



# BRISTOL POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Awards Committee

February 7, 2023

PRESENT:

Commissioner Ghio  
Deputy Chief Matt Moskowitz  
Lieutenant Jason Warner  
Sergeant George Franek (arrived at 9:30am)  
Officer James Pelletier  
Officer Brian Bonati  
Dispatcher Christopher Atwood  
Jillian Chase

ABSENT:

Sergeant Jace Deluca  
Detective Todd Lavallee  
Officer Eddie Rivera

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

Lt. Warner called the awards meeting to order at 9:03 A.M.

2. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

No public participation.

3. **CONSIDERATION OF THE MINUTES**

Officer Pelletier made a motion to approve the amended motion for The James McNamee Memorial Award (22-41) from the January 4, 2023 minutes, second by Dispatcher Atwood.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

4. **NOMINATIONS OF AWARDS**

Officer Pelletier made a motion to give The Department Silver Star (23-01) to Officer Campisano, second by Officer Bonati.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

Officer Pelletier made a motion to give The Letter of Appreciation (23-02) to Daryl Smith and Mirela Lalaj, second by Commissioner Ghio.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

Officer Pelletier made a motion to give The Letter of Commendation (23-03) to Dispatchers Therrien, Boyle-Mason, Garcia and Belli, second by Jillian Chase.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

Officer Pelletier made a motion to give The Department Silver Star (23-04) to Officer Hall, second by Officer Bonati.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

Dispatcher Atwood made a motion to give The Letter of Commendation (23-05) to Dispatcher Garcia, second by Officer Pelletier.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

5. **EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**

Dispatcher Atwood made a motion to award Officer Hall and Dispatcher Garcia Employees of the Month for January 2023, second by Commissioner Ghio.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

6. **OLD BUSINESS**

Officer Pelletier made a motion to give The Exceptional Service Award (22-30) to Officer Pollock, second by Commissioner Ghio.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

Discussion held regarding a location choice for upcoming awards ceremony to honor Sgt. Demonte, Officer Hamzy and Officer Iurato. Officer Pelletier and Commissioner Ghio were able to provide pricing for three different location options. The committee was able to narrow the date down to either Wednesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> or Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. Officer Pelletier and Commissioner Ghio will continue to work on the details of the event.

Officer Pelletier brought The James McNamee Award plaques to the meeting to show the committee the final product.

7. **NEW BUSINESS**

Discussion held regarding the creation of the new award, The Medal of Gallantry. Officer Pelletier provided the committee with a visual of what the award will look like and Lt. Warner provided a description.

8. **ADJOURNMENT**

Dispatcher Atwood moved to adjourn, second by Sgt. Franek.

VOTE: Unanimously Passed

The Awards Committee meeting for the 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 2023, was hereby adjourned at 9:56 A.M.

*Jillian Chase*

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Recording Secretary