

The Village of Sugar Grove Welcomes Patrick Rollins as the New Chief of Police

At their June 4, 2013 Meeting, Village of Sugar Grove President Sean Michels and the Board of Trustees entered into an agreement with Mr. Patrick (Pat) Rollins in which he accepted the position of Sugar Grove Chief of Police. Chief Rollins will officially begin his duties on July 8, 2013.

Chief Rollins comes to Sugar Grove with over 23 years of experience in law enforcement. For the last 12 years of his career, he served as Deputy Chief of Police for the Village of Lombard. Based on his professional track record, Chief Rollins was selected by the FBI National Academy to be trained at their headquarters in Quantico, Virginia and was a member of the Academy's 248th graduating class of 2012. He is also a graduate of Northwestern University's Center for Public Safety Executive Management Program and received the Director's Award for Top Academic Performance at the Command Officer's Southern Police Institute. Chief Rollins holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business from the University of New Mexico.

He led his former department to be accredited and consistently recognized nationally by CALEA. Most recently, he launched the Violent Intruder Program in DuPage, Cook, and surrounding counties to increase awareness of school and community protection. Chief Rollins also has extensive command experience with community and sporting events including the 2012 PGA Ryder Cup.

Chief Rollins stated that he is looking forward to working for Sugar Grove and leading the Department into the future, "Sugar Grove is a special community and I am excited to work with such a great team of law enforcement professionals to serve its residents. Having participated in the growth of Lombard, I learned that successful policing takes teamwork between our officers, the Sugar Grove Board, residents, neighboring communities, and

partnerships with other agencies. I feel honored to have this opportunity to help the Village Board insure an impressive future for Sugar Grove.”

President Sean Michels stated, that, “Chief Rollins will be replacing current interim Chief of Police, Ron Moser. “We wish Chief Moser all the best in his retirement and we thank him for his exemplary work over the past year. We are confident that Chief Rollins will continue and expand on the strides that Chief Moser made and that Chief Rollins will more than live up to his reputation as an outstanding committed law enforcement officer who leads by example and with professionalism. We look forward to having Pat as our Chief and ask the community to welcome him.”

Chief Rollins will be appointed and take the Oath of Office at an upcoming meeting where he will be formally introduced to the community.