Naugatuck Police Department

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C. Colin McAllister
Chief of Police

To: All Department Personnel Date: December 27, 2023

Re: Upcoming Accreditation Process

Be advised that the accreditation process is underway. A two-week file review will begin on July 8, 2024, and end on July 19, 2024. The actual on-site assessment for the Naugatuck Police Department is July 23, 2024.

Accreditation is a process through which law enforcement agencies demonstrate excellence in management and service delivery by complying with State Accreditation Standards.

Once voluntary, accreditation is now a State of Connecticut mandate passed with the Police Accountability Bill in 2020.

There are two Accreditation programs. One program is the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). The other program is the Connecticut Police Officer Standards and Training Council (P.O.S.T.c.), which mirrors CALEA. We will be following the P.O.S.T.C. program. These accreditation programs are designed to assist Connecticut law enforcement agencies operate efficiently and uniformly to reduce exposure to civil liability and provide excellent management and service delivery.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the accreditation process, contact our Accreditation Manager, Katie Burdick.

Sincerely,

C. Colin McAllister Chief of Police