DAVID M. ROSS

Professional Summary

I am the police chief for the City of Kenai with approximately 20 years of progressively responsible police experience with the department. This includes the positions of patrol officer, investigator, patrol sergeant, lieutenant, and police chief for the last five years. I have been a resident of the State of Alaska since 1971.

Work History

Police Chief, 05/2016 to Current

City Of Kenai – Kenai, Alaska

- Department Head in charge of the City Police Department, Dispatch Center, and Animal Control.
- Manage up to 36 employees.
- Manage and prepare Department budgets in excess of 4.5 million dollars annually.
- Grant application and management.
- Coordinate capital upgrades to department equipment and facilities.
- Incident Management Team experience.
- Major incident management experience.
- Acting City Manager experience.

Police Lieutenant 2/2010 to 5/2016,

City Of Kenai – Kenai, Alaska

- Managed two patrol teams and one investigations unit.
- Supervised the Animal Control Chief.
- Conducted Internal Affairs Investigations.
- Coordinated officer training.
- Police public information officer.

Police Sergeant, 05/2009 to 02/2010

City Of Kenai – Kenai, Alaska

• Supervised team of patrol officers.

Police Officer, 7/2001 to 2/2009

City Of Kenai – Kenai, Alaska

- Patrol Officer 5 years.
- Investigator 3 years.

Estimator / Foreman / Equipment Operator (Road Construction) 1986-2001

Ross Services Dirt Movers – Soldotna, Alaska

- Estimator
- Job Foreman
- Heavy Equipment Operator

Commercial Truck Driver

Education & Training

Associate of Arts Degree: University of Alaska

Police Training

- Department of Public Safety Basic Academy Graduate, 2001
- Advanced Police Certificate issued in 2010.
- FBI National Academy Graduate, 2014
- Thousands of hours of online and in-person training in all facets of patrol, investigations, police supervision, and management. (Details available on request)

Affiliations

- Crime Stoppers of the Kenai Peninsula Past Law Enforcement Coordinator (2007-2008)
- Boys and Girls Club of the Kenai Peninsula Past Board Member (2007-2009)
- Police Explorer Program Past Advisor
- High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) Past Board Member (2018-2019)
- Alaska Peace Officers Association Member (2012-2021)
- FBI National Academy Associates Member (2014-2021)
- Alaska Association of Chiefs of Police Member (2015-2021)
- International Association of Chiefs of Police Past Member
- Alaska Municipal League Joint Insurance Association (AMLJIA) Current chairman of Police Professional Advisory Committee. (2020-2021)
- Calvary Baptist Church Past Assistant Treasurer (2013-2020), and Current Treasurer (2021)