

VILLAGE OF WESTFIELD CENTER, OHIO

RESOLUTION 2025-09

**A RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE WESTFIELD CENTER
POLICE CHIEF CHAD B. MEYERS ON THE
OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT**

WHEREAS, the Council, Mayor, Fiscal Officer and Law Director for the Village of Westfield Center, Ohio hereby recognize Police Chief Chad B. Meyers for his nearly thirty-three year commitment to protecting the lives and property of Ohio citizens, and particularly, his six years of dedicated and faithful service to the Village of Westfield Center; and

WHEREAS, Chad attended The University of Akron, and was certified through the Summit County Sheriff's Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy, and Northwestern University's School of Police Staff and Command; and

WHEREAS, prior to being named Police Chief in Westfield Center, Chad retired as Deputy of the Medina County Sheriff's Office after twenty-four years of service including positions as Sargent-Patrol Division, and Commander-Medina County Swat Team; and

WHEREAS, whose law enforcement career also included positions as Deputy in the Summit County Sheriff's Office, Security Officer at Westfield Group, and Auxiliary Patrolman in the Seville, OH Police Department; and

WHEREAS, given his diverse background as a law enforcement professional Chad was an ideal fit for the position of Police Chief in Westfield Center, and began his service to the Village on June 11, 2019, and has faithfully served in that capacity until his retirement on May 2, 2025; and

WHEREAS, throughout his tenure as Police Chief, Chad has provided courage and compassion in serving the Westfield Center community and has been instrumental in modernizing various facets of the Police Department; and, individually, has been responsible for saving lives and has been a staunch supporter of Westfield Fire and Rescue in their efforts to save lives; and,

WHEREAS, as the principal law enforcement officer of the Village for six years, he has been recognizable to Village residents, and an approachable friend as much as a protector of the peace and tranquility of our community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council for the Village of Westfield Center, Ohio, on behalf of the Village, Village Officers and residents, that Police Chief Chad B. Meyers is hereby commended for his six years of service to the Village of Westfield Center and for tirelessly keeping our community safe throughout his service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the official Chief's badge of the Village of Westfield Center Police Department, issued to and worn by Chief Meyers in the line of duty, is presented to Chief Meyers in recognition and honor of his service to the Village of Westfield Center, Ohio

Passed: May 7, 2025

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