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*Chief of Police Gerald Butler*

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## Sergeant and Corporal Promotions

On Wednesday, January 31, 2024, the Lake City Police Department held a promotional ceremony for the new Patrol Sergeant and Patrol Corporal.



Sergeant LaQuinta Lovick-Plemmons joined the Lake City Police Department in December 2018. With a genuine interest in her community and public safety, the desire to serve others led her to select law enforcement as her lifelong career. She has an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice and is a General Instructor. In her time at the department, she has served as a Field Training Officer, a Patrol Corporal, and a Detective Corporal. Sergeant Lovick-Plemmons hopes to further her involvement in the department's Field Training and Evaluation Program.



Corporal Taylor Sapp joined the Lake City Police Department in June 2017 as a Public Safety Communications Officer. Inspired to become more involved in first response, she completed the law enforcement academy while working full-time. Graduating in December 2018, she began her career as a patrol officer in January 2018. In her time at the department, she has also served as a Field Training Officer and Detective. Corporal Sapp holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Cybersecurity Management. She is actively involved in the Police Explorers program as an Explorer Advisor. She plans to continue to develop her education and knowledge to provide exceptional leadership and mentoring to new officers and youth.

"We commend these remarkable individuals for their outstanding accomplishments," expressed Chief of Police Gerald Butler. "Their commitment to self-improvement, continuous learning, and willingness to mentor others exemplifies the caliber of supervisors within our department."



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