



## City of North Canton, Ohio

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**For Immediate Release:**

**Date: Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**Time: 3:25 PM**

**Released By: John R Minock**

**Re: Officer Promotions**

### **RELEASE SUMMARY**

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**On Oct 24<sup>th</sup> 2017 two of the City's Police Officers were promoted to new ranks, to fill vacancies left by previous retirements and promotions. Mayor David Held swore them in at City Hall with family, friends, and co-workers present.**

**Sgt Douglas Cardwell was promoted to the position of Lieutenant to fill the vacancy left when John Minock was named Chief in June of this year. Doug has been with our Department full time since 1999 and was promoted to Sgt in 2012. He was a very active patrol officer, a Field Training Officer, and has assisted in the Detective Bureau, the SRT team, the OVI Task Force, and currently oversees operation of our Property/Evidence Room. He has two adult children and lives in Jackson Township with his wife Anita.**

**Officer Matthew Buzzard was promoted to the rank of Sergeant to fill Lt Cardwell's position. Matt has been one of our most active and respected patrol officers since he was hired in 2012, and is currently a Field Training Officer. Matt lives in North Canton with his wife Rachel and two young sons.**

**Photo below is left to right,  
Chief John Minock, Sgt Matt Buzzard, Lt Doug Cardwell, Mayor David Held.**



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