

January 3, 2022 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Erik Jensen Jensen Strategies, LLC 503-477-5615

The City of Scappoose, OR has designated three finalists for the position of Chief of Police: Phillip Kearney, Steven Lougal, and Janie Schutz.

The community will have an opportunity to meet the finalists through a virtual online reception the evening of Wednesday, January 12th. To RSVP for the online reception please email Emily Rehder (Emily@jensenstrategies.com).



Philip Kearney

Phillip Kearney currently serves as an Assistant Special Agent in Charge for the Oregon Department of Justice/Criminal Justice Division. Mr. Kearney has previous leadership work experience working for the US Drug Enforcement Administration as Resident Agent in Charge, and Supervisory Special Agent. Mr. Kearney holds a Master of Organizational Management from the University of Phoenix and a Bachelor of Science in Judicial Administration from Liberty University.



Steven Lougal

Steven Lougal currently serves as Captain for the Bridgeport, CT Police Department. Mr. Lougal has previous leadership work experience working for the City of Bridgeport, CT as Lieutenant and Sergeant. Mr. Lougal holds a Master of Law Enforcement and Public Safety Leadership from the University of San Diego and a Bachelor of Science from Charter Oak State College.



Janie Schutz

Janie Schutz is currently working as a Relationship Manager for a national thinktank organization that is currently working on reimagining Public Safety in Portland, OR. Ms. Schutz has previous leadership work experience working as Chief of Police for the City of Forest Grove, Chief of Police for Wadesboro, NC, and Detective Sergeant/Sergeant of Patrol for Lake Lure Police Department in Lake Lure, NC. Ms. Schutz has a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice and Political Science.