

## **Chief Dustin T. Burch**

Chief Burch has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2004 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy in Jamestown, New York. He holds an associate degree from Jamestown Community College in police science/criminal justice. Chief Burch was appointed as a Patrolman in 2004 and was promoted to Chief of Police in 2011. Chief Burch supervises the operation of the whole Police Department as well as serving on the executive board for the ALERT (SWAT) Team. Chief Burch's department duties also include firearm's instructor, general topics instructor, domestic violence instructor, instructor evaluator, and field training officer. He is currently a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, New York State Association of Chiefs of Police, the Western New York Association of Chiefs of Police, Lions Club, and Allegany County Combat Heroin and Opiate Abuse Committee. Chief Burch currently sits on the Environmental Strategies Board as a key leader and co-chairman dealing with drug issues in Allegany County as well as acting as a board member of the advisory committee for the Boces Law Enforcement career and technical education program.

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## **Sergeant Brad Howe**

Sergeant Howe has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2002 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy in Jamestown, New York. Sergeant Howe holds an associate's degree in criminal justice from Corning Community College. Sergeant Howe was appointed as a patrolman in 2002 and promoted to Sergeant in 2013. Sergeant Howe supervises patrolman on daily operations and special assignments. Sergeant Howe is currently a member of ALERT (Swat Team) and his duties at the police department include: warrant control officer, Taser instructor, field training officer, and field intelligence officer.

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## **Patrolman Jim Galatio**

Patrolman Galatio has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 1990 when he graduated from Genesee Community College and the Rural Police Training Academy. Officer Galatio was appointed a patrolman in 1990 and promoted to explosive detection K-9 Officer in 2013. Officer Galatio currently serves as one half of the Cuba Police Department K-9 Unit with his partner K-9 Inga a female Black Labrador. Officer Galatio's duties at the police department are: K-9 Officer, Dare Officer, and Field Training Officer.

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## **Patrolman Aaron Wight**

Patrolman Wight has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2009 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy in Jamestown, New York. He holds a degree in Law Enforcement Technology from Jamestown Community College. Officer Wight was appointed as a patrolman in 2009 and promoted to K-9 Officer in 2013. Officer Wight currently serves as the second half of the K-9 Unit with his partner K-9 Keira a German shepherd. Officer Wight's duties at the police department include: narcotics detection K-9, field training officer, firearms instructor, general topics instructor, domestic violence instructor, instructor evaluator, car seat technician, and sex offender registry officer.

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## **Patrolman Dave Bentley**

Patrolman Bentley has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 1989 when he graduated from the Finger Lakes Law Enforcement Academy. He was appointed as a patrolman in 1989. He currently serves on the ALERT team (Swat Team) and is a field training officer.

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## **Patrolman Frank Schostick**

Patrolman Schostick has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2009 when he graduated from the Rural Police Training Academy in Batavia. Officer Schostick graduated earning TOP GUN and first place in physical fitness. Officer Schostick was appointed as a patrolman in 2009. Officer Schostick's duties in the police department include: firearms instructor, general topics instructor, instructor evaluator, Certified Glock Armorer, field training officer, bike patrol, and youth officer.

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## **Patrolman Dylan Burch**

Patrolman Burch has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2011 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy. Officer Burch holds an associate's degree in police science/criminal justice from Jamestown Community College. Officer Burch's department duties also include certified bike patrol, general topics instructor, and certified field training officer.

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### **Patrolman Greg Stagg**

Patrolman Stagg has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2005 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy in Jamestown, New York. Officer Stagg graduated number 1 in his academy class. Officer Stagg hold a bachelor's degree from St. Bonaventure University in accounting.

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### **Patrolman Bryant Hughes**

Patrolman Hughes has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2011 when he graduated from the Rural Police Training Academy in Batavia, New York.

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### **Patrolman Evan Smith**

Patrolman Smith has been serving with the Cuba Police Department Since 2015 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy where he graduated with the honor of the physical fitness award. Patrolman Smith holds a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Alfred University.

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### **Patrolman Timothy Emley**

Patrolman Emley has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy in 2001. Officer Emily has an Associate's degree in Criminal Justice from Jamestown Community College in Olean and obtained his New York State teaching Certificate from Buffalo State College in 2004. Officer Emily is currently the director of the criminal justice program at the Cattaraugus Boces center in Ellicottville, New York.

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### **Patrolman Walter Mackney**

Patrolman Mackney has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2014. Prior to that, Patrolman Mackney served with the New York State Police where he retired with over 25 years of service. Patrolman Mackney retired with the permanent rank of sergeant investigator assigned as the commander of the Southern Tier Regional Drug Task Force. Patrolman Mackney received numerous commendations to include 2 Superintendents letters of commendation and 1 Superintendent's commendation. Patrolman Mackney is a certified New York State hostage negotiator. Officer Mackney's department duties include general topics instructor, firearms instructor and Domestic Violence Instructor.

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### **Patrolman Chris Steiner**

Patrolman Chris Steiner has been serving with the Cuba Police Department since 2015 when he graduated from the Chautauqua County Sheriff's Academy.

Patrolman Steiner also served in the United States Military from 2010 until present. Patrolman Steiner holds an associate's degree in individual studies with a focus in criminal justice from Jamestown Community College.

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#### **Dog Control Officer Richard Patterer**

Dog Control Officer Patterer has worked as the Town Dog Control Officer for the past 3 years. His duties include taking stray dogs into safe custody and returning them to their owners, completing the dog control survey on a yearly basis and managing the licensing of all dogs within the Town of Cuba. The Dog Control Officer is also responsible for working with the Police Department to investigate any allegations or cases of animal cruelty and abuse.

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#### **Administrative Aid Rosie Chambers**

The administrative aid assists with daily operations such as filing of paperwork, working on grants, assisting with budgets as well as many other important administrative tasks.

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**Department Emergency Medical Technician Aaron Applebee**

The Department EMT is a New York State certified EMT. The Department EMT's responsibilities include making sure officers are safe on scenes such as meth labs, narcotic raids, and dangerous warrant round ups. The Department EMT stands by on scenes to make sure should any officers get injured that they receive the proper medical attention.

**Police Department Chaplains**

Pastor John Ward

Pastor Jeff Giampa



### K-9 Inga

Inga is a 3 year old black Labrador retriever. Inga is trained and certified nationally in explosive detection. Inga is trained to detect various items such as firearms, gunpowder, C4, PETN, ANFO, TNT, and various other materials used in the manufacturing of explosives.

