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### **SERGEANT BART TWEEDIE 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 Bart Tweedie from the School of Police Staff and Command (SPSC) at Northwestern University's Center for Public Safety. Sergeant Tweedie successfully completed the ten (10) week Staff and Command Program held in Evanston, Illinois from September 25 – December 8, 2017. This program, which was implemented by the Center for Public Safety in 1983, has graduated over 18,000 students both nationally and internationally. Sergeant Tweedie was a student in SPSC Class #425, which accommodated 29 students for the ten-week period.

The School of Police Staff and Command provides upper-level college instruction in a total of twenty-seven core or mandatory blocks of instruction and additional optional blocks of instruction during each session. The major topics of study include Leadership, Human Resources, Employee Relations, Organizational Behavior, Applied Statistics, Planning and Policy Development, Budgeting and Resource Allocation.

The Center for Public Safety was established at Northwestern University in 1936 with the specific goal of expanding university-based education and training for the Law Enforcement Community. Since its inception, the Center has broadened its original objective and now provides a variety of courses and programs in the area of Police Training, Management Training, and Executive Development.

The Mount Prospect Police Department anticipates a variety of benefits from Sergeant Bart Tweedie'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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