



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

MEETING DATE: June 6, 2022
PREPARED BY: Human Resources
AGENDA ITEM: Promotion of police sergeant

PREVIOUS ACTIONS:

Motion to authorize staff to begin the recruitment process for the position of police sergeant and any subsequent vacant position in the Police Department due to the resignation of Sergeant Dan Wilson effective October 1, 2021.

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL ACTION:

Motion to approve the promotion of Keith Stuart to the position of sergeant in the Police Department, with an annual salary of \$112,326.24 effective June 7, 2022, subject to a twelve-month probationary period.

COMMENTS:

Officer Stuart has served with the Maple Grove Police Department for 19 years. His assignments included specialty positions of firearms instructor, emergency response unit operator and precision rifle operator, field training officer for 14 years, Citizen's Police Academy instructor, and bike patrol officer. Officer Stuart was instrumental in re-energizing the K-9 program with his partner Calo. He brought four years of law enforcement experience to Maple Grove when working for the Wright County Sheriff's Office and two smaller cities in Minnesota. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice Studies from St. Cloud State University and obtained his Law Enforcement Skills program from Alexandria Technical College. Officer Stuart is a tremendous addition to the police department leadership team!
Eric T. Werner, Chief of Police

ATTACHMENTS:

None