



Press Release

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City of Fullerton Announces Resignation of Chief of Police David Hendricks

FULLERTON, Calif. (November 2, 2018) – The City of Fullerton and Chief of Police David Hendricks today announced Chief Hendricks' decision to resign from his position, effective November 2, 2018.

"I am honored to have had the privilege of leading the men and women of the Fullerton Police Department," stated Chief Hendricks. "I am grateful to the City Council and City Manager Ken Domer for the opportunity to serve the Fullerton community as Chief of Police."

As Chief, Hendricks is credited with helping the Fullerton Police Department improve morale and address officer retention. During his tenure, Hendricks led internal efforts to reduce patrol response time for Priority One calls and managed the implementation of the City's first Call for Service online blotter system. Chief Hendricks worked closely with the North Orange County Public Safety Task Force, CityNet, and various community partners to support the City's efforts to proactively address the

increase in homelessness, collaboratively working to get individuals from the streets to available housing and support services.

Additionally, Chief Hendricks worked to streamline investigations and documentation for personnel complaints, pursuits, use of force, and on-the-job injuries. This includes upgrading the Body Worn Camera system to integrate with the Computer Aided Dispatch System, reducing reporting errors and shortening the timeframe for completing critical reports.

Fullerton Police Captain Robert “Bob” Dunn II will serve as the Interim Chief of Police, and the City Council will consider options for filling the position on a permanent basis in early 2019.

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