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Pictured L to R: Commander Christopher Rondeau, Sergeant Scott Filipek, and Chief Michael Eterno.

SERGEANT SCOTT FILIPEK OF THE MOUNT PROSPECT POLICE DEPARTMENT GRADUATES FROM NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY'S CENTER FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

The Mount Prospect Police Department is pleased to announce the graduation of Sergeant Scott Filipek from the School of Police Staff and Command (SPSC) at Northwestern University Center for Public Safety. Sergeant Filipek successfully completed the ten (10) week Staff and Command Program held in St. Charles, Illinois between January 2 – May 3, 2024. This program, which was implemented by the Center for Public Safety in 1983, has graduated over 21,000 students both nationally and internationally. Sergeant Filipek was a student in SPSC Class #565, which accommodated 43 students for the ten-week period. Sergeant Filipek, along with his class colleagues, raised \$1,200 for a West Dundee Police Sergeant recovering from a life-altering car crash.

The School of Police Staff and Command is the most academically rigorous program available for experienced mid- and upper-level supervisory personnel. Through an innovative combination of academic principles blended with practical applications, the intensive curriculum focuses on areas critical to successful senior law enforcement leadership and management. In addition to lectures, the curriculum is designed for practical application of academic principles plus course activities that encourage class members to learn from one another's experiences.

The Mount Prospect Police Department anticipates a variety of benefits from Sergeant Filipek's attendance at this program. Many of the program's graduates go on to achieve a variety of leadership positions within their respective agencies.

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