

Town of Yorktown

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Marshal Ginnan is recommending that the open police officer position be filled by Officer Matthew Thompson. Officer Thompson is an ILEA certified officer and currently is employed by the Town of Middletown. He has been working during our staffing shortage as a part time officer for Yorktown.

As an ILEA certified officer, the town will not need to send Mr. Thompson away to the academy, instead allowing him to be placed on a modified field training program and released to normal duty quicker.

The Marshal is recommending that we bring Mr. Thompson in to the department with the pay associated with his years of service, which has been customary when the Town has brought certified officers on to the department.

Additionally, the Marshal has started assembling a list of certified officers that are interested in joining the department should additional openings occur.

Pete Olson Town Manager