

VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD



BOARD AGENDA MEMORANDUM

DATE OF MEETING: March 10, 2026

To: Village President and Board of Trustees

Through: Napoleon Haney, Village Manager

From: Thomas Johnson, Chief of Police

Topic: Oath of Office-Steven Brandenburger-Deputy Chief of Police

PURPOSE

The Village Clerk is requested to administer the Oath of Office to Steven Brandenburger for the position of Deputy Chief of Police, Operations (Patrol, Detectives, and Tactical Unit).

PROCESS

The position of Deputy Chief of Police has been vacant since Chief Johnson was sworn in as the Chief of Police on January 9, 2026. Steven Brandenburger was selected to fill the position effective February 9, 2026.

Deputy Chief Brandenburger began his career with the Homewood Police Department on November 29, 2010 and was promoted to the rank of Sergeant on April 26, 2021. Deputy Chief Brandenburger has served as a Patrol Officer, Tactical Officer, Homeland Security Narcotics Task Force Officer, Patrol Sergeant, and most recently Detective Sergeant.

Deputy Chief Brandenburger holds a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice from Governors State University. He is a graduate of Northwestern Center for Public Safety, School of Police Staff and Command.

OUTCOME

Administer the Oath of Office to Steven Brandenburger for the position of Deputy Chief of Police.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

- **Funding Source:** No Financial Impact
- **Budgeted Amount:** N/A
- **Cost:** N/A

LEGAL REVIEW

Not required

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RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION

Request the Village Clerk to administer the Oath of Office to Steven Brandenburger for the position of Deputy Chief of Police.

ATTACHMENT(S)

None