

#### Congratulations to the Recipients of Department Awards for

#### the Week of 22 FEB 2021.

	Rank	Last Name	First Name	Star#	Unit	Award
1.	Lieutenant	Sloyan	Gregory	320	241	Tactical Excellence
2.	Sergeant	Vasselli	Nicholas	2213	006	Tactical Excellence
3.	Sergeant	Martinez	Rafael	1797	010	Tactical Excellence
4.	Field Training Officer	Carozza	Anthony	16555	006	Tactical Excellence
5.	Police Officer	Gutierrez	Jose	18968	006	Tactical Excellence
6.	Police Officer	Malek	Joseph	17438	620	Tactical Excellence
7.	Police Officer	Richardson	Zachary	9523	010	Tactical Excellence
8.	Police Officer	Sweis	Hazem	14720	189	Tactical Excellence
9.	Police Officer	Vanboldrik	Michael	13013	006	Tactical Excellence *
10.	Police Officer	Vazquez, Jr.	Harry	17014	716	Tactical Excellence
11.	Police Officer	Vidales Morales	Paulina	6931	701	Tactical Excellence
12.	Police Officer	Franson	Adam	14405	006	Tactical Excellence
13.	Police Officer	Ohlson	Andrew	8394	010	Tactical Excellence
14.	Police Officer	Pietryla	John	7061	010	Tactical Excellence



## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION SECTION

Superintendent's Award of Tactical Excellence #8122067 is presented to Lieutenant Gregory Sloyan, Sergeant Nicholas Vasselli, Field Training Officer Anthony Carozza, Police Officer Joseph Malek, Hazem Sweis, Michael Vanboldrik, Harry Vazquez, Jr., Paulina Vidales Morales, and Adam Franson

- On 19 Apr 2018, F.T.O. Carozza and P.O. Vidales Morales responded to a call at the Movie Studio Grill, where the manager and security related that the two offenders, who shot their handgun after they were denied entry on 14 Apr 2018, were inside the theater watching a movie.
- Lt. Sloyan, Sgt. Vasselli, and all the officers involved developed a plan, taking into account the safety and life of the employees, approximately 150 patrons, offenders, and officers.
- Officers were alerted as both offenders exited theater, at which time officers placed offenders in custody, recovered a Glock handgun with an extended magazine and the stolen vehicle (taken in an armed vehicular hijacking) driven by offenders.

## Superintendent's Award of Tactical Excellence #8120994 is presented to Sergeant Rafael Martinez, Police Officer Andrew Ohlson, John Pietryla, and Zachary Richardson

- On 16 April 2018, the above 010th District Personnel were dispatched to a Kidnapping/Unlawful Restraint, where after tactical approach to address, officers on scene heard several screams "help he has a gun to my head" from inside apartment.
- Officer Pietryla maintained communication with OEMC and all officers involved, while Officer Kobylarczyk was calmly communicating with the offender in attempt to deescalate the offender's behavior.
- After offender surrendered, officers placed offender into custody, the scene was secured, officers recovered two loaded handguns from the scene, conducted a search of the vehicle that the offender entered into and recovered a fully loaded M-4 Carbine Rifle.

# Superintendent's Award of Tactical Excellence #8122049 is presented to Police Officer Jose Gutierrez and Michael Vanboldrik

- On 31 March 2018, Officer Vanboldrik and Officer Gutierrez were patrolling their beat, when they observed an offender discharge a handgun three times into the air in a parking lot of an apartment building.
- The officers ordered the subject to stop and drop the weapon, and the offender fled from the officers on foot, which led to a brief foot pursuit.
- After Officer Gutierrez performed an emergency take down, officers placed the offender into custody and recovered a chrome Bryco Arms Jennings 9mm handgun with one live round in the chamber and 4 live rounds in the magazine.



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#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

Ensuring recognition of those who, while in the commission of their duties, performed in an exemplary manner that contributed to the safety of the communities they serve.

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