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CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES COMMAND STAFF PROMOTION

Commander William Bradley to serve as First Deputy Superintendent of Police

CHICAGO — Chicago Police Department (CPD) Interim Superintendent Fred L. Waller today announced the promotion of Commander William Bradley to First Deputy Superintendent. First Deputy Superintendent Bradley has held multiple positions within the Department during his almost three-decade-long career. As First Deputy Superintendent, he serves as second-in-command and will use his wealth of experience to oversee both day-to-day and strategic operations for CPD.

"I have worked closely with First Deputy Superintendent Bradley during my time at CPD and I have seen firsthand his dedication and passion to making Chicago a safer city and home for everyone," said Interim Superintendent Waller. "His leadership is rooted in fairness and compassion and I trust him wholeheartedly to help move our Department forward."

First Deputy Superintendent – William Bradley

First Deputy Superintendent Bradley, a 29-year member of the Department, most recently served as Commander of Airport Operations. He also served as Captain of Airport Operations - South. First Deputy Superintendent Bradley has had an extensive career within the Chicago Police Department, working in many different capacities within multiple bureaus. Before his assignments in Airport Operations, First Deputy Superintendent Bradley was a Lieutenant in the 6th (Gresham) District, the 17th (Albany Park) District, the Bureau of Patrol, the Gang Enforcement Unit in the former Area South, the 5th (Calumet) District and the 18th (Near North) District. Additionally, he served as Deputy Chief for the Bureau of Organized Crime and as the Commander of the 6th District. As a Sergeant, First Deputy Superintendent Bradley served in many areas of the Department that include the former Area Central, the 2nd (Wentworth) District, Area 2 Detective Division and the Asset Forfeiture Unit. First Deputy Superintendent Bradley holds master's degrees in Business Administration from Loyola University and Police Psychology from Adler School of Professional Psychology. He earned a bachelor's degree in Law Enforcement Management from Calumet College of St. Joseph. He also attended the Police Executive Research Forum's Senior Management Institute for Police program.



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