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# 2023 Orland Park Police Department Biannual Awards Ceremony

## ***INTRODUCTION***

Mayor Keith Pekau  
Chief Eric Rossi

Dave O'Connor, Chairman of the Fire and Police Commission

## ***SWEARING IN PRESENTATION***

Presenter: Dave O'Connor, Chairman of the Fire and Police Commission

**Officer Robert Wirth**  
**Officer Morgan Hill**  
**Officer Jacquelyn Skender**

## **Grand Cordon**

The Grand Cordon is awarded to police officers and employees of the Department for their dedication and determination in the arrest of person(s) responsible for numerous criminal acts throughout the area (multiple incidents).

**Officer Nathan O'Connor**  
**Officer David Hansen**  
**Officer Tyler Lorek**  
**Officer Thomas Healy**

## **EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE**

The Exceptional Service Award is presented to officers and employees of the Department for a highly credible accomplishment bringing public acclaim to themselves, the Department or to the police profession, as a result of training, devotion to duty or service to the public.

**Inv. Ronald Ahrendt**

### **UNIT CITATION**

The Unit Citation is awarded to the active participants of an operating unit for a cited action involving a highly unusual accomplishment through the teamwork of all involved in the cited action.

**TCO Al Labno**  
**TCO Dina Vainer**  
**TCO Kaila Hyzynski**  
**Officer Cody Gestes**  
**Officer Steve Kelly**  
**Officer Joseph Zumerling**  
**Officer Jon Basinski**  
**Officer Shaun Mulcahy**  
**Officer Sean Murphy**  
**Officer Naser Zayed**  
**Inv. Michael Benjamin**  
**Inv. Alex Vainer**  
**Inv. Douglas Kein**

### **LIFE SAVING**

The Life Saving Medal is awarded for an act performed by officers or employees of the Department whose prompt and alert actions resulted in the saving of a human life.

***Officer Jacquelyn Skender***  
***Officer Shawn Walsh***  
***Officer Robert Gleich***  
***Officer Sean Murphy***

### **OFFICER AND CIVILIAN OF THE YEAR**

The Officer and Civilian Employee of the Year Award are presented to those who exemplify the highest degree of dedication and professionalism throughout the year.

***Civilian of the Year- TCO John Zurek***  
***Officer of the Year-Inv. John Folliard***