

144th Law Enforcement Agency Accreditation Council Meeting

September 10, 2025



**Law Enforcement Agency
Accreditation Council**

New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services
80 South Swan Street, Albany, New York 12110

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Law Enforcement Agency Accreditation Council

Meeting 144
September 10, 2025
1:00 pm

Division of Criminal Justice Services
Alfred E. Smith State Office Building
80 South Swan Street, Albany, NY 12210
Room 118, Crime Stat Room

AGENDA

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| 1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance | <i>Executive Deputy Commissioner Joseph Popcun</i> |
| 2. Roll Call | <i>Accreditation Unit Staff</i> |
| 3. Introductions | <i>Executive Deputy Commissioner Joseph Popcun</i> |
| 4. Introductory Remarks | <i>Executive Deputy Commissioner Joseph Popcun</i> |

ACTION ITEMS

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| 5. Approval of June Meeting Minutes | <i>Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse</i> |
| 6. Approval of Applications for Accreditation | <i>Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse</i> |
| 1. Cayuga County Sheriff's Office | |
| 2. Port Jervis City Police Department | |

7. Approval of Applications for Reaccreditation

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

3. Beacon City Police Department
4. Bethlehem Town Police Department
5. Cornwall Town Police Department
6. Rye Brook Village Police Department
7. Scarsdale Village Police Department
8. Schenectady City Police Department
9. St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office
10. Utica City Police Department
11. Warren County Sheriff's Office
12. Waterford Town & Village Police Department

8. Presentation of Certificates

*Executive Deputy Commissioner Joseph Popcun
Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse*

1. Cayuga County Police Department
2. Port Jervis City Police Department
3. Beacon City Police Department
4. Bethlehem Town Police Department
5. Cornwall Town Police Department
6. Rye Brook Village Police Department
7. Scarsdale Village Police Department
8. Schenectady City Police Department
9. St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office
10. Utica City Police Department
11. Warren County Sheriff's Office
12. Waterford Town & Village Police Department

9. Approval of Annual Compliance Surveys

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

- a. Accept 3rd Quarter, 2025, Annual Compliance Surveys identified in Appendix A

10. Mandatory Certification pursuant to EXC 846-h (1)(d)

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

- a. Recertification of 3rd Quarter, 2025, covered agencies identified in Appendix B

11. Approval of Assessor Application

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

- a. Sergeant Krystyna Feola – Madison County Sheriff's Office

12. Proposed 2026 Meeting Dates

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

- 1. Thursday, March 5, 2026
- 2. Thursday, June 4, 2026
- 3. Thursday, September 10, 2026
- 4. Thursday, December 3, 2026

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

13. Program Updates

Accreditation Unit Staff

- a. Survey Results
- b. Staff Update
- c. Council Members

NEW BUSINESS

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Deputy Commissioner Michael Bonse

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Law Enforcement Accreditation Council is on December 4, 2025, at 10:00 am.



Law Enforcement Agency Accreditation Council

Minutes of the 143rd meeting held on June 5th, 2025.

1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Rossana Rosado called the 143rd meeting of the council to order at 10:01 a.m. on June 5th, 2025. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Commissioner Rosado asked for a moment of silence to honor the members of law enforcement and the armed services who have died in the line of duty.

2. Roll Call

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:

Martin Floss, Ph.D. - Hilbert College - Criminal Justice Faculty Team Advisor
Chief Deputy Leighton Filiatrault - St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office
Sheriff Todd Baxter - Monroe County Sheriff's Office
Chief Martine Materasso - New York City Police Department
Deputy Superintendent Colonel Daniel Cooney – New York State Police
Detective Erik Breitwieser – Southampton Town Police Department
Sergeant Joseph Pugliese – Metropolitan Transportation Authority Police
Detective (ret.) Michelle Randall-Williams - New York City Police Department
Director William Rivera- MyOwn Image
Supervisor Peter G. Barber – Town of Guilderland
Rev. Dr. Marlowe Washington - Agape Fellowship United Methodist Church

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT:

3. Introductions

DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES STAFF

Rossana Rosado – Commissioner, DCJS
Joseph Popcun – Executive Deputy Commissioner, DCJS
Michael Bonse – Deputy Commissioner, DCJS
Johanna Sullivan – Director, OPS
Ashley Sheroka, OPS Accreditation Unit
Kristina Zanella – OPS Accreditation Unit
Madison Klick – OPS Accreditation Unit

Joanna Cadena - OPS Accreditation Unit
Natasha Harvin-Locklear, Esq. – Office of Legal Services
Colleen Glavin, Esq. – Office of Legal Services
Juliana Guo, Esq. – Office of Legal Services

REPRESENTATIVES FROM APPLICANT AGENCIES:

Chester Town Police Department

Chief Daniel Doellinger
Administrative Sergeant Norman Vitale
*Sergeant Bruce Chambers

Eastchester Town Police Department

Chief Joseph Rodriguez
*Sergeant Joseph Pegna

Haverstraw Town Police Department

Chief John Gould Jr.
*Lieutenant James Hansen
*Sergeant Joseph Privitera

North Syracuse Village Police Department

Chief Chance Fieldson
*Officer Martin Ferguson
Lieutenant Frank Hrotko
*Detective Thomas Mirabella

Old Westbury Village Police Department

AGENCY NOT IN ATTENDANCE

Suffolk County Police Department

*Officer Brian Bulter

*Denotes Agency Program Manager in Attendance

ACTION ITEMS

4. Approval of the March Meeting Minutes

Supervisor Barber made a motion to approve the meeting minutes and Deputy Superintendent Cooney seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

5. Approval of Applications for Accreditation

Chester Town Police Department

Sergeant Pugliese made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Director Rivera seconded the motion.

Motion carried -10 ayes, 0 nay

6. Approval of Applications for Reaccreditation

Eastchester Town Police Department

Chief Materasso made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Supervisor Barber seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

Haverstraw Town Police Department

Deputy Superintendent Cooney made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Sgt. Pugliese seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

North Syracuse Village Police Department

Dr. Floss made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Supervisor Barber seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

Old Westbury Village Police Department

Chief Materasso made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Sgt. Pugliese seconded the motion.

Motion carried – 10 ayes, 0 nay

Suffolk County Police Department

Director Rivera made a motion to approve the reaccreditations and Deputy Superintendent Cooney seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

7. Presentation of Certificates

Chester Town Police Department

Chief Daniel Doellinger accepted the Certificate of Accreditation, and the John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Sergeant Bruce Chambers as the program manager.

Eastchester Town Police Department

Chief Joseph Rodriguez accepted the Certificate of Accreditation, and the John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Sergeant Joseph Pegna as the program manager.

Haverstraw Town Police Department

Chief John Gould Jr. accepted the Certificate of Accreditation, and the John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Lieutenant James Hansen and Sergeant Joseph Privitera as of the program managers.

North Syracuse Village Police Department

Chief Chance Fieldson the accepted the Certificate of Accreditation, and the John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Officer Martin Ferguson as the program manager.

Old Westbury Village Police Department

The Old Westbury Village Police Department was unable to attend. Certificates were mailed out directly after the meeting.

Suffolk County Police Department

Officer Brian Butler accepted the Certificate of Accreditation, and the John Kimball O'Neil Certificate of Achievement was awarded to Officer Brian Butler as the program manager.

At 10:34 am, Deputy Commissioner Mike Bonse announced that there would be a break in the meeting so visitors would have an opportunity to excuse themselves if necessary. The meeting reconvened at 10:49 am.

8. Approval of Annual Compliance Surveys

Amherst Town Police Department, Amityville Village Police Department, Binghamton City Police Department, Buffalo City Police Department, Cheektowaga Town Police Department, Cicero Town Police Department, Clarkstown Town Police, DeWitt Town Police Department, Dutchess County Sheriff's Office, East Hampton Town police Department, East Rochester Village Police Department, Erie County Sheriff's Office, Geneseo Village Police Department, Harrison Town Police Department, Hudson City Police Department, Huntington Bay Village Police Department, Liverpool Village Police Department, Lockport City police Department, Monroe Village Police Department, New Rochelle City Police Department, New Windsor Town Police Department, Ontario County Sheriff's Office, Quogue Village Police Department, Ramapo Town Police Department, Rensselaer City Police Department, Riverhead Town Police Department, Shelter Island Town Police Department, stony Point Town Police Department, SUNY Albany University Police, USNY Alfred University Police, SUNY Buffalo State University Police, SUNY Cobleskill University Police, SUNY Oneonta, SUNY Potsdam University Police, Tioga County Sheriff's Office, Ulster Town Police Department, Woodbury Town Police Department

Chief Materasso made a motion to accept the Annual Compliance Surveys received, and Supervisor Barber seconded the motion.

Motion carried - 10 ayes, 0 nay

9. Mandatory Certification of Agencies Pursuant to EXC 846-h (1)(d)

Chester Town Police Department, Eastchester Town Police Department, Haverstraw Town Police Department, Lloyd Harbor Village Police Department, Nissequogue Village Police Department, Norfolk Southern Police Department, Northport Village Police Department, Old Westbury Village Police Department, Philmont Village Police Department, Plattekill Town Police Department, Sleepy Hollow Village Police Department, Somers Town Police Department, Suffolk County Police Department, SUNY HSC Brooklyn, Tuxedo Town Police Department, Walden Village Police Department, Watervliet City Police Department, Wellsville Village Police Department, Willing Town Police Department, Windham Town Police Department

Director Rivera made a motion to accept the recertifications received, and Sgt. Pugliese seconded the motion.

Motion carried – 10 ayes, 0 nay

10. Approval of Standard 44.4 Revision

Standard 44.4 – Safeguarding Children of Arrested Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Chief Materasso made a motion to accept the addition of the new standard, and Dr. Floss seconded the motion.

Motion carried – 10 ayes, 0 nay

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

11. Program Updates

a) Program Updates

Ashley Sheroka gave details on ongoing program updates.

b) Standards Review

Ashley Sheroka gave details on an upcoming standards review.

c) Council Members

Continued efforts to fill vacant positions including Chairman are continued being made.

NEW BUSINESS

Executive Deputy Commissioner Joe Popcun welcomed Chief Martine Materasso from the NYPD to the Law Enforcement Accreditation Council.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

New business being complete, Sgt. Pugliese made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Floss seconded the motion, which was passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 am.

The next meeting of the Law Enforcement Accreditation Council is held on September 10th, 2025, at 1:00 pm.

APPENDIX A

3rd Quarter 2025





APPENDIX A

3rd Quarter 2025 Agency Annual Compliance Surveys

1. Bedford Town Police Department
2. Blooming Grove Town Police Department
3. Brighton Town Police Department
4. Broome County Sheriff's Office
5. Centre Island Village Police Department
6. Chautauqua County Sheriff's Office
7. Columbia County Sheriff's Office
8. Fulton County Sheriff's Office
9. Guilderland Town Police Department
10. Johnson City Village Police Department
11. Lancaster Town Police Department
12. Madison County Sheriff's Office
13. Manlius Town Police Department
14. Mount Pleasant Town Police Department
15. Niagara Falls City Police Department
16. Niagara Frontier Transportation Authority
17. Ogden Town Police Department
18. Onondaga County Sheriff's Office
19. Ossining Village Police Department
20. Oswego City Police Department
21. Oswego County Sheriff's Office
22. Peekskill City Police Department
23. Putnam County Sheriff's Office
24. Rye City Police Department
25. Seneca Falls Town Police Department
26. Southampton Town Police Department
27. Southampton Village Police Department
28. Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
29. Tompkins County Sheriff's Office
30. Tonawanda Town Police Department
31. Tuckahoe Village Police Department
32. West Seneca Town Police Department
33. Yonkers City Police Department
34. Yorktown Town Police Department

APPENDIX B

3rd QUARTER 2025





APPENDIX B

3rd Quarter 2025 Agency Certifications

1. Bath Village Police Department
2. Beacon City Police Department *
3. Bethlehem Town Police Department *
4. Cayuga County Sheriff's Office *
5. Clifton Springs Village Police Department
6. Cohocton Town Police Department
7. Corning City Police Department
8. Cornwall Town Police Department *
9. Inlet Town Police Department
10. Kirkland Town Police Department
11. New Hartford Town Police Department
12. Painted Post Village Police Department
13. Port Jervis City Police Department *
14. Pulaski Village Police Department
15. Scarsdale Village Police Department *
16. Schenectady City Police Department *
17. St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office *
18. Steuben County Sheriff's Office
19. SUNY Delhi University Police *
20. SUNY Morrisville University Police
21. SUNY Oswego University Police
22. SUNY System Administration University Police
23. Utica City Police Department *
24. Warren County Sheriff's Office *
25. Waterford Town & Village Police Department *
26. Wayland Village Police Department
27. Weedsport Village Police Department



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NYSACOP Appointments

Community Representative

Rev. Dr. Marlowe Washington

Agape Fellowship United Methodist Church
121 Scholfield Road
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(Term Expires 9/21/2024)

Crime Victims Appointment

William Rivera

Director
MyOwn Image
518-482-4222

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(Term Expires 02/13/2025)

PCNY Appointment

Sergeant Joseph Pugliese

MTA Police Department
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New York, NY 10017
212-878-1001

jpugliese@mtapba.org

(Term Expires 3/20/2026)

NYSSA Appointments

Sheriff Todd Baxter

Monroe County Sheriff's Office
130 Plymouth Avenue South
Rochester, NY 14614
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(Term Expires 3/20/2022)

NYSSA/NYSDA Appointment

Chief Dep. Leighton Filiatrault

St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Office
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(Term Expires 5/1/2021)

NYSACOP/PCNY Appointment

Det. Erik Breitwieser

Southampton Town Police Department
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(Term Expires 3/20/2025)

NYS Association of Towns

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(Term Expires 4/11/2026)

Academic Appointment

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(Term Expires 04/11/2023)

Senate Appointment

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8 Vacancies:

Speaker of the Assembly – 1
NYS Association of Counties – 1
NYS Association of Mayors – 1
NYSSA – 1
NYSACOP – 3



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