

VILLAGE OF DOBBS FERRY BOARD OF TRUSTEES AGENDA

MEETING DATE: JUNE 22, 2021

AGENDA ITEM SECTION: APPOINTMENTS

AGENDA ITEM NO.: 1

AGENDA ITEM: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION TO APPOINT SERGEANT TRAVIS COLVIN AS POLICE LIEUTENANT OFF OF CIVIL SERVICE ELIGIBLE LIST #75-500, EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 23, 2021 AT 0000 HOURS, FOR AN ANNUAL SALARY OF \$148,110.00; AND MAYOR ROSSILLO TO ADMINISTER THE OATH OF OFFICE

ITEM BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

- 1. MEMORANDUM DATED JUNE 10, 2021 FROM POLICE CHIEF MANUEL GUEVARA TO MAYOR ROSSILLO, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, RICHARD LEINS/INTERIM VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR AND ELIZABETH DREAPER/VILLAGE CLERK
- 2. DRAFT RESOLUTION



POLICE DEPARTMENT VILLAGE OF DOBBS FERRY

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To:

Mayor Vincent Rossillo and Board of Trustees

Richard Leins, Interim Village Administrator

Liz Dreaper, Village Clerk

From:

Manuel R. Guevara, Chief of Police

Subject: Appointment of Permanent/Probationary Police Lieutenant Travis Colvin

Date:

June 10, 2021

As we continue to move beyond the conclusion of the New York State Police Reform and Reinvention Collaborative, per Governor Cuomo's Executive Order 203, I am requesting permission to promote Sergeant Travis Colvin to the rank of Police Lieutenant within the Dobbs Ferry Police Department.

One of the recommendations that came out of the Police Reform Committee was the pursuit of an additional accrediting body to strengthen the department's policy and procedures. Due to the amount of responsibility and challenges this secondary accreditation will create, Sergeant Travis Colvin will oversee and control the implementation of this project.

This rank does not expand the authorized strength of the police department, instead it works within the current footprint of this agency in a more efficient manner. The difference in salary increase for this promotion is \$15,871.

With this in mind, as stated above, I would like to recommend that Sergeant Travis Colvin be promoted to the rank of Police Lieutenant.

Sergeant Travis Colvin is a lifelong resident of Rockland County N.Y. He grew up in Blauvelt and graduated from Tappan Zee High School in 2005. Travis then attended SUNY Albany and graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Economics in 2009. In 2010, Travis Colvin began his law enforcement career with the NYPD, where he was assigned to patrol the confines of the 44 Precinct.

In August 2013, Travis Colvin was hired by the Dobbs Ferry Police Department. He has spent his time assigned to the Patrol Division and is also a member of the Greenburgh Special Weapons and

Tactics team. Additionally, Travis Colvin has served as a member of the Dobbs Ferry Traffic Enforcement Unit and a liaison to the Traffic Safety Committee

Travis Colvin successfully passed the current Westchester County Civil Service Exam for Police Lieutenant and is ranked number 1 on this active Promotional Exam.

Travis has been a loyal and dedicated member of this department and is viewed as a leader that other members can turn to. I believe his knowledge of the law and this department make him an ideal candidate for consideration as the next Lieutenant within the Dobbs Ferry Police Department.

Therefore, it is with much confidence that I recommend to the Mayor and the Board of Trustees that Sergeant Travis Colvin be promoted to the rank of Police Lieutenant-Permanent/Probationary off of Promotional Eligible List# 75-500 at an annual salary of \$148,117, effective at 0000 hours on June 23, 2021.

I thank you in advance for your consideration in this matter.

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees hereby appoints Sergeant Travis Colvin as Police Lieutenant off of Civil Service Eligible List #75-500, effective on June 23, 2021 at 0000 hours, for an annual salary of \$148,110.00