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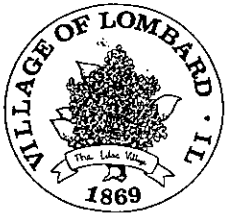
TO: William T. Lichter
Village Manager

FROM: Ray Byrne
Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Swearing In of Probationary Police Officers

As you know, the Police Department has hired three probationary police officers effective September 18th. They include Eric Gouty, Francis Halls and Bradley Bichel. I have attached a brief biography for each of them to this correspondence.

I would like to introduce them to the Village Board and have them formally sworn in at the regularly scheduled Village Board meeting on October 5th. I would respectfully request that you place this ceremony on the agenda for that evening. As is customary, we will hold an informal greeting with cake and coffee in the Community Room at 7:00 p.m. just prior to the Village Board meeting. Thank you.



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TO: All Personnel
FROM: Chief Ray Byrne
DATE: September 20, 2006
SUBJECT: *WELCOME TO NEW EMPLOYEES*

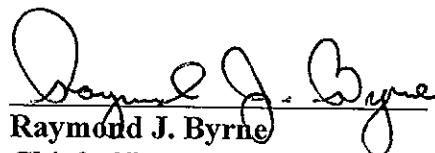
Three new probationary police officers started work with our department on Monday, September 18. Please welcome:

Eric Gouty – Eric and his wife, Valerie, live in Aurora. They are expecting their first child in February. Eric graduated Summa Cum Laude from Elmhurst College and had been working for the DuPage Forest Preserve District as a Ranger Assistant. He enjoys being outdoors - camping, hiking and fishing, and is a Chicago Bears fan. (His father, of course, is our own Mark Gouty.)

Francis (Frank) Halls - Frank and his wife, Vanessa, live in Chicago with 6 year old daughter, Bianca. Frank graduated from Youngstown State University in Ohio and has been working for the past five years with the Chicago Police Department. Frank is a big Pittsburgh Steelers football fan.

Bradley (Brad) Bichel – Brad and his wife, Kelly, live in South Elgin with son, Tyler 3 ½ and daughter Rylee 1 ½ years old. Brad graduated from Kishwaukee College and served as a Corporal in the Marine Corps. He has been working in sales. Brad enjoys sports, particularly football and softball. His father in law is Gene Thomen, a retired Lombard Police Officer.

Please introduce yourself to these new employees and make them feel welcome.


Raymond J. Byrne
Chief of Police

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Come Join Us
 Hear Ye, Hear Ye, Hear Ye!
 Join Us
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Officer Eric Gouty



Officer Frank Halls



Officer Brad Bichel

*The Lombard Police Department
 cordially invites you to join them in celebrating the appointments of
 Eric Gouty, Frank Halls, and Brad Bichel
 to the position of Probationary Police Officer of the
 Lombard Police Department at their
 Swearing-in ceremony on:*



October 5, 2006
7:00 p.m.
Village Hall Community Room
253 E. Wilton Ave.
Lombard, IL

A formal swearing in ceremony will take place at the beginning of the Village Board meeting scheduled for 7:30 PM.



Cake and coffee will be served