



Burlington Police Department

Roll Call History of Burlington Police Chiefs

In 1865, the Town of Burlington had several Constables protecting the town. In 1866, the City of Burlington appointed the first Burlington Police Department chief, then called a First Constable.

Luman A. Drew, First Constable, February 1866 – 1867

N.B. Flanagan, First Constable, 1867 – 1873

Luman A. Drew, Chief of Police, 1873 – 1883

Joseph Barton, Chief of Police, 1883 – 1885

E.S. Adsit, Chief of Police, 1885 – 1886

Joseph Barton, Chief of Police, 1887 – 1890

Jerome Dumas, Chief of Police, 1890 – 1898 (Died in 1898)

Loomis J. Smith, Chief of Police, 1898 – 1899

Edward F. Brownell, Chief of Police, 1899 – 1903

Patrick J. Russell, Chief of Police, 1903 – 1931

Patrick J. Cosgrove, Chief of Police, 1931 – 1934

Victor Fisher, Chief of Police, 1934 – 1938

Arthur W. Thalacker, Chief of Police, 1939 – 1940

Frank G. Raymond, Chief of Police, 1941 – 1948 (Died in 1948)

Donald P. Russell, Chief of Police, 1948 – 2/1/1962

George A. McKenzie, Chief of Police, 2/1/1962 – 3/1/1962

Arthur J. Carron, Chief of Police, 3/1/1962 – 11/26/1974

Richard E. Beaulieu, Chief of Police, 11/26/1974 – 10/2/1975

Robert G. Abare, Chief of Police, 10/9/1975 – 1/1/1980

Richard E. Beaulieu, Chief of Police, 1/1/1980 – 4/13/1985

William T. Burke, Chief of Police, 2/17/1985 – 2/18/1986

Kevin P. Scully, Chief of Police, 2/19/1986 – 8/28/1998

Alana M. Ennis, Chief of Police, 12/1/1998 – 9/30/2003

Thomas R. Tremblay, Chief of Police, 10/1/2003 – 2/4/2008

Michael E. Schirling, Chief of Police, 2/4/2008 - present