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City of Belleview Announces Promotion of Lieutenant Larry Bryan to Assistant Chief of Police

BELLEVIEV, FL — The City of Belleview and the Belleview Police Department are honored to announce the promotion of Lieutenant Larry Bryan to the rank of Assistant Chief of Police. With over 30 years of dedicated service to the Belleview Police Department, Assistant Chief Bryan's advancement reflects his unwavering commitment to law enforcement, community service, and leadership excellence.

Assistant Chief Bryan was formally recognized during the Belleview City Commission meeting held on June 3, 2025, where elected officials, city staff, fellow officers, and members of his family gathered to celebrate this well-deserved milestone in his career. The promotion marks a significant step forward for both Bryan and the department, reinforcing the City's commitment to strong, experienced leadership in public safety.

In his new role, Assistant Chief Bryan will work directly alongside Chief Terry Holland to oversee the department's daily operations, provide leadership to staff, support department-wide training and development, and help implement strategic public safety initiatives. He will also help serve as a liaison between the police department, city officials, and the community.

“Larry Bryan has been the foundation of this department for decades,” said Belleview Police Chief Terry Holland. “His loyalty, integrity, and work ethic are unmatched. Larry has earned the trust of every officer and every citizen he’s served. His promotion to Assistant Chief is a testament to a lifetime of service and an example of what leadership should look like in law enforcement.”

Sergeant Mike Miley echoed those sentiments, highlighting Bryan’s influence within the department. “Assistant Chief Bryan sets the standard for professionalism and dedication,” Miley said. “He has mentored countless officers and has always led by example. His leadership, deep knowledge of our community, and willingness to serve others make him the ideal choice for this role.”

Belleview Mayor Christine Dobkowski also praised Bryan’s long-standing contributions and the value he brings to the department and the entire city. “Assistant Chief Bryan embodies the spirit of public service,” said Mayor Dobkowski. “He’s served our community faithfully for more than 30 years, and his compassion, experience, and steady leadership have made a lasting difference in the lives of so many. We are proud to have him in this new role.”

Throughout his career, Bryan has served in various leadership and patrol capacities, consistently demonstrating a commitment to the safety and well-being of Belleview residents. As Assistant Chief, he will focus on strategic planning, operational oversight, and the continued development of a department culture rooted in professionalism, community trust, and service.

The City of Belleview extends its sincere congratulations to Assistant Chief Larry Bryan on this distinguished promotion and thanks him for more than three decades of exceptional service.