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Contact: Officer Greg Sill  
(847) 870-5656**PRESS RELEASE****Deputy Chief Timothy Griffin of the Mount Prospect Police Department Graduates  
from the FBI National Academy**

*Deputy Chief Timothy Griffin*

The Mount Prospect Police Department is pleased to announce that Deputy Chief Timothy Griffin graduated on Thursday, December 8, 2022 from the 284<sup>th</sup> session of the FBI National Academy Program in Quantico, Virginia. The 284<sup>th</sup> session consisted of two hundred and thirty-seven men and women from forty-eight states and the District of Columbia. The class included members of law enforcement agencies from twenty-five countries, five military organizations, and five federal civilian organizations.

Internationally known for its academic excellence, the National Academy offers 11 weeks of advanced communication, leadership, and fitness training. Participants must have proven records as professionals within their agencies to attend. On average, participants have 21 years of law enforcement experience and generally return to their agencies to serve in executive-level positions. The Mount Prospect Police Department anticipates a variety of benefits from Deputy Chief Griffin's completion of this prestigious program.



*With COURAGE we protect, with COMPASSION we serve.*

Deputy Chief Griffin has been with the Mount Prospect Police Department for nearly 25 years and currently serves as the Deputy Chief of Administration. Since joining the department, Deputy Chief Griffin has served the department as a patrol officer, school resource officer, detective, sergeant, and has been a deputy chief since 2014. Deputy Chief Griffin holds a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice, a Master's Degree in Law Enforcement Administration, and a Ph.D. in Organizational Leadership as well as several certificates in police management, leadership, and public budgeting.

Deputy Chief Griffin said, "It was a great honor to be nominated to attend this world-class program and I am very appreciative to have had this opportunity. During my time at the FBI Academy, I was taught by top instructors and gained a wealth of great information. I also networked with many outstanding law enforcement executives from across the U.S. and abroad. These relationships will last a life-time and be of great benefit to me as I continue to serve the Mount Prospect community."

### **About the FBI National Academy**

FBI Academy instructors, special agents, and other staff with advanced degrees provide the training; many instructors are internationally recognized in their fields. Since 1972, National Academy students have been able to earn undergraduate and graduate credits from the University of Virginia, which accredits all of the National Academy courses offered.

A total of 53,907 graduates have completed the FBI National Academy since it began in 1935. The National Academy is held at the FBI Training Academy in Quantico, the same facility the FBI trains its new special agents and intelligence analysts.