

Eric Hopley

Mr. Hopley started his law enforcement career in 1983 with the Upland Police Department after obtaining an AA degree from Chaffey Community College. After working two years as a police officer, Mr. Hopley lateraled to the City of Ontario. During his career at Ontario, Mr. Hopley was assigned to many special assignments: Patrol, Detective Bureau, Gang Unit, Narcotics Division, and Internal Affairs. During his career, Mr. Hopley attended and graduated from the University of La Verne with a bachelor's degree in Organizational Management and also attended the FBI National Academy. He quickly moved up the ranks to Police Chief, a goal he set to create change and harmony as the department grew.

As the Police Chief, Mr. Hopley supervised 330 employees, while administering a \$65-million-dollar budget. Mr. Hopley brought the Area Command style of Community Policing to the department to improve responsiveness to crime issues and to increase communication with the public and community leaders of all cultural backgrounds. Further, Mr. Hopley created a more diverse workforce reflecting the community of Ontario while implementing programs that reflected more inclusiveness and safety within and outside the department.

After retiring from the City of Ontario, he accepted a position with Southern California Edison as a Sr. Manager of their Corporate Security organization where he continues to supervise employees charged with thefts and threats against the company. Also, Mr. Hopley chairs the organizations Threat Management Team who monitor both internal and external threats to the Company and administers a large security guard contract that covers the service territory of 55,000 square miles.

Mr. Hopley has been married to his wife for 34 years and they have a 27-year-old daughter and a 23-year-old son.

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Dr. William Scroggins
President, Mt. San Antonio College
1100 N. Grand Ave.,
Walnut CA 91789

Dear Dr. Scroggins:

The following is a short, personal biography to tell you about my law enforcement experience and how the skills I have attained through a quarter century of policing are conducive to my success as Chief of Police, Public Safety at Mt. San Antonio College.

I began my career with the Long Beach Police Department in the beginning of 1994. I was a patrol officer for several years and had the wonderful responsibility of training future police officers while I served the community. I progressed through the ranks and filled various roles encompassing all aspects of law enforcement. Traditional roles included patrol, investigations and administration; however, at different times I had the opportunity to be involved with media relations, Internal Affairs and Chief of Staff to the Chief of Police. I ultimately left Long Beach and became Chief of Police at a different agency where I was able to apply the many things I learned in Long Beach.

During my career I learned much about budget development, crime fighting strategies and providing effective leadership to those under my command. Most importantly, I learned about the importance of developing relationships—both internally and externally. Law enforcement and public safety is dead in the water without authority given it by the community being served. To gain this authority, one must maintain open dialogue with everyone, even when times are tough.

I have learned to do just that. My approachability and willingness to listen are distinguishing characteristics that are exactly what is needed not just in law enforcement, but particularly in law enforcement on a campus setting. Student and faculty need to feel a sense of personal safety and security to thrive in their endeavors. The relationship-building I will bring will help bring about that personal safety and continue the department moving in the right direction.

I am certain you will find my resume very fitting for the personal values you seek for this position. I look forward to the opportunity to apply those values and do great work for the campus and community.

Respectfully,

David Hendricks

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EXPERIENCE

1986 – 1995

DEPUTY SHERIFF, ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Jail, Patrol, Field Training Officer

1995 - 2008

SERGEANT, ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Supervised jail, patrol, and emergency communications personnel. I supervised the purchase, installation, and integration of a new Computer Aided Dispatch System (CAD). Field Training Program supervisor.

2008 - 2014

LIEUTENANT, ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Managed the Emergency Communications Bureau during a severe budget crisis. Reduced overtime costs while increasing service levels. Completed State 911 Office funded dispatch center furniture replacement.

Managed the North Operations Bureau staff of 84 sworn deputies. Managed security for special events and the Orange County Fair.

Managed the Yorba Linda Police Services transition and served as the Yorba Linda Chief of Police Services.

2015 – Present

Deputy Chief, Mt. SAC Police and Campus Safety

Manage the day to day operations of Police and Campus Safety (briefing, training, report approval, produce monthly reports). Oversaw the installation of a Computer Aided Dispatch system and CAD administrator. Oversaw the implementation of a Aladtec scheduling program and Aladtec administrator. Assumed the role as Clery coordinator. Produce the Annual Security Report. Conduct Active Shooter training. Redesigned the Police and Campus Safety webpage. Responds to volatile calls for service. Lexipol administrator.