PAA Johnson. Although you're both no longer with us physically, we carry you in our hearts always. We'd like to welcome the 11 new POs, & PAA Smith to the 1-0-5! We wish you a safe & healthy career. CONGRATS to the newly promoted Det. Kissane, as well as the new parents, Det. Kissane & POs: Boystak, Stein, Renna, & Gaertner. We're happy to hear of the safe deliveries. "Atta Boys" to the recent Cops of the Month, POs: Duggin & Alfino for a GLA collar w/ the auto previously used in 2 nonfatal shootings, & POs: Crowe & Musayev for closing out GLA patterns. Kudos to POs: Brogan & Prasenski on a collar of a loaded ghost gun & then a month later another collar of a loaded gun; Dets: Vivar & Kissane on your awards from the Jamaica Rotary Club for excellent work; also Lt. Gulotta, Sgt. Roach, POs: Uzwy, Aufiero, & Devaney on the commercial rob. collar. Atta Girls to POs: Lodico & Oreckinto on the canvass & apprehension of 4 perps! Last but not least, congrats Det. Hespeler & PO Capozziello on making it to a sqd.! Great work brings great results. The 105 is busy, busy, busy! Please stay safe & always remember your location.  
—PO Jazzlyn Farrell

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## MANHATTAN

**10 PRECINCT** Greetings from Chelsea! The 10 Pct. would like to welcome 5 new POs along with Sgts O'Leary & Forsythe to our family. Congrats to Sgts Bonilla & Lefkowitz, & PO Fraser on their retirements! Well wishes to Lts. Ricupero, Hernandez, & Cameron & Sgt. Townsend on their recent transfers. A heartfelt congrats to the Sendrowski family as they welcome a healthy baby girl! Hats off to Det. Sendrowski on his recent promotion. Excellent work by PO D'Agostino who apprehended a package thief on his first day of patrol! As always, please stay safe, back each other up & sign out at the end of tour.  
—Sgt. Nicole DeMarino

**19 PRECINCT** Greetings from the UES! We welcome newly graduated PPO Maria Abdalkwy from the PA. We welcome back POs Kissoon & Hall from extended Military Leave. Congrats to Anthony Nuccio on his long deserved promotion to Det. & Gina Moore on her promotion to Admin. Mgr. & wish her luck in her new position downtown. We say farewell & good luck to Sgt. Chris Krutzler who leaves us for RMB & PO Wellington Martinez who leaves us for the Boro. We wish the best of luck to POs Christopher Peroni & Jessica Figueroa who vested out. Great collars made by Sgt. Hossain

& PO Campos for Rob. & Asslt. on PO, closing a city wide rob. pattern; Sgt. Krutzler & PO Prieto catching a cell phone thief, after a quick pursuit due to Sgt. Krutzler's running ability; Lt. Chan & PO Prieto for another cell phone perp, which closed out an earlier Rob.; POs Andrade & Haigh for closing out a GL pattern at Sephora; & POs Jeanmarie & Sierra for collaring a repeat pattern Burg. Congrats to our Auxiliaries on their promotions: Bridie O'Reilly to Aux. Insp., & both Julian Constatine & Ronald Sussman to Aux. Sgt. Until next time stay safe. C U on the UES!  
—Sgt. Patrick Ross

**24 PRECINCT** Greetings all. We begin with offering our condolences to the family of PO Jones, who lost his father in March. We welcome to the 2-4 our newly promoted supervisors: Sgts. Hassel & Vazquez, as well as our 7 new rookies who graduated from the PA in April. Noteworthy police work in the months of Mar./Apr. included an all-around group effort by NCOs (PO Melendez & PO McCloud) & 4x patrol officers, who apprehended a gun-toting suspect in broad daylight. Excellent job by POs Blease & Kite, Olson & Trupiano on their pick-up package theft arrests. PO Melendez even closed out a package theft burg. Pattern with another nice arrest. Great jobs by our public safety team (PO Bodner, Sgt. Pappagallo, & company on their Rob.

## HOUSING BUREAU

**PSA 3** The summer heat is nearing & allergies are in full effect. One thing PSA 3 is definitely not allergic to is outstanding police work. Congrats to our Neighborhood Safety Team for their amazing work in scooping multiple firearms in short periods. A round of applause to our April Cop of the Month, PO Denton for his extraordinary firearm arrest. Awesome work, everyone! Let's welcome aboard Lt. Demonda & Sgt. Nestan. We look forward to working with you both. Congrats to POs Thomas & Bogdanowicz on their retirements, wishing both of you the best in your retirement years. On a bittersweet note, I'm announcing my own retirement scheduled for June 30th. It has been an absolute privilege to serve my city & its residents. Thank you to all those who have helped me along my amazing career. This has been an experience like no other & there is nothing different I would have done; No regrets. I wish you all safety & will keep you in my prayers. "I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will never forget how you made them feel." – Maya Angelou. "Anyone can hold the helm when the sea is calm." – Pubilius Syrus. Keep our military & fellow LEO's in your prayers. Stay safe & as always, back each other up. –Det. Eusebi

## TRANSIT BUREAU

**TRANSIT BUREAU HEADQUARTERS**  
Hello again from Livingston St.! We've got a lot of catching up to do, so let's get cracking. First off, after a 37-yr. career he describes as a "wild ride," we bid a fond farewell to Asst. Chief Gerald Dieckmann. It was a proper send-off filled with family, friends, & colleagues. We wish him a long & prosperous retirement. With the void left behind by the big guy's departure, we had to fill it with several new friendly faces, so let's welcome Sgt. Sabrina Frias (Budget), Sgt. Chris Mahady (TBIU), Sgt. Thomas Reeder (TBIU), Civ. Mgr. Elaine Davis, & PO Katherine Abreu (Exec. Office). We also gathered recently in the Bronx to celebrate the retirement of Chief Vinnie Coogan. Delicious food, an impromptu roast, & a quasi-reunion, the event was a good time had by all. With both XOs having recently departed, we saw Chief Bastedenbeck & Insp. Ponella ascend to the role of XO of our Bureau. Congrats to both & see you again next time!  
–Sgt. Kwan

**TRANSIT BUREAU CITYWIDE VANDALS T/F** Greetings to all from Graffiti Central. We're continuing our mission of combatting graffiti & helping to achieve a better quality of life for the residents of

this great city. Congrats to PO Goldman on your retirement, thank you for your 22 yrs. of selfless service to NYC. We wish you a long, healthy & happy retirement. Congrats to POs Banach & Alava for receiving the "Cop of the Month" awards for March & April. Congrats to PO Hernandez on the birth of his daughter, Briezie. Until next time, be well, be safe, arrive alive, & wear those vests!  
–PO Wahl

**TRANSIT MANHATTAN T/F** Greetings from Transit Manhattan T/F at Times Square. Let's remain vigilant & keep up the good work being done here. Great job by POs Redzic & Alvarado in assisting & preventing a suicidal emotional disturbed person, during a Facebook Livestream, with the coordination of the NYPD SMART Unit, & Midtown South Times Square Unit. Happy Birthday to all celebrating in May & June. The J.R.T. Unit is in full swing. Kudos to Lt. Jeremiah & Sgt. Cordero who are leading the charge in helping the most vulnerable community within our subway system, in collaboration with the Dept. of Homeless Service & Department of Health personnel. For the POs who are taking the sgt. exam, let's remain diligent with the studying. Spring season is in full force, let's get those tissues ready as allergy season is right around the corner. Let's wish PO Guardi a speedy recovery from his LOD injury involving a firearm arrest. As COVID cases have fallen, we remind you that it is still a threat, we lost a lot of good men & women to this virus. Until next time, let's stay safe, & look out for each other.  
–Sgt. Wen Jie Zheng

**DISTRICT 11** "WE MUST ACCEPT FINITE DISAPPOINTMENT BUT NEVER LOSE INFINITE HOPE." Greetings from the "The Dug Out!" On behalf of the cmd, we welcome XO Twyman, Sgts: Bonilla & Shah, & POs: Padilla & Alfaro. We wish XO Rivera a good journey at her new cmd it was a pleasure having you at ours. We also wish POs: Cohen & Espinal good luck at their new cmds. Baby news has arrived, so congrats to POs: Frascatore & Kabir as well as their families. A big shout out to PO Ciampa who has retired, you'll truly be missed. Goodbye to POs: Salas & Wager, we wish you luck in your new endeavors. A great job to POs: Infante, Halliday, & Benedith on affecting an arrest for a slashing that occurred at their post. We need to stay extra vigilant, alert to your surroundings & focus on any potential threats to your safety. Until next time please be safe, wear your vest, buckle up, & arrive alive!  
–PO Norma Vargas-Benitez

**DISTRICT 12** Greetings from TD 12! All the best to our XO, Capt. Echavarria, who moved on to another assignment. Farewell to our retired friends, Sgt.

Aviles, & POs: Polanco, Germosen, & Sugrim. Enjoy your retirement. Let's welcome Lt. Torrissi, & Sgts: Longe & Saxton. Nice to have you with us. An awesome job by PO Perez on his gun collar. Great work by NCO Charlie Officers: Minott & Thomas-Martinez, within days of reading reports of gun point robberies at Whitlock Ave. Both officers developed intel, & apprehended the perp. Congrats to POs: Watson, Saha, Almonte, & Mamun on the arrival of your beautiful babies. A warm welcome to POs McCormack & Cowan, good to have you guys back. TD12 keep pushing ahead & strive to do your best! Stay safe & stay healthy!  
–Sgt. Rodriguez

**DISTRICT 23** Greetings from the Rock! Let us start by giving a warm "TD23" welcome to Sgt. Lopez & Det. Cox. Welcome to the wonderful "23 House." A big shout out & good luck to PO Jimenez on his new assignment (NYC Court Officers) & PO Dibona on his new assignment (Florida P.D.). You two will be missed! Let's give a big shout out and standing ovation to all of the TD23 UMOS that are retiring. Sgts Abrams & Schachtel, POs: Ticas, Zeiders, Zimmerly, Malloy, Maher, Milien, Martin, Rodriguez, Dinunno, Cardona, & Cowans. Thank you for your 20 years (some with 20 plus years) of dedicated service to the department. It was such a pleasure working with all of you. The command won't be the same without you guys. TD23 wishes you all a very long, happy & healthy retirement. You'll be greatly missed! Please stay in touch. Great job to PO Jacinto for being cop of the month. Keep up the good work! Well, that's all folks! Until next time ... STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY, AND STAND CLEAR OF THE CLOSING DOORS.  
–PO Nakiya Cowans

**TRANSIT KINGS TASK FORCE** Hello from the guardians of the hole. First & foremost, we'd like to welcome Capt. Tin Mai & her Subway Safety T/F to the cmd. Also joining SSTF will be TPF (aka late night train patrol) welcome to our cmd. Continued get well wishes for POs: Karla Vega & Pete Olivo, who are still out. Our heartfelt condolences to the following POs on the loss of their loved ones, Robert Barker (aunt), Travis Warfield (grandmother), & Lener Morales (brother-in-law). Congrats to PO Janphen Luo on the birth of his daughter; mom, & child are all doing well. Congrats to PO Mike Salas on his Cop of the Month honors for Feb. Great work, fellas. Kudos to PO Jose Rodriguez on his Crim. Mis. (making graffiti) collar. Also to PO Dennis Hoe of SSTF on his G/L collar, keep up the good work, guys. Unfortunately we lost a couple guys to transfers: Sgt. Wiss Emile (FTU) & POs: Travis Warfield & Sunny Parmar (TPF). Good luck, guys. I can't stress it enough, if you need someone

to talk to, make the call 1-888-267-7267 (P.O.P.P.A.). They are there to help & totally confidential!!!! For the cops, by the cops!! Stay safe, arrive alive, & wear your seatbelt!!! Til the next time.  
–PO Richard A. Quinland

## OTHER COMMANDS

**AVIATION UNIT** Greetings from Floyd Bennett Field. Excellent job by the crew of ASR 22 (Det. Maher, Sgt. Wolf, & POs: Allard, Johnson, & Jonas) who rescued a male from a sinking boat in the v/o New Rochelle. Congrats to PO Dimpflmaier on his B412 PIC check out & to Det. Mareddello on his promotion to 2nd Grade. Remember, if you need us, call us!  
–Det. Randazzo

**CENTRAL RECORDS DIVISION** Welcome to spring from the CRD team. Birthday greetings to all Taurus', Gemini's, Cancer's, & Leos. We'd like to congratulate Arlene Morales & Gina Moore on their promotions & assignments to Adm. Mgr. of I.D. Sect. & CRS, respectively. Also, join us in congratulating Joanne Vazquez on her upgrade to Adm. Mgr. Level II & official designation as the P.A.M. of SSB. Welcome aboard Sgt. Thomas Colabella & PrAA Eureka Jones. Congrats & welcome aboard to all our newly hired FPT-Ts Keith Harris, Fantasia Robinson, Khadijah Barnett, Stephen Simon, Steven Criscola, Jaime Jordan, & Rawfur Rahman. Congrats to PAA Yolanda Mitchell-Washington on your retirement. Farewell AFPT Alexis Herrin & best of luck to FPT-Ts Adeyinka Kingston, Yosveli Veras, Doris Miranda & Christina Cruz, our latest PO Cds, AFPT Teliya Oakes for School Safety, & FPT-T Nailah Dixon for PAA. You'll be missed. Until next time, remember "May the flowers remind us why the rain is necessary."  
–PRFPT Simone Samuel

## FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

**BROOKLYN/QUEENS HOLY NAME SOCIETY** Memorial Day is upon us & that makes most people think of summer, the good weather & vacations. This is a good thing, but don't forget that Memorial Day is to remember those service members who gave their life to keep us free. The Communion Breakfast was a great success. Congrats to all of the honorees & thank you to all who attended. Please keep posted re: General info & events by going to BQHolyName.org. The June BBQ is always well attended & a fun event additionally plan to join us at the Annual Golf Outing in October. Be there for one another. Stay safe & stay well.  
–Paul R. Hargrove



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## IN SERVICE

### DETECTIVE

Brenton O. Cole, 83 Pct., 12/07/21.....01/09/06 to 12/07/21

### POLICE OFFICER

Eduardo H. Aviles, PBBK No. – Evidence Collection Team,  
09/07/21.....07/01/03 to 09/07/21

Christopher S. Tsoi, Transit District 20, 11/15/21.....07/11/12 to 11/15/21

### NON-COMPETITIVE CRIMINALIST – LEVEL III

Melissa A. Zaugg, Police Lab, 08/31/21.....02/17/04 to 08/31/21

### POLICE ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE

Fern H. Wachtel, Transit District 3, 11/25/21.....07/25/05 to 11/25/21

## RETIRED

### CAPTAIN

William G. Ryan, 46 Pct., 05/23/21.....07/15/86 to 02/15/07

Harold J. Wischerth, Det. Boro Man. So.,  
05/15/21.....06/01/53 to 09/13/87

### INSPECTOR

Joseph J. Schutta, Det. Boro Man. So., 05/15/21.....06/01/53 to 09/13/87

### LIEUTENANT

John T. Conroy, 102 Pct., 05/25/21.....03/30/65 to 07/11/94

Michael J. Doyle, 106 Pct., 06/09/21.....11/01/55 to 10/20/83

Carl M. Jones, “Old” Court Div., 04/19/21.....09/18/56 to 04/17/78

Gregory L. Makolin, 90 Pct., 05/08/21.....05/17/71 to 03/21/96

Howard S. Steward, 105 Pct., 04/03/21.....10/01/52 to 06/24/76

### SERGEANT SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT

Cornelious Blackshear, DC Dept. Advocate,  
06/10/21.....02/16/62 to 10/16/79

### SERGEANT SUPERVISOR DETECTIVE SQUAD

Michael Flores, Photo Unit, 05/31/21.....11/01/55 to 11/07/90

### SERGEANT

Angelo R. Benedetto, 110 Pct., 04/15/21.....02/16/62 to 07/02/82

Roy L. Coleman, “Old” Field Training Unit 10,  
04/15/21.....02/15/65 to 12/14/85

Edward J. Condolff, 104 Pct., 04/16/21.....03/05/48 to 01/04/84

William J. Esposito, 6 Pct., 05/03/21.....04/01/60 to 02/26/81

Donald K. Gervasi, Chief of Dept. Office, 05/15/21.....08/01/66 to 04/30/90

Charles R. Howley, 47 Pct., 06/02/21.....02/15/63 to 01/12/89

Robert J. Mulligan, 110 Pct., 06/10/21.....08/01/66 to 11/30/87

John Mills, TD 3, 05/08/21.....10/15/90 to 11/01/10

Wilson Padilla, “Old” PBQS T/F, 05/15/21.....06/26/63 to 06/19/94

Stephen J. Peters, 41 Pct., 04/19/21.....10/24/56 to 03/11/80

Thomas M. Pirrello, “Old” Narc. Div., 05/18/21.....02/20/56 to 07/13/85

Anthonmy L. Ring, 52 Pct., 04/26/21.....06/30/69 to 07/20/90

William G. Ryan, 46 Pct., 05/21/21.....02/01/55 to 07/31/83

Edward F. Virgilio, PBQN, 08/23/21.....06/29/61 to 07/01/95

Dana Weekes, Central Park Pct., 06/02/21.....11/07/79 to 02/01/00

Anton P. Willert, PBBK, 06/04/21.....11/02/61 to 03/18/95

## DETECTIVE SECOND GRADE

John Borrás, 52 Det. Squad, 04/26/21.....06/26/63 to 07/05/88

Edmund T. Carroll, 103 Pct., 05/17/21.....02/20/56 to 08/06/76

Paul Chu, Dept. Of Invest. Sqd., 05/25/21.....12/11/64 to 09/01/98

Thomas J. Finan, “Old” Pickpocket & Confidence Sqd.,  
05/29/21.....01/17/64 to 09/01/89

Dennis M. Leonard, Dept. Of Invest. Sqd., 05/05/21.....06/20/66 to 05/07/88

Howard S. Simon, Qns SVU Sqd., 04/22/21.....10/25/68 to 07/05/89

Luis A. Vega, 13 Det. Sqd., 05/15/21.....07/09/65 to 02/16/95

## DETECTIVE FIRST GRADE

Fred P. Boy, Det. Boro Man. So. Homicide Sqd.,  
05/20/21.....10/03/51 to 07/17/85

Vincent J. Murano, IAB, 04/22/21.....09/10/65 to 07/23/86

## DETECTIVE

Victor G. Altieri, 44 Pct., 04/14/21.....01/01/55 to 09/04/76

James P. Banks, Qns Rob. Sqd., 05/30/21.....03/01/67 to 09/07/87

James G. Becker, Warrant Sect., 05/13/21.....07/16/84 to 07/25/04

Marc Brown, Crime Scene Unit, 06/03/21.....01/20/87 to 02/01/18

Michael R. Brucella, 28 Det. Sqd., 04/30/21.....02/01/55 to 06/25/76

Joseph J. Cardone, Arson & Explosion, 05/25/2021.....12/01/69 to 07/23/86

Larry C. Cleaton, Det., Boro Bx., 04/30/21.....01/21/85 to 04/06/03

John H. Cunningham, 40 Det. Sqd., 06/06/21.....12/20/65 to 10/13/86

Peter F. Damm, ESS 10, 04/22/21.....11/17/58 to 10/16/79

Michael J. Dye, 19 Det. Sqd., 04/16/21.....07/16/99 to 09/04/19

James J. Finn, 41 Pct., 04/18/21.....06/28/57 to 05/15/78

Charles W. Gruenfelder, 28 Pct., 05/17/21.....10/24/69 to 02/23/77

Richard F. Guidotti, D.A. Sqd. Bx, 06/01/21.....04/17/64 to 07/23/85

Patricia E. Kelly, Midtown No. Det. Sqd., 05/11/21.....07/15/86 to 07/15/06

Adolfo C. Mandich, 77 Pct., 05/20/21.....04/30/65 to 01/31/83

Edward J. Miller, 47 Det. Sqd., 08/24/21.....01/17/64 to 01/23/84

Richard Morrill, 1 Det. Sqd., 04/19/21.....10/24/69 to 11/12/86

Peter G. Morton, Legal Bureau, 05/11/21.....06/20/66 to 12/31/85

John A. O’Leary, HQ Security Unit, 06/05/21.....01/30/95 to 05/24/15

Charles P. Priestler, Det. Bureau Qns. No., 04/18/21.....03/14/69 to 07/31/86

Russell Purdy, 52 Det. Sqd. 10, 04/25/21.....11/17/58 to 10/16/79

Harvey Schlossberg, Med. Div., 05/21/21.....11/17/58 to 03/28/78

Edward A. Samuelsen, 67 Det. Sqd., 04/25/21.....10/01/53 to 06/02/86

Jack Singer, 69 Det. Sqd., 04/22/21.....12/03/57 to 10/03/79

## POLICE OFFICER SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT

James J. Hines, Citywide Traffic T/F, 06/02/21.....11/07/64 to 01/18/84

## POLICE OFFICER

Angelo Baez, 17 Pct., 04/17/21.....10/15/90 to 10/15/10

Rosemary P. Baker, Qns Court Sect., 05/01/21.....01/26/81 to 12/31/95

Richard J. Barbuto, 102 Pct., 05/12/21.....08/31/73 to 09/12/93

Chanda D. Barnes, Qns Court Sect., 04/25/21.....04/30/91 to 06/01/11

Elaine J. Bershaw, 50 Pct., 05/09/21.....12/19/60 to 06/14/78

Joseph F. Calandrino, 102 Pct., 04/20/21.....06/16/53 to 03/31/80

James J. Cassano, 112 Pct., 04/22/21.....09/11/59 to 10/04/79

Carmine Cercicola, 60 Pct., 06/08/21.....06/07/68 to 02/13/75

Edward J. Creen, ESS 6, 04/28/21.....04/03/68 to 07/08/90

Michael C. Cseh, 67 Pct., 05/20/21.....03/01/67 to 04/06/87

IN MEMORIAM

Kevin P. Cunningham, Building Maint. Sect.,  
04/25/21 ..... 10/02/64 to 04/01/90  
 Richard J. Devito, PA, 04/28/21..... 09/26/66 to 09/30/86  
 Gabriel J. Dillon, 114 Pct.05/14/21 ..... 10/03/51 to 05/24/76  
 Henry P. Donnelly, Midtown No. Pct., 05/06/21.....06/30/69 to 10/10/80  
 Michael D. Douglas, 88 Pct., 06/04/21 ..... 07/01/70 to 03/31/78  
 Ernest N. Fleming, 42 Pct., 05/19/21 .....06/29/61 to 07/06/81  
 Maria D. Gonzalez, DC Dept. Advocate, 10/25/21 ..... 01/20/04 to 03/17/17  
 Rhonda Hines, Housing Boro BK, 06/11/21..... 08/30/93 to 04/30/07  
 Robert J. Hoffstaetter, 111 Pct., 05/03/21..... 10/01/69 to 09/30/86  
 Raymond G. Kinahan, 108 Pct., 04/18/21 ..... 12/11/64 to 09/25/81  
 Jules Kutis, 52 Pct., 06/07/21 .....05/16/69 to 08/01/90  
 Anthony S. Lagala, 17 Pct., 05/05/21 ..... 01/21/85 to 11/29/18  
 Thomas P. Lally, Med. Div., 04/27/21..... 10/01/62 to 10/23/87  
 William J. Lodico, 123 Pct., 05/09/21 ..... 12/20/65 to 07/04/86  
 Lance H. Long, Prop. Clerk Div., 05/12/21 ..... 03/26/73 to 06/01/01  
 Henry N. Lowenhaupt, ID Sect., 05/05/21 ..... 09/10/65 to 06/10/81  
 William Macintosh, Central Park Pct., 81/08/21 ..... 04/11/60 to 07/09/80  
 Thomas J. Marrinan, TD 30, 06/07/21 .....06/30/92 to 07/01/12  
 Richard H. Maurer, 114 Pct., 04/20/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 11/13/77  
 Joseph C. Mehling, 94 Pct., 05/10/21 ..... 04/17/64 to 08/09/82  
 Kevin J. Moynihan, 52 Pct., 05/28/21 ..... 05/15/69 to 09/30/87  
 Edwin E. Negroon, Citywide Traffic T/F, 05/06/21 .....07/15/86 to 07/30/06  
 Norbert K. Noe, Hwy Unit 1, 05/09/21 .....07/25/83 to 03/01/02  
 John G. Paglia, 6 Pct., 04/08/21.....06/28/57 to 07/02/77  
 John Papenmeyer, Barrier Sect., 04/27/21..... 02/09/68 to 07/09/83  
 Donald D. Persyn, Medal Div., 04/25/21..... 02/09/68 to 05/11/83  
 Robert S. Pytel, 105 Pct., 05/25/21..... 01/17/64 to 09/26/87  
 Henry R. Richardson, 20 Pct., 05/14/21..... 07/09/65 to 10/13/78  
 Peter J. Rocco, Comm. Sect., 05/02/21.....06/30/69 to 07/11/89  
 Steven L. Rodriguez, Hwy Unit 3, 06/09/21 ..... 07/16/84 to 12/31/01  
 John J. Russell, Med. Div., 04/18/21 ..... 12/11/62 to 08/17/83  
 James J. Ryan, 94 Pct., 05/06/21 ..... 07/01/55 to 07/16/82  
 John T. Schroeder, Midtown So. Pct., 04/16/21 ..... 01/17/64 to 07/22/90  
 Scott A. Sepe, 47 Pct., 06/08/21 ..... 10/15/90 to 12/31/00  
 Frank A. Soviero, "Old" PBBK No. T/F, 05/05/21 .....04/17/64 to 05/29/86  
 Kenneth J. Stevenson, BX Court Sect., 04/07/2021..... 06/30/69 to 07/04/89  
 Danie J. Sullivan, Med. Div., 04/21/21 ..... 10/25/68 to 07/31/87  
 Raymond J. Tierney, Patrol Services Bureau,  
06/03/21 .....06/03/54 to 07/31/84  
 Leonarde Torres, BK Court Sect., 04/26/21..... 01/26/81 to 01/27/01  
 Stanley J. Tracey, Prop. Clerk Div., 05/12/21 .....02/20/56 to 10/23/79  
 George E. Trimarche, 72 Pct., 04/17/21 .....06/07/68 to 06/27/79  
 Wayne A. Vahldieck, Prop. Clerk Div., 05/19/21..... 02/03/69 to 08/11/80  
 Alvan M. Vanger, Med. Div., 05/22/21 .....04/27/62 to 08/26/91  
 Thomas A. Velotti, Hwy Unit 1, 06/02/21..... 01/01/55 to 07/21/95  
 Edward A. Wiacek, 103 Pct., 04/18/21..... 11/17/58 to 04/07/74  
 Daniel C. Wiegand, Police Pension Fund, 04/26/21 ..... 03/16/57 to 07/02/82  
 John A. Williams, Midtown No. Pct., 04/14/21..... 03/01/67 to 08/26/77  
 Seymour Winick, 20 Pct., 06/05/21 ..... 01/01/53 to 10/04/80  
 Richard J. Young, 17 Pct., 04/29/21..... 09/26/66 to 09/30/81

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## IN SERVICE

### SERGEANT

Matthew E. Soblick, 102 Pct., 01/11/22 .....07/08/08 to 01/11/22

### DETECTIVE SECOND GRADE

Chenet Gedeon, IAB, 02/02/22 .....07/01/03 to 02/02/22

### DETECTIVE FIRST GRADE

Wilbert D. Mora, 32 Pct., 01/25/22 ..... 10/24/18 to 01/25/22

Jason Rivera, 32 Pct., 01/21/22 ..... 11/02/20 to 01/21/22

### DETECTIVE INVESTIGATOR

Eric P. Rivera, Warrant Sect., 01/20/22.....07/01/02 to 01/20/22

### POLICE OFFICER

Don W. Greenly, Midtown No. Pct., 01/31/22 ..... 07/06/10 to 01/31/22

Daniel J. Sanchez, Hwy Unit 5, 01/19/22 ..... 01/10/07 to 01/19/22

Leonard J. Swanson, 30 Pct., 02/05/22.....07/01/02 to 02/05/22

### SENIOR POLICE ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE

Theresa Murchison, LSSD Electronics Sect.,  
01/19/22 .....06/26/92 to 01/19/22

### SCHOOL SAFETY AGENT

Mye D. Johnson, 79 School Safety Unit,  
12/23/21 ..... 06/30/17 to 12/23/21

Sheneeqwa T. Wharton, 26 School Safety Unit,  
01/14/22 ..... 01/22/07 to 01/14/22

Anthony C. Yearwood, Patrol Qns So./School Safety,  
02/02/22 ..... 07/03/88 to 02/02/22

### SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOL SECURITY

Alexander W.Levy, PBBX/School Safety, 01/05/22 .....07/18/05 to 01/05/22

### DIRECTOR

Danita P. McGruder, Staffing Administration Sect.,  
01/08/22 ..... 05/03/21 to 01/08/22

## RETIRED

### CAPTAIN

Edward J. Oleksiak, "Old" PBQ, 06/14/21 .....06/01/51 to 10/26/77

### DEPUTY INSPECTOR

Anthony P. Lamattina, PBBN, 06/28/21 .....06/01/54 to 12/31/91

### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

William E. Perry, CAB, 06/14/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 02/12/84

### DEPUTY CHIEF

Robert J. Baumert, "Old" OCCB, 06/29/21 .....10/24/56 to 02/01/98

### LIEUTENANT

Albert S. Becker, 63 Pct.,06/30/21..... 10/01/52 to 07/31/84

James D. Laverty, 47 Pct., 06/16/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 07/02/88

James P. Malvey, 44 Det. Sqd., 08/25/21 .....02/15/65 to 05/19/95

### SERGEANT SUPERVISOR DETECTIVE SQUAD

Cornelius J. Douglas, Warrant Sect., 06/24/21 .....01/20/87 to 05/29/21

Diane Contreras, Drug Enforcement T/F, 07/02/21 ..... 09/05/80 to 08/25/05  
 Mark R. Pouria, 75 Det. Sqd., 01/19/22 ..... 07/25/83 to 05/26/06

**SERGEANT**

Glen M. Anderson, Drug Enforcement T/F, 08/05/21 .... 07/16/84 to 09/01/10  
 Nicholas J. Buro, Aviation Unit, 06/16/21 ..... 11/01/55 to 05/17/84  
 Saverio Fanelli, PSA 7, 07/05/21 ..... 07/01/98 to 12/01/10  
 Steven L. Farrall, 75 Pct., 07/04/21 ..... 07/01/98 to 08/01/18  
 Kenneth J. Frawley, "Old" BK No. Narc. District,  
 06/29/21 ..... 09/26/99 to 07/15/89  
 Frank M. Haney, 24 Pct., 07/03/21 ..... 10/24/69 to 01/01/90  
 Marie L. Murcia, PBBK So. Homicide Sqd., 08/08/21.. 09/26/66 to 09/29/86  
 Carlos Ortiz, D.A.'s Sqd. N.Y County, 06/19/21 ..... 01/17/69 to 06/16/90  
 Raymond J. Pucci, 61 Pct., 06/18/21 ..... 01/01/55 to 07/24/85  
 James A. Scaringe, Crime Scene Unit., 08/09/21 ..... 10/01/53 to 02/23/79  
 Carmine C. Uvino, 26 Pct., 08/11/21 ..... 10/14/63 to 08/03/80  
 Walter F. Walden, 109 Pct., 06/29/21 ..... 02/01/55 to 07/02/82

**DETECTIVE SECOND GRADE**

Richard G. Paul, 43 Det. Sqd., 06/21/21 ..... 01/17/64 to 08/10/82  
 Angelo J. Viola, Det. Boro BK So. T/F, 06/17/21 ..... 07/06/56 to 12/21/80

**DETECTIVE INVESTIGATOR**

Roland A. Gray, Arson & Explosion, 06/22/21 ..... 10/15/90 to 02/01/11  
 Samuel Ramirez, "Old" Queens Career Criminal Invest. Unit,  
 07/05/21 ..... 06/01/70 to 12/31/93

**DETECTIVE**

William Jordan , "Old" Narc. Div.- No. Man. Initiative,  
 04/10/20 ..... 01/29/82 to 02/09/02  
 Christopher R. Kearns, 48 Det. Sqd., 08/07/21 ..... 09/11/59 to 07/06/88  
 Richard N. Lee, Det. Boro BK So. Homicide Sqd.,  
 08/01/21 ..... 07/01/55 to 01/12/92  
 Brian F. Mulheren, Chief Prevention Div., 08/08/21 .... 12/02/68 to 09/01/96  
 Robert C. Petersen, 106 Det. Sqd., 06/16/21 ..... 09/26/66 to 10/19/86  
 William M. Schachtel, Crime Scene Unit., 06/15/21 ..... 03/01/67 to 07/01/88  
 George W. Thomson, 44 Pct., 03/28/20 ..... 07/01/55 to 11/26/95

**POLICE OFFICER**

Michael E. Barnes, 49 Pct., 06/19/21 ..... 08/30/93 to 10/01/13  
 Nicholas A. Borghetti, Warrant Sect., 06/16/21 ..... 07/01/68 to 05/31/81  
 John J. Burke, 43 Pct., 06/27/21 ..... 10/09/61 to 03/31/78  
 Leonardo Caputo, "Old" MS Anti-Crime Unit.,  
 07/01/21 ..... 02/28/94 to 06/01/13  
 Philip P. Caruso, Midtown No. Pct., 08/08/21 ..... 11/17/58 to 07/29/95  
 Charles J. Conolly, 107 Pct., 04/09/20 ..... 04/11/60 to 10/26/82  
 Donald R. Corpening, FID., 05/19/21 ..... 03/25/74 to 07/31/85  
 Daniel Cintron, "Old" PBBX T/F, 06/19/21 ..... 10/29/73 to 10/30/93  
 Richard J. Dandurand, ESS1, 06/18/21 ..... 03/14/69 to 01/17/90  
 Gerald Diangelo, "Old" Court Div., 07/03/21 ..... 07/01/68 to 02/28/83  
 Willam Duhamel, "Old" Court Div., 06/23/21 ..... 09/26/66 to 03/28/82  
 John H. Ford, Midtown No. Pct., 06/16/21 ..... 06/20/66 to 08/20/90  
 John F. Gawley, 104 Pct., 06/24/21 ..... 12/11/62 to 07/08/83  
 Walter L. Gay, Medical Div., 08/08/21 ..... 03/01/67 to 09/30/81  
 Howard A. Graves, 72 Pct., 08/27/21 ..... 10/29/73 to 10/30/93  
 John J. Haverlin, Hwy District., 06/16/21 ..... 10/01/62 to 10/03/82  
 John J. Hegarty, Barrier Sect., 02/03/21 ..... 06/01/53 to 12/31/77

Martin J. Higgins, Hwy District, 08/04/21 ..... 03/16/57 to 07/25/81  
 Stanley F. Jaworski, ID Sect., 12/20/20 ..... 02/15/65 to 04/08/80  
 Richard F. Kearney, 107 Pct., 06/24/21 ..... 01/20/87 to 04/01/07  
 John A. Kelly, 113 Pct., 06/21/21 ..... 06/26/63 to 08/28/83  
 John A. King, PB Man. So., 06/13/21 ..... 09/29/00 to 01/26/11  
 Richard L. Kizer, Quartermaster Sect., 06/26/21 ..... 11/02/61 to 07/04/82  
 Joseph A. Konefal, 20 Pct., 06/17/21 ..... 04/11/60 to 07/06/82  
 John J. Kwasnik, Comm. Div., 07/01/21 ..... 02/15/63 to 07/04/83  
 Joseph P. Landy, 113 Pct., 07/16/21 ..... 04/27/62 to 08/23/82  
 Thomas A. Lecaros, 13 Pct., 06/30/21 ..... 09/01/93 to 09/01/15  
 Philip R. Mahlke, "Old" MISD, 08/18/21 ..... 04/30/65 to 12/31/78  
 James E. Marra, 05/24/20 ..... 01/01/53 to 04/04/72  
 Robert J. McCarthy, 123 Pct., 08/16/21 ..... 01/01/55 to 10/17/75  
 Nolan Miura, TD11, 07/03/21 ..... 01/09/86 to 03/01/03  
 Ronald A. Muller, Movie & TV. Unit., 08/05/21 ..... 06/20/66 to 11/30/82  
 Edward F. Mungiguerra, 109 Pct., 12/02/20 ..... 03/01/52 to 04/16/73  
 Walter T. Mylett, 110 Pct., 05/16/20 ..... 09/01/54 to 08/31/76  
 Edwin Negrycz, Fleet Services Div., 06/20/21 ..... 06/28/57 to 08/01/90  
 Thomas M. O'Reilly, Crime Prevention Div., 06/17/21 ..... 01/26/82 to 04/25/02  
 Orfeo P. Perdoncin, 48 Pct., 07/07/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 07/07/79  
 Charles A. Peters, "Old" Special Operation Div.,  
 06/16/21 ..... 10/16/51 to 12/31/86  
 Kenneth J. Peterson, 7 Pct., 11/19/20 ..... 04/30/65 to 07/01/82  
 William T. Scheiner, "Old" Personnel & Admin. Services Bureau,  
 07/16/21 ..... 01/01/53 to 01/03/73  
 Kenneth G. Stanger, 113 Pct., 07/03/21 ..... 01/17/64 to 04/27/82  
 Iraina R. Stone , 26 Pct., 06/13/21 ..... 09/29/00 to 01/26/11  
 Alphonsus T. Sullivan, 123 Pct., 06/30/21 ..... 10/01/62 to 04/04/84  
 Paul T. Raggi , Property Clerk Div., 08/07/21 ..... 02/28/94 to 04/01/14  
 Daniel A. Thompson, Midtown No. Pct., 06/22/21 ..... 06/25/73 to 06/26/99  
 Stanley J. Vlack, 61Pct., 06/28/21 ..... 02/16/62 to 07/02/82  
 Hilliard Washington, TD32, 07/03/21 ..... 07/28/83 to 08/01/01  
 Myron Weiner, 81 Pct., 12/28/20 ..... 11/17/58 to 11/17/78  
 Anthony F. Zappia, 123 Pct., 07/06/21 ..... 02/09/68 to 07/03/88

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**IN SERVICE**

**DETECTIVE**

Anthony J. Mazza, ESS 7, 02/23/22 ..... 08/31/98 to 02/23/22

**POLICE OFFICER**

David A. Mathura, Firearms & Tactics Sect.,  
 03/06/22 ..... 07/10/06 to 03/06/22

**ASSOCIATE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT AGENT – LEVEL I**

Valerie Foster, Man. No. Traffic Enforcement Unit,  
 04/01/22 ..... 09/03/85 to 04/01/22

**NON-COMPETITIVE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD**

Eliria Hernadez, 60 Pct., 02/23/22 ..... 06/12/09 to 02/23/22

IN MEMORIAM

**POLICE ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE**

Stephanie Johnson, 105 Pct., 04/07/22 ..... 12/09/14 to 04/07/22  
Donna M. Love, 40 Pct., 02/23/22 ..... 10/16/06 to 02/23/22

**PROVISIONAL ASSOCIATE INVESTIGATOR – LEVEL I**

Marc M. Curatola, Candidate Assessment Div.,  
03/31/22 ..... 05/20/13 to 03/31/13

**PROVISIONAL SUPERVISOR OF MECHANICS – LEVEL I**

Salvatore V. Antonucci, Fleet Services Division,  
03/04/22 ..... 04/20/04 to 03/04/22

**SENIOR POLICE ADMINISTRATIVE AIDE**

Angela M. Isernia, 03/26/22 ..... 07/10/00 to 03/26/21

**SCHOOL SAFETY AGENT**

Debra A. Williams, PB Qns. So., 02/22/22 ..... 09/24/01 to 02/22/22

**RETIRED**

**INSPECTOR**

Fred L. Auriana, Housing Boro BX/Qns.,  
07/20/21 ..... 03/21/66 to 10/01/97  
Kevin F. Gilmartin, IAB, 09/26/21 ..... 10/14/63 to 02/01/02

**ASSISTANT CHIEF**

Patrick J. Devlin, Criminal Justice Bureau,  
08/05/21 ..... 03/01/67 to 08/01/04

**CAPTAIN**

Edward A. Bybak, Quality Assurance Div.,  
08/20/21 ..... 07/01/50 to 08/31/85  
John Delaney, “Old” Det. Div., 09/18/21 ..... 01/03/47 to 11/08/69  
James A. Hildebrand, Dept. of Invest. Sqd.,  
08/28/21 ..... 06/01/53 to 05/03/81

**LIEUTENANT**

John P. Brennan, “Old” Narc. Div., 08/17/21 ..... 01/17/64 to 08/14/86  
Washington R. Calle, “Old” Strategic & Tactical Cmd. BK No.,  
09/20/21 ..... 11/07/79 to 12/01/00  
Jason D. Cioffi, Ch. Of Dept. – Invest. Review Sect.,  
08/31/21 ..... 07/07/99 to 08/01/19  
Timothy E. Coyne, Traffic Enforcement Div.,  
08/12/21 ..... 02/28/94 to 10/11/12  
John D. Gasperin, 111 Pct., 07/27/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 09/25/93  
Edward C. Haag, Legal Bureau, 09/19/21 ..... 10/25/68 to 11/03/90  
Thomas P. Huller, Det. Bureau, 08/18/21 ..... 01/01/55 to 07/06/91  
Victor H. Kimmelman, “Old” PB Qns., 07/20/21 ..... 10/14/63 to 10/08/93  
Eugene T. Locus, PBBX, 08/10/21 ..... 06/07/68 to 09/04/88  
Francis J. O’Neil, 113 Pct., 09/02/21 ..... 06/20/66 to 08/07/87

**SERGEANT SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT**

Roy R. Bocina, ESS 8, 08/21/21 ..... 07/18/96 to 04/01/13

**SERGEANT SUPERVISOR DETECTIVE SQUAD**

Frederick McKenna, “Old” Field Training Unit,  
08/26/21 ..... 10/14/63 to 10/14/83  
William C. McKinney, Forensic Invest. Div., 08/10/21 ..... 04/13/81 to 07/07/05  
William A. McLoughlin, “Old” Det. Boro Qns. T/F,  
07/24/21 ..... 09/21/46 to 07/20/84  
Philip G. Schurr, Det. Boro BK No. Homicide Sqd.,  
08/27/21 ..... 11/02/61 to 04/07/95

Narcia A. Stanton, Missing Persons Sqd., 09/05/21 ..... 03/28/66 to 07/14/87  
Christopher M. Tully, Intel. Operations & Analysis Sect.,  
08/14/21 ..... 10/15/90 to 05/01/11

**SERGEANT**

William Anglum, BX Court Sect., 08/29/21 ..... 01/17/64 to 07/31/85  
Hugh P. Bartlett, Criminal Intel. Sect., 09/12/21 ..... 10/15/90 to 10/25/10  
Grant S. Belton, Man. Court Sect., 09/21/21 ..... 05/11/59 to 07/06/85  
John J. Farrell, Midtown No. Pct., 08/26/21 ..... 12/20/65 to 07/02/86  
Michael S. Fuller, PB Man. So. – Evidence Collection Team,  
07/26/21 ..... 06/30/95 to 06/30/15  
John R. Kucan, 103 Pct., 09/19/21 ..... 10/01/62 to 11/09/82  
John V. McCarthy, “Old” Field Training Unit 5,  
09/22/21 ..... 02/01/68 to 07/23/88  
Ronald R. Mele, 49 Pct., 07/26/21 ..... 01/17/69 to 08/24/87  
Warren W. Nelson, DC Labor Relations, 07/22/21 ..... 02/01/49 to 11/25/78  
Segundo A. Perez, 61 Pct., 08/25/21 ..... 01/25/82 to 05/01/02  
Robert P. Spratley, 48 Pct., 05/11/59 ..... 05/11/59 to 05/13/79  
Lawrence E. Sylvester, IAB, 09/21/21 ..... 10/01/62 to 04/25/93  
Louis Telano, 101 Pct., 09/18/21 ..... 07/13/81 to 08/01/01  
Priscilla Wolf, 78 Pct., 08/16/21 ..... 02/01/49 to 09/18/74

**DETECTIVE FIRST GRADE**

Ralph S. Redmond, Det. Boro Man. So. Homicide Sqd.,  
09/05/21 ..... 10/24/56 to 10/24/76  
Sandra Rubino, Man. Special Victims Sqd.,  
09/12/21 ..... 07/25/83 to 10/01/05

**DETECTIVE SECOND GRADE**

James A. Allen, Invest. Support Sect., 08/24/21 ..... 08/31/73 to 07/13/95  
Lawrence E. Reade, 109 Det. Sqd., 09/23/21 ..... 05/29/73 to 10/20/98  
Andrew M. Swanston, 43 Det. Sqd., 09/01/21 ..... 06/30/92 to 07/01/12

**DETECTIVE**

Pasquale R. Altruda, 102 Pct Det. Sqd., 09/17/21 ..... 04/30/65 to 07/31/85  
Michael W. Bahrenburg, Med. Div., 08/19/21 ..... 06/30/92 to 12/01/13  
Ramon A. Barrios, Intel. Bureau, 09/04/21 ..... 02/20/56 to 10/10/76  
Thomas F. Bavolar, 47 Det. Sqd., 08/24/21 ..... 07/13/81 to 07/15/01  
Alfred A. Benza, DA Sqd. BX, 09/03/21 ..... 11/02/61 to 03/12/78  
William M. Brady, 114 Det. Sqd., 10/03/21 ..... 07/06/56 to 10/20/81  
Raymond T. Cariello, Arson & Explosion,  
09/13/21 ..... 09/01/54 to 09/23/74  
John F. Carroll, 69 Pct., 09/20/21 ..... 04/17/64 to 07/11/84  
Paul M. Clermont, DA Sqd. BK, 09/28/21 ..... 10/01/73 to 08/13/95  
Scott C. Curran, BK Court Sect., 09/15/21 ..... 07/10/92 to 04/13/13  
Joseph D. Depascale, Crime Scene Unit,  
09/09/21 ..... 12/20/65 to 07/03/87  
Gerard E. Eick, Det. Boro SI, 09/27/21 ..... 07/28/87 to 07/30/07  
Gwendolyn J. Fiore, IAB, 09/08/21 ..... 08/31/73 to 08/01/93  
Joseph C. Firth, “Old” Pickpocket & Confidence Sqd.,  
07/22/21 ..... 07/09/65 to 01/09/87  
Pedro A. Foruria, Special Frauds Sqd., 08/25/21 ..... 01/03/83 to 01/05/03  
William F. Harvey, Narc. Boro BX, 07/28/21 ..... 09/29/00 to 02/01/18  
Edgar S. Jones, 101 Det. Sqd., 09/03/21 ..... 02/01/49 to 01/28/86  
Eugene J. Lennon, Ch. Of Dept. – Invest. Review Sect.,  
09/25/21 ..... 09/01/54 to 04/08/90

Fredrick Marra, 107 Det. Sqd., 08/17/21..... 02/09/68 to 03/25/93  
 Arthur M. McAuliffe, DB Man. So. Homicide Sqd.,  
 7/20/21 .....01/01/55 to 01/06/77  
 Peter Natiw, 43 Det. Sqd., 09/20/21 ..... 10/29/73 to 08/31/94  
 Henry A. Osterwald, Prop. Clerk Div., 07/27/21..... 04/17/64 to 08/12/84  
 Angelo J. Polite, Det. Boro BX, 08/27/21 ..... 02/28/94 to 03/01/14  
 John J. Ridge, Narc. Boro BX, 09/05/21 ..... 07/15/86 to 07/17/06  
 Thomas W. Ryan, 103 Pct., 08/27/21.....06/05/58 to 07/05/81  
 Devora Sconiers, Det. Boro Qns. No., 07/17/21 ..... 11/07/79 to 11/16/99  
 Elias Slatnick, 70 Det. Sqd., 08/29/21 ..... 09/11/59 to 07/29/83  
 Michael F. Tompkins, 71 Det. Sqd., 08/22/21 ..... 10/01/73 to 04/01/94  
 George W. Thompson, 46 Det. Sqd., 09/12/21.....09/10/65 to 09/20/87  
 Louis Torrisi, 19 Det. Sqd., 07/23/21.....06/25/73 to 08/01/91  
 John T. Worth, 1 Det. Sqd., 09/02/21 .....12/27/60 to 09/24/86  
 Joseph A. Visconti, "Old" BX Narc. Dist., 08/26/21 ..... 12/17/73 to 12/31/93

**POLICE OFFICER**

Michael A. Bavaro, "Old" Court Div., 10/01/21 .....03/01/54 to 08/31/81  
 Joseph N. Beckmann, 78 Pct., 08/24/21 ..... 12/05/61 to 07/02/82  
 Frank C. Bennetti, BK Court Sect., 08/22/21 ..... 01/17/69 to 09/22/89  
 William E. Bielawski, 123 Pct., 07/21/21 .....10/24/69 to 02/01/90  
 Kevin B. Bernnan, Warrant Sect., 09/29/21.....01/26/82 to 11/01/94  
 Michael E. Cerillo, 83 Pct., 08/16/21 .....01/29/73 to 04/03/84  
 William J. Cevasco, 40 Pct., 07/25/21 ..... 01/25/82 to 11/24/01  
 Gerard J. Collier, 69 Pct., 08/24/21 ..... 05/04/61 to 08/11/81  
 Albert A. Cortez, PBBK No., 09/25/21..... 11/07/79 to 12/15/87  
 Thomas A. Crociata, 60 Pct., 07/29/21.....01/25/82 to 01/30/02  
 Patrick J. Cronin, PA, 08/01/21 ..... 06/20/66 to 07/14/87  
 Juan Cruz, 90 Pct., 08/14/21 ..... 10/15/90 to 10/18/00  
 Joseph V. Dertinger, 108 Pct., 09/30/21 ..... 05/04/61 to 07/10/81  
 George J. Devejian, Prop. Cler Div., 08/19/21 ..... 06/16/51 to 10/19/73  
 Robert O. Digrandi, 50 Pct., 09/17/21 ..... 03/01/67 to 04/13/87  
 William W. Duffy, Quartermaster Sect., 09/04/21 ..... 10/29/73 to 03/21/79  
 William J. Egert, Prop. Clerk Div., 08/16/21.....02/01/55 to 09/23/83  
 Dennis A. Elliott, 106 Pct., 08/12/21 ..... 07/09/65 to 07/07/86  
 Daniel R. Ervolina, "Old" PB Qns T/F, 12/09/2020 .....05/04/61 to 07/04/81  
 Allan Fishman, 61 Pct., 07/22/21 ..... 02/20/56 to 10/31/79  
 Shanetta Flood, 67 Pct., 08/31/21..... 02/28/94 to 07/01/16  
 Richard F. Forberg, Prop. Clerk Div., 07/17/21 .....02/15/63 to 12/06/85  
 John J. Fuller, Aviation Unit, 09/12/21 ..... 07/30/73 to 08/01/93  
 Francis X. Galla, 63 Pct., 08/14/21..... 06/29/61 to 07/03/81  
 Paul J. Glennan, 105 Pct., 09/07/21 .....06/20/66 to 07/05/85  
 Henry C. Glover, Det. Boro Qns. No. Homicide Sqd.,  
 08/12/21.....06/07/68 to 04/19/90  
 Nail D. Glynn, 114 Pct., 09/30/21 ..... 12/20/65 to 02/28/85  
 Milton Gnatowsky, 75 Pct., 08/12/21 ..... 02/24/61 to 09/12/80  
 Edward J. Grauer, 46 Pct., 07/21/21..... 04/03/68 to 09/29/81  
 Howard A. Graves, 72 Pct., 08/27/21..... 10/29/73 to 10/30/93  
 Robert H. Greene, 103 Pct., 09/25/21..... 10/01/62 to 10/11/78  
 George E. Hackett, "Old" PB Qns, 08/27/21..... 10/25/67 to 12/31/81  
 Dorothy H. Helmns, 104 Pct., 07/20/21.....06/29/61 to 07/04/81  
 Kevin J. Henry, "Old" Street Crime Unit, 09/03/21..... 11/02/70 to 10/16/85  
 Richard F. Heyward, 28 Pct., 07/24/21 ..... 03/01/67 to 07/23/82

Pell J. Hinton, 79 Pct., 08/25/21 ..... 11/02/61 to 07/15/89  
 Kevin J. Hiltunen, 61 Pct., 09/13/21 ..... 02/28/94 to 06/01/09  
 William M. Kelly, FID, 10/03/21 .....07/16/84 to 08/01/04  
 Herbert J. Kempf, "Old" Det. Boro BK – Criminal ID Unit,  
 08/13/21.....10/25/68 to 06/27/77  
 Debra A. Lapedra-O'Brien, 72 Pct., 08/27/21 ..... 11/07/79 to 02/01/01  
 Patrick J. Linehan, 30 Pct., 09/30/21..... 04/03/68 to 08/31/90  
 Michael R. Mahoney, Invest. Support Sect., 08/26/21.. 08/01/66 to 02/28/86  
 Augusto Malucelli, 61 Pct., 09/16/21.....05/15/67 to 10/26/82  
 James J. Maraday, 120 Pct., 08/30/21 ..... 12/11/64 to 10/31/79  
 Anthony J. Maresca, 24 Pct., 08/30/21 .....07/30/73 to 05/02/05  
 Raymond P. Martel, Hwy Dist., 08/25/21.....02/15/63 to 05/18/77  
 Lawrence J. Marquino, 61 Pct., 09/07/21 .....06/07/68 to 07/31/83  
 Thomas J. Mazzarisi, 68 Pct., 08/03/21.....02/01/55 to 07/09/89  
 James J. Meadowcraft, Ch. Of Dept. – Invest. Review Sect.,  
 09/24/21 .....08/01/66 to 10/10/87  
 Isaac Mercado, 40 Pct., 09/23/21 .....07/07/99 to 08/01/19  
 John J. Miller, 46 Pct., 08/27/21 .....02/15/65 to 03/23/77  
 Edward Molette, TD 12, 07/31/21.....05/20/74 to 06/01/97  
 Daniel F. Morissey, 77 Pct., 09/07/21 .....06/29/61 to 07/30/81  
 Michael Nastasi, Central Park Pct., 09/02/21 ..... 04/30/91 to 07/29/04  
 Santo F. Novarro, 110 Pct., 09/06/21..... 11/26/57 to 07/07/78  
 Angel Ortiz, SI Court Sect., 10/02/21 .....08/30/93 to 06/01/11  
 Frank J. Palazzolo, 69 Pct., 09/22/21..... 07/13/81 to 07/29/01  
 Anthony Palmieri, 88 Pct., 09/04/21 ..... 04/17/64 to 05/12/79  
 Ernest A. Pitts, 112 Pct., 08/17/21.....07/01/55 to 08/04/77  
 Gaspare L. Randazzo, 78 Pct., 09/16/21 .....01/26/81 to 08/31/83  
 Michael J. Reass, 25 Pct., 09/27/21 ..... 01/04/84 to 02/01/04  
 James H. Reese, 50 Pct., 09/12/21..... 06/20/66 to 06/03/86  
 Harry E. Roschbach, 120 Pct., 08/26/21.....12/20/65 to 07/25/87  
 Michael Runino, Man. Court Sect., 09/01/21.....07/16/84 to 01/22/05  
 Robert Russell, Citywide Traffic T/F, 07/20/21 .....05/16/69 to 07/06/84  
 Luis J. Santiago, Housing Boro BX/Qns., 09/03/21 .....07/08/85 to 06/16/04  
 Edgar W. Schliessman, 104 Pct., 10/02/21 ..... 10/03/51 to 05/16/72  
 Robert J. Schreib, "Old" Mtyc #3, 09/28/21.....11/01/55 to 01/29/73  
 Fred L. Seelig, 75 Pct., 07/29/21 ..... 01/17/69 to 10/07/79  
 Francis J. Shanahan, 103 Pct., 09/16/21 ..... 03/05/48 to 05/17/68  
 John J. Shortell, Med. Div., 08/17/21.....06/26/74 to 06/27/94  
 Robert Stapleton, 67 Pct., 08/16/21 ..... 04/03/68 to 07/02/82  
 John J. Teixeira, Movie & TV Unit, 09/06/21 ..... 04/30/73 to 02/29/84  
 Charles G. Timpone, 1 Pct., 09/22/21..... 12/20/65 to 07/29/83  
 Richard Tussie, Midtown So. Pct., 09/30/21 .....10/24/69 to 10/26/82  
 Kenneth M. Ukropetz, 115 Pct., 09/12/21 .....04/01/71 to 09/11/92  
 Nickolas R. Varipapa, Citywide Traffic T/F,  
 09/20/21 ..... 02/01/55 to 02/08/82  
 William J. Walsh, Building Maint. Sect., 08/20/21 .....01/02/70 to 01/31/80  
 Charles J. Wilson, 73 Pct., 09/18/21.....07/01/55 to 04/08/76  
 Steven Yaccarino, Hwy Unit 5, 09/27/21 ..... 01/21/85 to 10/01/18  
 Carlos W. Zena, Dept. of Invest. Sqd., 08/23/21..... 10/07/74 to 04/26/83

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## NYPD Finest Care

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### ▼ Confidential mental health services program

NYPD Finest Care has now partnered with Northwell Direct to provide uniformed officers access to **free, confidential mental health services** for any type of emotional challenge or difficult life event. NYPD officers are able to speak directly to a psychologist or psychiatrist at **more convenient locations** than ever before through Northwell Direct's network of world-class physicians.

### ▼ How it works

- When you call, you will be connected to a behavioral health expert who will assess the situation and coordinate an appointment with a psychologist or psychiatrist for confidential evaluation and counseling within 48 hours of the call, in person or virtually.
- If the call is of an emergent nature, you can be seen immediately within any one of our Northwell Health Emergency Departments and an ambulance can be dispatched as necessary.
- You will have access to free counseling sessions. Afterwards, the Northwell team will connect you to a behavioral health provider who accepts your insurance plan and is located near you.

### ▼ Key components

-  24/7/365 immediate crisis intervention counseling services
-  Coordination of non-emergent counseling appointments within 48 hours
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-  In-person and telehealth services available
-  Completely confidential

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If you're in a crisis or having suicidal thoughts,  
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Depression

Anxiety

Trouble sleeping

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# You help others everyday. Make sure you help yourself. You deserve it.

**To All Uniformed Members of Service,**

**Effective October 28, 2019, members of the service can call NewYork-Presbyterian at 646-697-2020 24/7 to book a free, confidential appointment with one of their psychologists or psychiatrists.**

You don't have to be going through a crisis in order to talk to a clinician. It is better to address difficult emotions or thoughts before they become unbearable. The trained coordinators at Presbyterian will listen to you without judgment and connect you to the right resources.

**FINEST CARE is confidential. The hospital will not report out the names of individuals seeking help.** Like any clinician in New York State, the clinicians are legally required to follow the SAFE Act, which mandates that mental health professionals report when one of their patients is "likely to engage in conduct that would result in serious harm to self or others." The Department will not know the names or identities of individuals seeking out-patient care.

**Decisions about prescription medication will be made between patients and NewYork-Presbyterian clinicians,** and will not be reported back to the Department either. If medication is recommended, the clinician will work with you to identify medication that will not interfere with your daily duties.

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- **24-hour telephone-based referral line**
- **Appointments to see a psychologist or psychiatrist**
- **Comprehensive evaluation and mental health assessments**
- **Medication management and psychotherapy services**
- **Counseling referral services**

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