



CRYSTAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**PURPOSE**

Many policies in this manual make reference to the Chain of Command. For clarity, the following is the formal chain of command within the Crystal Police Department. Also included are other terms or references to each title that may be used.

Chief of Police:	Department Head Chief Law Enforcement Officer
Deputy Chief:	Commanding Officer Assistant Chief Law Enforcement Officer
Lieutenant:	Division Commander Unit Commander
Sergeant:	Shift Commander Supervisor Unit Supervisor Commanding Officer (in the absence of a Deputy Chief or LT.)
Police Officer:	Patrol Officer Investigator Officer in Charge (in the absence of a Sergeant)
Community Service Officer:	CSO