

**CITY OF ALLENTOWN**

**No. 43**

**RESOLUTION**

**R – 2020**

***Introduced by the Administration on April 15, 2020***

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**Appointment of 8 Police Officers**

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***Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown, That***

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT**, Council appoints the following, as a Patrolman, in the Department of Police, at a base salary of \$60,807 per annum. All appointments are contingent upon the candidate passing physical and psychological examinations as stipulated in the Police Civil Service Rules and Regulations and obtaining and maintaining a valid state certification from the Pennsylvania Municipal Police Officers Education and Training Commission.

Hiring of seven (7) police officers:

Jeramy DeVaul, Hackettstown, NJ  
Paul Vlcek, Tamaqua, PA  
Jonathan Manning, Drums, PA  
Anthony Campanell, Jr., Allentown, PA  
Louis Santiago, Allentown, PA  
Joel Methven, New Philadelphia, PA  
Cody Mullins, Schuylkill Haven, PA  
Samir Portillo, Telford, PA

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT**, the above seven (7) police officers hiring is effective on Monday, April 6, 2020.

- **What Department or bureau is Bill originating from? Where did the initiative for the bill originate?**

Police Department

- **Summary and Facts of the Bill**

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- **Purpose – Please include the following in your explanation:**
  - **What does the Bill do – what are the specific goals/tasks the bill seek to accomplish**
  - **What are the Benefits of doing this/Down-side of doing this**
  - **How does this Bill related to the City's Vision/Mission/Priorities**

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- **Financial Impact – Please include the following in your explanation:**
  - **Cost (Initial and ongoing)**
  - **Benefits (initial and ongoing)**

No financial impact. Officers hired through the General Fund.

- **Funding Sources – Please include the following in your explanation:**
  - **If transferring funds, please make sure bill gives specific accounts; if appropriating funds from a grant list the agency awarding the grant.**

The General Fund - 000-04-0802-0001-02

- **Priority status/Deadlines, if any**

As soon as practical

- **Why should Council unanimously support this bill?**

Benefit City of Allentown with additional police presence.