

City of Quincy Press Release

Meet the Final Four Candidates for Quincy's Next Chief of Police



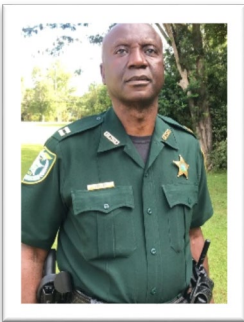
Captain Robert E. Mixson

Captain Mixson has been employed with the Quincy Police Department (QPD) since 2002. He took a short sabbatical from 2011 to 2013 where he accepted an assignment at Tallahassee Community College as an Adjunct Professor in Public Safety Training. He has been assigned to both patrol and administrative functions during his tenure with QPD to include training of new officers, traffic homicide investigator, developing policies, and grant writing. His educational background includes: Bachelors in Criminology and Spanish - Florida State University (FSU), Master's Degree in Criminal Justice -Columbia Southern University and Senior Leadership Class of - Florida Department of Law Enforcement.



Chief Carlos Kelly

Chief Kelly is a dedicated Law Enforcement Professional with over 24 years of service. His experience includes serving as Chief of Police, Investigator, District Commander, Emergency Manager and Community Relations Specialists. He has expertise in Patrol Functions and Police Operations to include crime prevention techniques/detection, investigations, recruiting, budgeting and developing policy and procedures. Currently, he is employed as a Law Enforcement Consultant in Maryland. His educational background includes: Associate of Science – Law Enforcement Police Training – Temple University, Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice - Rosemont College, Master of Science in Organizational Leadership - Rosemont College, PH. D in Public Administration – West Chester University



Captain Timothy J. Ashley

Captain Ashley is a retired Florida Highway State Trooper (Lt. Colonel) with over 25 years of Law Enforcement experience in patrol operations, investigations, traffic enforcement/control, field training and human diversity. He is a United States Air Force veteran having worked in the Tactical Air Command Division as a Crew Chief. Since 2013 he has been employed with the Gadsden County Sheriff Department in the Patrol Division with responsibilities for building and maintaining relationships across the 2nd Judicial Circuit, Field Officer Training, and providing leadership to Patrol. His educational background includes: Bachelors of Arts (Candidate) - Tallahassee Community College and FBI Basic Law Enforcement Officer Academy.



Captain James E. Hughes

Captain Hughes is a Law Enforcement Professional with over 30 years of experience. His career experience expands from the City of Quincy Police Department as a Patrol Officer, Detective, Sergeant, Lieutenant and Captain. Since 2007 he has been employed with the Miami Gardens Police Department working in Investigations, managing the Special Operations Division consisting of the Gun Squad, Gang, traffic and Career Criminals. His education background includes: Bachelors of Science in Criminal Justice – Springfield College and FBI National Academy.

City Manager Jack L. McLean Jr. will interview all candidates on Monday, October 4, 2021. If you have any questions or input, please contact the City Manager at 850.618.0020.